

**TOWNSHIP OF VERONA
COUNTY OF ESSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION No. 2026-027

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

**PROVIDING MUNICIPAL CONSENT FOR VERONA TOWNSHIP'S TREATMENT
WORKS APPROVAL APPLICATION SUBMITTAL TO THE NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR THE VERONA
TOWNSHIP WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY UPGRADES PROJECT**

WHEREAS, Verona Township (Verona) has authorized necessary upgrades to its Wastewater Treatment Facility, including the Tertiary Treatment Filters and Ultraviolet Disinfection System (the Upgrades Project);

WHEREAS, in order to proceed with these improvements, Verona must first obtain a Treatment Works Approval (TWA) Permit from the N.J. Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP);

WHEREAS, one of the requirements of the TWA Application Process is to submit a Certification of Municipal Consent Form for the Upgrades Project from all impacted municipalities;

WHEREAS, Verona owns and operates the Wastewater Treatment Facility where the Upgrades Project will occur;

WHEREAS, the Certification of Municipal Consent by the Township of Verona must be authorized by a Resolution passed by the municipal governing body;

WHEREAS, the Consulting Engineer for Verona has represented that these upgrades will be constructed entirely within the existing property of the facility, are solely operational in nature and will not increase the facility's hydraulic treatment capacity or sewer service area or have any discernable negative impacts on the surrounding community;

WHEREAS, the Upgrades Project will be subject to intensive review by NJDEP through the TWA permitting process;

WHEREAS, after review and due deliberation, the Township Council of the Township of Verona believes that the Upgrades Project is in the best interest of the Township of Verona and its residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Verona that:

1. The Township Manager is hereby authorized to sign the NJDEP Certification of Municipal Consent Form for the Verona Township Wastewater Treatment Facility Upgrades Project;
2. The Municipal Clerk is hereby authorized to forward the signed NJDEP Certification of Municipal Consent Form and a certified copy of this Resolution to Verona's consulting engineer for inclusion in Verona's TWA Submittal to NJDEP for the Verona Township Wastewater Treatment Facility Upgrades Project.
3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Holland, McGrath, Roman, McEvoy, Tamburro

NAYS:

**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 A REGULAR
MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 19, 2026.**

Jennifer Kiernan
JENNIFER KIERNAN, RMC, CMC
MUNICIPAL CLERK

