RESOLUTION NO. R 016 77

RECOGNIZING WEEK OF JUNE 12-19, 1977 AS INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR WEEK IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE

WHEREAS, the National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year, 1975 was established in January, 1975; and

WHEREAS, by passage of Public Law 94-167, the National Women's Conference Act, the National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year, 1975 was directed to organize and convene a National Women's Conference, preceded in 1977 by fifty-six state and territorial conferences; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Public Law 94-167 the conferences shall:

- (1) recognize the contributions of women to the development of our country;
- (2) assess the role of women in the economic, social, cultural, and political development;
- (3) assess the progress that has been made to date by both the private and public sectors in promoting equality between men and women in all aspects of life in the United States;
- (4) assess the participation of women in efforts aimed at the development of friendly relations and cooperation amoung nations and to the strengthening of world peace; and
- (5) identify the barriers that prevent women from participating fully and equally in all aspects of national life, and develop recommendations for means by which such barriers can be removed;

and

WHEREAS, the Delaware International Women's Year State Meeting will be held June 17 and 18, 1977 at the Delaware State College in Dover, Delaware as Delaware's part of the National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year; and

WHEREAS, June 12-19, 1977 has been declared INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR WEEK by Pierre S. du Pont, Governor of the State of Delaware,

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Sussex County Council that the week of June 12-19, 1977 is recognized as INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR WEEK in the State of Delaware; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Sussex County Council that a copy of this Resolution be presented to representatives of the Delaware International Women's Year.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF RESOLUTION NO. R 016 77 PASSED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF SUSSEX COUNTY ON THE 24TH DAY OF MAY, 1977.

EMOGENE P, ELLIS

CLERK OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL