

**MINUTES OF
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
WORKSESSION AND REGULAR MEETING
April 7, 2026**

A Combined Meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison was held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Complex. The meeting was called to order at 6:10 p.m. by Council President Coyle followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present were Councilmembers Brescher, Coyle, Dima, and Kentos.

Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel were absent.

Also present were Township Clerk Russomanno, Deputy Township Clerk McCray, Township Attorney Aaron Rainone, Attorney Christopher Zingaro Business Administrator Alves-Viveiros, and Cameraman Frankie.

The Township Clerk advised that adequate notice of this meeting, as required by the Open Public Meetings Act of 1975, has been provided by an Annual Notice sent to The Home News Tribune, The Star Ledger, Desi Talk and News India Times on November 17, 2025 and posted in the Main Lobby of the Municipal Complex on the same date.

This meeting is available on the following link:

<https://cablecast.edisonnj.org/internetchannel/show/4026?channel=1>

COUNCIL PRESIDENT’S REMARKS:

Good Evening, everyone, for those attending for the first time, Welcome you may follow along on the Agenda provided at the back table. You will have four minutes to speak on Public Comments on Resolutions and Oral Petitions and Remarks Portion of the Agenda. If you are watching from home, please visit edisonnj.gov. click on “departments,” then “council,” and select “council agenda” so you can follow along with the meeting. If you have any further questions or comments, you may email me at jcoyle@edisonnj.gov, thank you.

Council President Coyle, like so many others, I am very concerned over the proposed 12 percent increase in the budget by the Edison board of education. Although as Council President I have no operational oversight or statutory authority over the school board budget, as a resident and taxpayer I am very concerned about this double digit increase. What I can do though, and have been doing, is working through our state legislators, as well as other legislators throughout the state to strongly advocate for increased funding for our school district. As the state goes through its budget process, I will continue to advocate for our district, teachers, parents and students.

Councilmember Brescher said he will be going to the Board of Education meeting.

RESOLUTIONS OF RECOGNITION:

Clerk read into record.

RESOLUTION R.170-042026

WHEREAS, Fernando Avellan has concluded an extraordinary and distinguished wrestling career at Edison High School, leaving a lasting legacy of excellence, dedication, and sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, Fernando finishes his career as Edison High School’s second all-time win leader with an impressive 143 victories; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, he achieved remarkable success, including earning 2 District Titles and capturing 3 GMC County Championships, twice being honored as the tournament’s Most Valuable Player; and

WHEREAS, he represented Edison with pride on the state level, earning his first trip to the State Tournament in Atlantic City; and

WHEREAS, Fernando compiled an outstanding overall record of 143 wins and 22 losses, including an astounding 109 pins, demonstrating both dominance and determination on the mat; and

WHEREAS, Fernando has become an inspiration to the Edison community, exemplifying what it means to represent one’s hometown with honor and excellence by becoming one of the greatest Edison wrestlers of all time; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, NEW JERSEY AS FOLLOWS: that we proudly recognize and congratulate Fernando Avellan for his remarkable achievements and contributions to Edison High School wrestling and that we extend our best wishes

to Fernando better known as Nando as he continues his academic and athletic career at Millersville University in Pennsylvania, with confidence that he will achieve continued success.

Council President Coyle Opened for Public comment.

None

Hearing no further comments, on a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima with all in favor.

Councilmember Brescher, congratulations, it takes a lot of hard work and dedication. Also thank you to your parents. We wish you all success at college.

Councilmember Dima, no easy task, congratulation on your future.

Councilmember Kentos, its tough being a wrestler.

Council President Coyle, this is the first time we are recognizing a wrestler. He was a wrestler his senior year of high school. Edison is truly proud.

On a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima this Resolution was adopted.

