TOWNSHIP OF VERONA COUNTY OF ESSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION No. 2025-172

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor McEvoy; seconded by Councilwoman McGrath that the following resolution be adopted:

AWARDING CONTRACT No. 2025-03 FAIRVIEW AVENUE WELL FACILITY PFAS TREATMENT

WHEREAS, the Township of Verona received bids for the Fairview Avenue Well Facility PFAS Treatment - Contract No. 2025-03 on May 22, 2025; and

WHEREAS, six (6) bids were received for Contract 2025-03; and

WHEREAS, During the review period of the bids, the apparent low bidder, ZN Construction LLC, subsequently requested that their bid be withdrawn which the Township accepted; and

WHEREAS, Sovereign Consulting, Inc., Robbinsville, New Jersey was the next lowest responsive and responsible bidder in the Base Bid Amount of \$2,799,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Consulting Engineer has reviewed and recommends this Contract award be made to Sovereign Consulting, Inc., as the lowest responsive and responsible bid.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Verona, in the County of Essex, New Jersey that the contract for Contract No. 2025-03 be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Sovereign Consulting Inc., Robbinsville, New Jersey in the total amount of \$2,799,000.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this expenditure shall be charged against Ordinance 2023-42 or any account that may be deemed appropriate by the Chief Financial Officer or her designee.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: McGrath, Roman, McEvoy, Tamburro

NAYS:

ABSENT: Holland

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF VERONA AT THE REGULAR MEETING HELD ON JULY 21, 2025.

JENNIFER KIERNAN, RMC, CMC

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MUNICIPAL CLERK

