

## RESOLUTION OF THE BRISTOL TOWN COUNCIL

## Litter-Free Rhode Island

WHEREAS, Rhode Island is known for its natural beauty, including its pristine beaches, vibrant cities, and rural towns. Specifically, the Town of Bristol enjoys its clean beaches, public parks, and scenic bike path; and

WHEREAS, Rhode Islanders in all thirty-nine cities and towns should be able to live in clean, litter-free and healthy communities; and

WHEREAS, as municipal officials, we are the stewards of such; and

WHEREAS, we must make a commitment to investing in environmental protection and educating residents on its importance and connection to improving our state's overall health; and

WHEREAS, we will work with our state partners to advance these goals, such as hosting community cleanups, passing local litter-related ordinances, or working on shifting community culture around littering.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town of Bristol

- (1) Formally pledges to Keep Rhody Litter Free by supporting Governor Daniel J. McKee's Litter Free Rhode Island campaign; and
- (2) Encourages each of the residents of the Town of Bristol to join us in taking this pledge by visiting litterfree.ri.gov; and
- (3) Commits to fulfil our pledge through coordinating various events such as community cleanups.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that upon passage of this Resolution it be sent to His Excellency, the Honorable Governor of the State of Rhode Island, Daniel J. McKee.

RESOLVED this day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2024, by the Town of Bristol.

Nathan Calouro
Town Council Chairman

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the Bristol Town Council held on April 17, 2024, being duly noticed and with a quorum present and voting, the aforesaid was adopted.

Attest: Melissa Cordeiro
Town Clerk