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos and Council President Coyle

ABSENT -Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

RESOLUTION R.171-042026

WHEREAS, Jeremy Negron has completed an outstanding wrestling career at Edison High School, marked by perseverance, excellence, and a relentless competitive spirit; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy became the fourth-winningest wrestler in Edison High School history, amassing an exceptional total of 134 career victories; and

WHEREAS, his career was highlighted by consistent success, including being a 2-time GMC finalist and a 3-time District finalist, demonstrating his dedication and growth as a competitor; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy achieved the pinnacle of his high school career by earning a District Championship and becoming Edison High School's first Region Champion in 11 years, while also qualifying for his first State Tournament; and

WHEREAS, he distinguished himself as one of the most dominant wrestlers in New Jersey history through his extraordinary pinning ability, recording 113 career pins, ranking him 13th in New Jersey history to surpass 100 pins and placing him 3rd on the New Jersey All-Time Pin List; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy has represented Edison High School and his community with pride, determination, and sportsmanship, leaving a legacy that will inspire future generations of student-athletes;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, NEW JERSEY AS FOLLOWS: that we proudly recognize and commend Jeremy Negron for his remarkable achievements and lasting contributions to Edison High School wrestling. We extend our sincere congratulations and best wishes to Jeremy as he continues his academic and athletic career at Castleton University in Vermont, with confidence in his continued success.

Council President Coyle opened for Public Comment:

None

Hearing no further comments, on a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima with all in favor.

Councilmember Brescher echoed the same comments, thank you and congratulations.

Councilmember Kents, added awesome record good luck in your next step.

Council President Coyle, congratulations to the coaches that also dedicate their life to coaching.

On a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima this Resolution was adopted.

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos and Council President Coyle

ABSENT -Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

6. **CLOSED SESSION:**

- a. Affordable Housing

The Council retired to Closed Session at 6:35p.m., on a motion made by Councilmember Dima seconded by Councilmember Kentos and duly carried.

The Council returned from Closed Session at 7:06p.m., on a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima and duly carried.

7. **PROPOSED ORDINANCES:**

O.2279-2026 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 5-5, "SPORTS ORGANIZATION FUNDING," OF CHAPTER 5, "REVENUE AND FINANCE," OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON TO MODIFY...

Councilmember Kentos, we are going to fund in 2025 in the Resolution, we don't have to repeal the old ordinance. He asked if legally do we have to pay for the organizations that don't exist anymore in the old ordinance.

Ms. Alves-Viveiros said no. They request it and provide the roster than we prepare resolution for your approval.

Mr. A. Rainone explained we don't; have to repeal the ordinance this is a modification of the ordinance.

Councilmember Brescher, has a problem with the way it's written. He would like to see the formula in the ordinance. He feels this is a mistake to pass this.

8. **REVIEW OF MINUTES:**

- a. and b. No comments were made.

9. **FROM THE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR:**

- a. No comments were made

10 **FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE:**

- a. through e. No comments were made

11. **FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:**

- a. No comments were made.

12. **FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ENGINEERING:**

- a. through f. No comments were made

13. **FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS:**

- a. No comments were made.

14. **FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION:**

- a. No comments were made

15. **FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SEWER:**

- a. & b. No comments were made.

16. **FROM THE CHIEF OF POLICE:**

- a. No comments were made.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

On a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima and duly carried, the Minutes of the Worksession Meeting of March 23, 2026 and Regular Meeting of March 25, 2026. were accepted as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:
PROPOSED ORDINANCES PUBLIC HEARING SET DOWN FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2026.

**O.2279-2026 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 5-5, “SPORTS
ORGANIZATION FUNDING,” OF CHAPTER 5, “REVENUE AND
FINANCE,” OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF**

On a motion made to **TABLE** by Councilmember Brescher seconded by Councilmember Kentos this Ordinance was **TABLED**.

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos and Council President Coyle

ABSENT -Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

PUBLIC COMMENTS AS TO PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS

Council President Coyle opened the meeting to the public for comments on Proposed Resolutions R.172-042026 through R.193-042026.

Elizabeth Conway regarding Resolution R.176-042026, is this awarded to them for the functions of the league itself, or will it also be deemed necessary to upgrade anything necessary for an organization. How will we fund both the organizations and keep the land upgraded to a proper status?

Council President will not be making any comment on that, we just tabled the ordinance. Question regarding funding that is happening today, which is based on the old formula each organization is listed in the resolution today who will be receiving funds.

Councilmember Brescher, the organizations run themselves, we don’t really have input on what they do. We have like shamrock field, that was funded by the Township, we built that, shamrock became defunct that land is the Townships land we are in charge of maintaining it, we cut the lawn at this point.

Councilmember Kentos wanted to remind everyone this is a donation once it goes to their hands, we have no control over how they spend the funds. He expressed he doesn’t like the formula, its more problems than meets the eye.

Ron Loeffler, regarding Resolution R. 178-042026 would like the plan to be revised to allow ADU in all zones.

