

PROCLAMATION

Plumsted Branch of the Ocean County Library

20th Anniversary Celebration

June 15, 2019

WHEREAS, the Plumsted Branch of the Ocean County library system was built twenty years ago;

WHEREAS, after twenty-four years of planning and vision, the library was ready to be constructed;

WHEREAS, through the joint cooperation of the local Board of Education, the Township Committee and the Friends of the Library, this vision was ready to become a reality;

WHEREAS, the groundbreaking ceremony was April 20, 1998 and the grand opening was March 13, 1999;

WHEREAS, the original Plumsted library had one shelf of books in the Municipal Building;

WHEREAS, today, the Plumsted library provides print books, eBooks, audio books, magazines, music, DVDs, videogames and local history materials;

WHEREAS, there is also access to 76 databases providing access to thousands of journals, research and online learning materials;

WHEREAS, an Ocean County library card may be used at any of the 21 library locations along with access to eBooks and online resources in the library, on your personal computer or through the My OCL app on a smartphone, tablet or other handheld device;

WHEREAS, there are a variety of free programs for all ages and one-on-one technology classes available.

NOW, THEREFORE, that the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Plumsted, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey be it resolved that they proclaim the 20th Anniversary of the Plumsted Branch of the Ocean County Library on June 15, 2019. All residents are encouraged to visit the library to explore what the library has to offer any day and on this anniversary.

Jack A. Trotta, Mayor

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