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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
COUNTY OF ESSEX

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

PROPOSED BY: COMMISSIONERS GILL & LUCIANO  
SUBJECT:

AUTHORITY FOR RESOLUTION N.J.S.A. 40:41A-38(g)  
AUTHORITY FOR ACTION C.C.E. 2-29(B)

COMMENDATION

CONGRATULATING MARGARET ANN FARRELL DAINGERFIELD, Ed.D., RN, CNE  
AS AN HONOREE OF THE FRIENDS OF BRIAN BORU, INC.  
FOR ITS 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY DINNER-DANCE - MARCH 15, 2023

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, of Chatham, New Jersey, will be honored by the Friends of Brian Boru, Inc., during the organization's 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner-Dance, which will be held on Wednesday, March 15, 2023, at the Valley Regency in Clifton, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of Brian Boru, Inc., led by its President, Assemblyman Thomas P. Giblin, is one of Essex County's leading Irish-American organizations. It was established in 1943 in honor of Brian Boru, the last great High King of Ireland of the late 10th Century, who was the first to subdue all his rivals and unify all of Ireland under one rule; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, is the second of five children and the only daughter born to loving parents Joseph (Joe) and Margaret (Peggy) Farrell in Newark, New Jersey. Educated in the Catholic faith, she attended Sacred Heart (Newark) and St. Vincent (Madison) grammar schools and Bayley Ellard High School. She completed her Bachelor of Science in Nursing at Seton Hall University with honors, began her nursing career at Saint Barnabas Medical Center, Livingston, and later worked at St. Peter's University Hospital, New Brunswick. Her clinical experience included medical surgical, cardiac intensive care, burn intensive care and staff development; and

WHEREAS, continuing her education, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, completed a Master of Arts in Nursing Education with a mental health concentration at New York University under a full tuition grant from the National Institutes of Health. She continued her education receiving a Doctor of Education degree in Social and Philosophical Foundations of Education from Rutgers University; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, joined the faculty at the College of New Jersey (then Trenton State College) and taught medical surgical, pediatric, and psychiatric nursing. She later joined the faculty of Felician University teaching in the undergraduate, masters and doctoral programs. While at Felician, she was appointed the Associate Dean of the Graduate Program and was promoted to the rank of Professor. She is a Certified Nurse Educator (awarded by the National League for Nursing) and received Felician University's Faculty Excellence award in 2019; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, is the co-author of the textbook *Drug Calculations: Ratio and Proportion Problems for Clinical Practice*, 12 ed. She currently serves as an educational consultant to Felician University in areas of curriculum and accreditation. She serves on the Board of Directors of the New Jersey State Nurses Association, the Board of the New Jersey Collaborating Center for Nursing, the Felician University Advisory Board, and the Patterson Diocese Diocesan Review Board; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, has cherished and supported her Irish heritage and traditions throughout her life. As a young girl growing up in Newark, she learned from her parents and grandparents the importance of being Irish in America. She grew up marching in the Newark St. Patrick Day Parade, attended Ceilidhs, learned step dancing, and sang countless Irish songs. As an adult, she has been fortunate to visit Ireland on three occasions. Seeing firsthand the beautiful countryside and experiencing the warmth and charm of family, friends and strangers alike deepened her love of Ireland and Irish ways. Bringing her husband and children to visit relatives in the same home in Tuam (County Galway) where her grandparents and great grandparents once farmed the land was a profound experience; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE, met her husband Rich Daingerfield while she was in graduate school, and he was in law school. Married for 42-years, they raised four amazing children. Daughter Kathleen and husband Justin have 2 lovely daughters, Sarah Rose and Hannah Margaret. Daughter Laura and husband Josh have a beautiful red-headed son, Max. They have 2 sons, Brian and Joseph; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Essex County Board of County Commissioners hereby congratulates Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE as she is honored by the Friends of Brian Boru, Inc., during its 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner-Dance; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be presented to Margaret Ann Farrell Daingerfield, Ed.D., RN, CNE.



Approved as to form and legality \_\_\_\_\_

*Michael J. Richardson*  
Commissioner Counsel

RECORD OF VOTE (X=Vote N.V.=Abstention ABS=Absent)

Moved by Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_

Second by Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner	Yes	No	N.V.	ABS	Commissioner	Yes	No.	N.V.	ABS
COOPER					MERCADO				
GILL					POMARES, V.P.				
GRAHAM					SEBOLD				
JOHNSON									
LUCIANO					RICHARDSON, PRES.				

It is hereby certified that the foregoing Resolution was ( ) adopted ( ) defeated ( ) tabled by roll call vote at a \_\_\_\_\_ meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Essex, New Jersey held on \_\_\_\_\_

Is Publication Required ( ) Yes ( ) No

Date Published \_\_\_\_\_

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Wayne L. Richardson, President