Mr. Zingaro, our attorney answered questions and explained the ADU in the plan.

There were no other comments from the public regarding Proposed Resolutions. On a motion made by Councilmember Kentos seconded by Councilmember Dima and duly carried, the public hearing was closed.

Councilmember Brescher requested that Resolution R.176-042026 and R.178-042026 be pulled for separate vote.

The following Resolutions R.172-042026 through R.175-042026 and R.177-042026 and R.179-042026 through R.193-042026 were adopted under the Consent Agenda on a motion made by Councilmember Dima and seconded by Councilmember Kentos.

RESOLUTION R.172-042026

APPROVAL OF DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON FOR THE PERIOD ENDING APRIL 1, 2026.

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance of the Township of Edison has transmitted to the Township Council a Report of Disbursements made through, April 1, 2026.

FUND	AMOUNT
Current	\$3,292,528.64
Affordable Housing	1,421.00
Capital	262,908.84
Cash Performance	0.00

CDBG	5,375.00
Developers Escrow	17,755.10
Dog (Animal Control)	0.00
Federal Forfeited	0.00
Employee Tax	0.00
Grant Funds	390,321.27
Law Enforcement	0.00
Open Space	0.00
Park Improvements	428.00
Payroll Deduction	0.00
Sanitation Fund	65,378.42
Self-Insurance	0.00
Sewer Utility	677,307.33
Street Opening	1,964.00
Tax Sale Redemption	294,075.62
Tree Fund	0.00
Tree Planting	450.00
Trust	28,590.70
Edison Water Utility	1,490,560.75
Edison Landfill Closure Trust	0.00
TOTAL	\$6,529,064.67

/s/ Lina Vallejo
Chief Financial Officer

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, that the above-referenced disbursements report is hereby approved.

RESOLUTION R.173-042026

Authorizing refund for redemption of tax sale certificates

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Township of Edison, Lorraine Morris, reports and advises that at various sales of land for delinquent taxes held by the Edison Township Collector of Taxes, Middlesex County, New Jersey, the attached listing of tax sale certificates were sold; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector further reports that the said tax sale certificates have been redeemed thereof, and further advises that the purchasers of said property are legally entitled to a refund of monies paid at the time of redemption.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, that the aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, that the appropriate official of the Township is hereby authorized to draw checks to the noted parties in the amounts specified on the attached listing, totaling **\$344,861.55**.

RESOLUTION R.174-042026

Authorizing refund for tax overpayments

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Township of Edison, Lorraine Morris, reports and advises that on various properties located within the Township of Edison, overpayments of real estate taxes have been made due to erroneous or duplicate payments, and

WHEREAS, applications have been made to the Tax Collector for refunds of the said overpayments, and the Tax Collector advises that the requesters are entitled to refunds as provided the attached listing; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, that the aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison that the appropriate official of the Township is hereby authorized to draw checks to the noted parties in the amounts specified on the attached listing totaling **\$22,745.39**.

RESOLUTION R.175-042026

Authorizing Overpayment Refund caused by Successful Tax Court Appeal

WHEREAS, The Office of the Tax Collector has received a successful tax appeal judgments from the Tax Court of New Jersey for the cases on list attached, and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Tax Court of New Jersey, the assessed value of the properties has been reduced for the for the tax years indicated in the list, including Freeze Act Year(s), if any, as per provisions of N.J.S.A. 54:51A-8 (Freeze Act), and

WHEREAS, the reduction in assessed value has caused a real estate tax overpayment in the amount and for the years listed, totaling \$6,720.34 and may also cause additional real estate tax overpayments for affected tax years for which the tax rate or assessment may not have been finalized, or payment not received or posted at the time of this resolution,

Summary by Property	Block /Lot	Tax Payer		
92 LINCOLN HWY RT 27	643.03/1.01	PARKO INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, LLC	Refund	(6,720.34)
		Total Refund		(6,720.34)

WHEREAS, per N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2 (Refund of Excess Taxes; Interest), “in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from an assessment on real estate property, the respective taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid, together with interest thereon from the date of payment at a rate of 5% per annum, less any amount of taxes, interest, or both, which may be applied against delinquencies pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1983, c.137 (C.54:4-134), within 60 days of final judgment.”, and

WHEREAS, Upon request the tax payer or legal representative and confirmation of the Township’s Tax Appeal Lawyer for the cases interest may be owed, if not waived or if paid after the agreed deadline for waiving, and may be needed to be paid also.

- NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison that the:
- 1) Aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.
 - 2) Tax Collector shall and is hereby authorized to adjust the tax accounts to reflect the reductions of assessments ordered by the tax court as indicated above.
 - 3) Appropriate official of the Township of Edison, shall and is hereby authorized to draw check to the property owner or legal representative in the amounts:
 - a. Listed as part of this resolution totaling \$6,720.34.
 - b. Calculated by the Tax Collector after the setting of the tax rate and final assessment or further review payments, if at such time the account reflects a further overpayment related to this resolution.
 - c. Of interest at a rate of 5% per annum from the due date to the date of the payments as calculated by the Tax Collector upon request and confirmation of the Township’s Tax Appeal Lawyer.

RESOLUTION R.177-042026

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER(S) TO CDW GOVERNMENT INCORPORATED FOR THE PURCHASE OF VARIOUS TECHNOLOGY SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

WHEREAS, there is a need to purchase various computer equipment and supplies for the operation of all departments in the Township of Edison; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 et seq., authorizes contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements for its administration; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Edison is a member of the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey Cooperative Pricing System #65MCESCCPS; and

WHEREAS, CDW GOVERNMENT INCORPORATED, 230 N. Milwaukee Avenue, Vernon Hills, IL 60061 has been awarded Contract ESCNJ/AEPA-26D Technology Catalog - Supplies & Services through this Cooperative Pricing System; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of this contract, not to exceed \$75,000.00, cannot be encumbered at this time; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.10 funds for Open-End Contracts shall be committed at the time an order is placed and shall not exceed the unit price; and

WHEREAS, no amount shall be chargeable or certified until such time as goods or services are ordered or otherwise called for. Prior to incurring the liability by placing the order, the certification of available funds shall be made by the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Financial Officer. It shall be the responsibility of the official responsible for issuing the purchase order to notify and seek the certification of availability of funds of the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Finance Officer, as appropriate (N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5(b)); and

WHEREAS, the Township Council accepts Edison Township's recommendations as described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison, as follows:

1. The Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract/purchase order(s) and any other necessary documents, in the amount of \$75,000.00 with CDW GOVERNMENT INCORPORATED, the approved Educational Services Commission of New Jersey Cooperative Pricing System vendor through this resolution, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to the current Educational Services Commission of New Jersey Cooperative Pricing System as set forth above.
2. This contract is awarded pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 et seq.

RESOLUTION R.179-042026

Resolution Appointing Sheila Retkwa as Registrar of Vita Statistics for the Township of Edison

WHEREAS, the Township of Edison, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey (the Township), is required under applicable provisions of New Jersey law, including but not necessarily limited to Title 26 of the New Jersey Statutes, to provide for the proper registration, maintenance, and administration of vital records, including records of births, deaths, fetal deaths, and marriages occurring within the territorial jurisdiction of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the position of Registrar of Vital Statistics (the Registrar) is a critical statutory and administrative office responsible for the custody, security, certification, indexing, and appropriate dissemination of vital records, and for ensuring compliance with all applicable federal, state, county, and local laws, regulations, standards, and policies governing vital statistics and vital records; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the Township and its residents that the office of Registrar of Vital Statistics be filled by a person who possesses appropriate education, training, experience, and professional credentials, and who has demonstrated competence, integrity, and familiarity with the legal and administrative requirements attendant to the handling of vital records; and

WHEREAS, the Township, through its duly constituted governing body, has determined that it is necessary and appropriate to appoint a qualified individual to serve as Registrar of Vital Statistics for the Township of Edison; and

WHEREAS, Sheila Retkwa (Retkwa) has been identified as a candidate for appointment to the position of Registrar of Vital Statistics and has demonstrated the requisite knowledge, skill, experience, and professional competence to perform the duties associated with said office; and

