

Celebrating 125 Years of Incorporation March 7, 1898 to March 7, 2023

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

The Borough of Longport has formed a volunteer committee, the 125th Anniversary Committee, to help plan a special celebration for Longport's 125th Anniversary of Incorporation. As part of the festivities, the committee is planning a Town Party on July 22, 2023.

We are reaching out to you, our friends and neighbors, to help support this historic anniversary as well as the annual end of summer fireworks display. Donations will help fund both events. Longport has not held a Town Party for several years and for those who might be unfamiliar with this event, this large-scale celebration transforms the parking lot and surrounding area behind Borough Hall, into a celebration by the bay equipped with tents, tables, chairs, food trucks, music, ice cream, a celebratory cake, activities for kids, and more. We hope you can join us in making this a memorable event.

A banner(s) will be placed near the entrance of the event to thank our generous sponsors. There will be opportunities for Gold Level Sponsorships of \$2500, Silver Level Sponsorships of \$1,000 each, Bronze Level Sponsorships of \$500 each and a Friend Level Sponsorship of \$250 each. **Donations must be received no later than July 10**, **2023**. Gold Sponsorship will include a total of 10 Town Party Tickets, Silver Sponsorship will include a total of four tickets, and Bronze Sponsorship will include two tickets. Please contact Jenna Kelly at 609.823.2731 x 117 or by email at finance@longport-nj.us for sponsorship information. Gold through Bronze level sponsorships will include a logo if available, and a Friend level sponsorship will include a listing on the banner.

Checks can be made out to the **Borough of Longport** with "125th Anniversary/Fireworks Display" in the memo section and mailed to: Longport Borough Hall, 2305 Atlantic Avenue, Longport, NJ 08403. Please send to the attention of 'Longport Town Party/Fireworks Display.'

On behalf of Commissioner Leeds and Commissioner Lawler, the members of our 125th Anniversary Committee and the residents of Longport, I thank you for your generous donation and support of these events. I hope to see you there!

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Sincerely,

Nick Russo, Ed.D., Mayor Borough of Longport