RESOLUTION NO. 27-19

GLOUCESTER COUNTY INSURANCE COMMISSION RESOLUTION OF AUTHORITY FOR SETTLEMENT WITH PETITIONER, MARGARET MESSAROS

WHEREAS, Margaret Messaros (hereinafter "Petitioner"), sustained a work related injury while opening a gate to bring the horse in from the pasture and the horse knocked her down on or about July 12, 2013 (the "incident"), and;

WHEREAS, the incident subsequently resulted in the filing of a workers' compensation claim styled as <u>Margaret Messaros v. Gloucester County Improvement Authority</u> in the Workers' Compensation Court, Claim Petition 2013-16565 and a second Claim Petition 2013-20131 (the "action") and;

WHEREAS, two Orders approving settlement were entered on December 11, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned claim and action so filed have now been resolved, and;

WHEREAS, a SETTLEMENT has been negotiated and agreed upon between Petitioner and the County of Gloucester, totaling \$7,500.00 inclusive of applicable fees and costs for the Claim Petition 2013-16565, and;

WHEREAS, a SETTLEMENT has been negotiated and agreed upon between Petitioner and the County of Gloucester, totaling \$13,500.00 inclusive of applicable fees and costs for the Claim Petition 2013-20131, and;

WHEREAS, the Settlement is not intended, nor should it be intended to be an admission of any liability wrongdoing, or impropriety by the parties, and;

WHEREAS, the Settlement has been evaluated by defense counsel for the Gloucester County Insurance Commission, and;

WHEREAS, the Gloucester County Insurance Commission believes that it is in its' best interests to enter into the Settlement with Petitioner so as to ensure that all matters set forth in and involving the claim and action are forever resolved.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Gloucester County Insurance Commission that disposition of the claim filed by the above-referenced individual is authorized as follows:

PETITIONER	CLAIM PETITION NO.	AMOUNT OF AWARD
Margaret Messaros	2013-16565	\$7,500.00

Margaret Messaros 2013-20131 \$13,500.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper Commission officials and/or their agents, be and are hereby authorized to execute such documents as shall be necessary to effect the disposition set forth.

January 24, 2019.

ADOP/TED;

TIMOTHY SHEEHAN, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

MICHAEL BURKE, VICE CHÁIRMAN