WHEREAS, Retkwa has obtained and has maintained, on a continuous and current basis, the professional designation of Certified Municipal Registrar, a recognized credential evidencing specialized training, demonstrated proficiency, and ongoing compliance with professional standards in the administration of municipal vital statistics functions; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Township of Edison finds and determines that Retkwa's status as a Certified Municipal Registrar, together with her experience and demonstrated commitment to maintaining such certification, renders her particularly well qualified to discharge faithfully and efficiently the duties of Registrar of Vital Statistics on behalf of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Township of Edison further finds and determines that the appointment of a duly certified and experienced municipal registrar will promote accuracy, security, and reliability in the administration of vital records, will support compliance with applicable statutes and regulations, and will serve the public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the governing body desires to formally appoint Sheila Retkwa as Registrar of Vital Statistics for the Township of Edison, and to authorize her to perform all functions, duties, and responsibilities prescribed by law and by Township policy for that office;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, that Sheila Retkwa is hereby appointed as Registrar of Vital Statistics in accordance with N.J.S.A. 26:8-11 for a term of three years to expire on March 1, 2029.

RESOLUTION R.180-042026

EXPLANATION: Resolution Refunding In-House Engineering Inspection Fees to Santos Orlando, having an address at 95 Idlewild Road, Edison, NJ 08817, for 95 Idlewild Road, Edison, NJ 08817, Application: SIP 24-049, Account # EI240918OR , Subaccount # 68393141.

WHEREAS, Orlando Santos, having an address at 95 Idlewild Road, Edison, NJ 08817, posted In-House Engineering Inspection Fees check # 861, on March 24, 2026, in the amount of \$500.00, to guarantee the install of improvements for project known as 95 Idlewild Road, located in Block 1116, Lot 21 and designed Application SIP 24-049; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer advises that a final inspection was made of 95 Idlewild Road, located in Block: 1116, Lot 21, Application # SIP 24-049, and said inspection indicates all site improvements are complete and in accordance with the Site Plan approval and Municipal Standards of Township of Edison and

WHEREAS, certificates of occupancy were issued on May 12, 2025 and July 14, 2025.

WHEREAS, the applicant has requested the return of the unused portion of Engineering Inspection fees, as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, it is in now in order that the sum of \$298.88, which represents the amount due and owing the applicant, be returned to Orlando Santos, for 95 Idlewild Road, Account # EI240918OR, Subaccount # 68393141.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON that the sum of \$298.88, plus accrued interest, if applicable, be refunded to the applicant, Orlando Santos, for 95 Idlewild Road, Account # EI240918OR, Subaccount # 68393141.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Finance be and is hereby authorized to refund said sum of \$298.88, plus any accrued interest, if applicable, in EI240918OR Subaccount # 68393141 to the applicant, Orlando Santos, having an address at 95 Idlewild Road, Edison, NJ 08817, for the referenced property at 95 Idlewild Road, Edison, NJ 08817.

RESOLUTION R.181-042026

EXPLANATION: Resolution Partial Refund Tree Maintenance Bond to Leonard Cursi Construction, having an address at 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, for 18 Ramsey Road, Account # 7762575814; Forfeiting Balance of Tree Maintenance Bond to the Tree Contribution Fund.

WHEREAS, on August 22, 2013, Leonard Cursi Construction, having an address at 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, posted Tree Maintenance Bond fees in the amount of \$375.00, with Check No. 7157 of Bank of America on deposit with the Township of Edison in account # 7762575814 to guarantee the installation of trees per the Municipal Code of the Township of Edison for designated Tree Maintenance Bond Permit, on the property identified as 18 Ramsey Road, Block 1003, Lot 3 , Edison, NJ 08820;

WHEREAS, a certificate of occupancy was issued on August 27, 2013.

WHEREAS, an inspection by the Division of Engineering, under the supervision of the Township Engineer, has revealed that four of the trees planted have remained alive for the required two-year maintenance period; and one arborvitae tree is confirmed dead.

WHEREAS, Leonard Cursi Construction, has elected to forfeit the bond for the one dead arborvitae tree in the amount of \$75.00.

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Township Engineer that a partial Tree Maintenance Bond refund in the amount \$300.00 be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$75.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the partial Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$300.00 hereinabove mentioned be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$75.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance be and is hereby authorized to refund the sum of \$300.00, plus any accrued interest as applicable, on deposit in account# 7762575814, to Leonard Cursi Construction, having an address at 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, for the referenced property at 18 Ramsey Road, Edison, NJ 08820, and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$75.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

RESOLUTION R.182-042026

EXPLANATION: Resolution Partial Refund Tree Maintenance Bond to Leonard Cursi Construction Company, 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, for 47 Spring Street, Account # 7762575871; Forfeiting Balance of Tree Maintenance Bond to the Tree Contribution Fund.

