

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in an effort to write grants and raise monies to provide prevention education and intervention in substance abuse situations, the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance was formed in 1990; and

WHEREAS, the Alliance is a committee composed of an equal number of community members, representing various aspects of municipal life, such as Police Departments, Rescue Squads, Boards of Education, local organizations, residents, and members of the Governing Bodies from Warren, Watchung, Long Hill and Green Brook, along with representatives from the Regional High School; and

WHEREAS, it is no secret that the success of most programs such as the ones sponsored by the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance can be attributed to dedicated volunteers and strong leadership; and

WHEREAS, Ann Marie Lynch has served as Chairperson of the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance since its inception, bringing to the Committee her experiences as a teacher, guidance counselor, and member of the Warren Board of Education where she has served as its President and Vice President; and

WHEREAS, it is with sincere gratitude that the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance and in particular, the Governing Body and residents of the Borough of Watchung wishes to thank Ann Marie for all of her years of outstanding and tireless contributions to the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Albert S. Ellis, Mayor of the Borough of Watchung, hereby proclaim Wednesday, March 10, 2010 as

ANN MARIE LYNCH DAY

in the Borough of Watchung and commend her for leaving a positive impact on all whose lives have been touched by the programs sponsored by the Watchung Hills Regional Municipal Alliance and wish her the best of luck in her retirement and all of her future endeavors.

Date: March 10, 2010

Albert S. Ellis, Mayor