

Office of the Mayor
Township of Bordentown
Proclamation

WHEREAS, Patrolman Burns, #3262, was responsible for K9 Vilka and K9 Hondo who are now deceased; and

WHEREAS, K9 Vilka served the Bordentown Police Department in 2006 and was certified in explosives and patrol K9; and

WHEREAS, K9 Vilka served on the New Jersey Detect and Render Safe Task Force.

WHEREAS, K9 Hondo served on the Bordentown Police Department from 2007 until 2012; and

WHEREAS, K9 Hondo was certified in explosives and patrol K9 and served on the New Jersey Detect and Render Safe Task Force; and

WHEREAS, K9 assisted in numerous sweeps throughout the state and tracked, located and forced a surrender of a suspect who fled on foot during a pedestrian stop; and

WHEREAS, K9 assisted various agencies with tracking of suspects including armed robberies, domestic violence assault, shootings and burglaries.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steve Benowitz, Mayor of Bordentown Township, do hereby proclaim that that both K9 Vilka and K9 Hondo were stellar examples of the Bordentown Township Police Department that gave outstanding work and results for the betterment of this township and other communities.

Steve Benowitz, Mayor

MAYOR