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2013, Leonard Cursi Construction Company, having an address at 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, posted Tree Maintenance Bond fees in the amount of \$375.00, with Check No. 7238 of The Bank of America on deposit with the Township of Edison in account # 7762575871 to guarantee the installation of trees per the Municipal Code of the Township of Edison for designated Tree Maintenance Bond Permit, on the property identified as 47 Spring Street, Block 590.F (New 590.06), Lot 17.01, Edison, NJ 08820;

WHEREAS, a certificate of occupancy was issued on October 24, 2013.

WHEREAS, an inspection by the Division of Engineering, under the supervision of the Township Engineer, has revealed that three of the trees planted have remained alive for the required two-year maintenance period and two arborvitae trees are missing;

WHEREAS, Leonard Cursi Construction Company, has elected to forfeit the bond for the two missing arborvitae trees in the amount of \$150.00.

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Township Engineer that a Partial Tree Maintenance Bond refund in the amount \$225.00 be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$225.00 hereinabove mentioned be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance be and is hereby authorized to refund the sum of \$225.00, plus any accrued interest as applicable, on deposit in account# 7762575871, to Leonard Cursi Construction Company, having an address at 3808 Fleet Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080, for the referenced property at 47 Spring Street, Edison, NJ 08820, and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

RESOLUTION R.183-042026

EXPLANATION: Resolution Partial Refund Tree Maintenance Bond to Elnashar Group, LLC, 380 Mill Road, Edison, NJ 08817, for 42 Wayne Street, Account # TP230314EL , Subaccount# 68392882; Forfeiting Balance of Tree Maintenance Bond to the Tree Contribution Fund.

WHEREAS, on February 6, 2023, Elnashar Group, LLC, having an address at 380 Mill Road, Edison, NJ 08817, posted Tree Maintenance Bond fees in the amount of \$525.00, with Check No. 2583 of Bank of America on deposit with the Township of Edison in account # TP230314EL, subaccount# 68392882 to guarantee the installation of trees per the Municipal Code of the Township of Edison for designated Tree Maintenance Bond Permit, on the property identified as 42 Wayne Street, Block 351.14, Lot 58, Edison, NJ 08817;

WHEREAS, a certificate of occupancy was issued on February 8, 2023.

WHEREAS, an inspection by the Division of Engineering, under the supervision of the Township Engineer, has revealed that five of the trees planted have remained alive for the required two-year maintenance period and two trees are missing; and

WHEREAS, Elnashar Group, LLC, has elected to forfeit the bond for the two missing trees in the amount of \$150.00.

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Township Engineer that a Partial Tree Maintenance Bond refund in the amount \$375.00 be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of 375.00 hereinabove mentioned be refunded to the applicant; and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance be and is hereby authorized to refund the sum of \$375.00, plus any accrued interest as applicable, on deposit in account# TP230314EL, subaccount# 68392882, to Elnashar Group, LLC, having an address at 380 Mill Road, Edison, NJ 08817, for the referenced

property at 42 Wayne Street, Edison, NJ 08817, and the remaining balance of the Tree Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$150.00 be deposited to the Tree Contribution Fund.

RESOLUTION R.184-042026

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, ENDORSEMENT IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECT ROUTE 440, ROUTE 95 TO KREIL STREET

WHEREAS, a meeting was held on September 2, 2025 between the NJDOT, City of Perth Amboy, Woodbridge Township, Middlesex County, and the Township of Edison concerning the Route 440, Route 95 to Kreil Street Project; and

WHEREAS, representatives of the Township of Edison take no exception to the proposed widenings, pavement improvements, and beam guide rail upgrade plans for the Route 440, Route 95 to Kreil Street Project, presented at the meeting held on September 2, 2025; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, that the Township of Edison endorses and supports the NJDOT Route 440, Route 95 to Kreil Street Project.

ATTEST: Township of Edison

Cheryl Russomanno, Township Clerk

Sam Joshi, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a Township Council Meeting held on April 7, 2026 at the Municipal Court Complex, 100 Municipal Blvd 08817 Edison, New Jersey.

/s/ Cheryl Russomanno, Township Clerk

RESOLUTION R.185-042026

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE STREET OPENING ESCROW

WHEREAS, the Township Department of Public Works advises the following have deposited Escrow Funds for Street Opening Permits; and

WHEREAS, notification has been received stating that all work has been inspected and restored as per the requirements of the Road Opening Permit; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Finance Department is hereby authorized to release Street Opening Escrow Funds, under reference number STO0000963, to the following:

Permit Number: DEV-25-0835

Opening Location: 2 WINSLOW RD

Block/Lot: 772.02/5

Applicant's Name & Address:

**UNITED PAVING & MASONRY LLC
83 MAIN ST
EDISON, NJ 08837**

Initial Deposit Date: 05/02/2025

Deposit Amount: \$1,080.00

Paid by & refunded to:

**UNITED PAVING & MASONRY LLC
83 MAIN ST
EDISON, NJ 08837**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Edison forwards a certified true copy of the resolution to the Director of Finance.

RESOLUTION R.186-042026

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE STREET OPENING ESCROW

WHEREAS, the Township Department of Public Works advises the following have deposited Escrow Funds for Street Opening Permits; and

WHEREAS, notification has been received stating that all work has been inspected and restored as per the requirements of the Road Opening Permit; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Finance Department is hereby authorized to release Street Opening Escrow Funds, under reference number STO0000945, to the following:

Permit Number: DEV-25-0817

Opening Location: 14 THOMASINE ST

Block/Lot: 346/6

Applicant's Name & Address:

**MM&V BUILDING LLC
2 HEATHER LN
WARREN, NJ 07059**

Initial Deposit Date: 2/14/2025

Deposit Amount: \$1,500.00

Paid by & refunded to:

**MM&V BUILDING LLC
2 HEATHER LN
WARREN, NJ 07059**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Edison forwards a certified true copy of the resolution to the Director of Finance.

RESOLUTION R.187-042026

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE STREET OPENING ESCROW

WHEREAS, the Township Department of Public Works advises the following have deposited Escrow Funds for Street Opening Permits; and

WHEREAS, notification has been received stating that all work has been inspected and restored as per the requirements of the Road Opening Permit; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Finance Department is hereby authorized to release Street Opening Escrow Funds, under reference number STO0001012, to the following:

Permit Number: DEV-25-0895

Opening Location: 18 BARLOW RD

Block/Lot: 82.10/17

Applicant's Name & Address:

**LOCHIATTO PAVING & MASONRY CO
1607 RT-27
EDISON, NJ 08817**

Initial Deposit Date: 11/14/2025

Deposit Amount: \$2,200.00

Paid by & refunded to:

**LOCHIATTO PAVING & MASONRY CO
1607 RT-27
EDISON, NJ 08817**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Edison forwards a certified true copy of the resolution to the Director of Finance.

RESOLUTION R.188-042026

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE STREET OPENING ESCROW

WHEREAS, the Township Department of Public Works advises the following have deposited Escrow Funds for Street Opening Permits; and

WHEREAS, notification has been received stating that all work has been inspected and restored as per the requirements of the Road Opening Permit; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Finance Department is hereby authorized to release Street Opening Escrow Funds, under reference number STO0000788, to the following:

Permit Number: DEV-23-0632

Opening Location: 21 WILLIAMS RD

Block/Lot: 1015/16

Applicant's Name & Address:

**LAPORTA BUILDERS INC
14 LAURELDALE AVE
METUCHEN, NJ - 08840**

Initial Deposit Date: 07/21/2023

Deposit Amount: \$4,200.00

Paid by & refunded to:

**LAPORTA BUILDERS INC
14 LAURELDALE AVE
METUCHEN, NJ - 08840**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Edison forwards a certified true copy of the resolution to the Director of Finance.

RESOLUTION R.189-042026

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE STREET OPENING ESCROW

WHEREAS, the Township Department of Public Works advises the following have deposited Escrow Funds for Street Opening Permits; and

WHEREAS, notification has been received stating that all work has been inspected and restored as per the requirements of the Road Opening Permit; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON, that the Finance Department is hereby authorized to release Street Opening Escrow Funds, under reference number STO0001014, to the following:

Permit Number: DEV-25-0898

Opening Location: 25 S HEATHCOTE AVE

Block/Lot: 189.01/8

Applicant's Name & Address:

**LOCHIATTO PAVING & MASONRY CO
1607 RT-27
EDISON, NJ 08817**

Initial Deposit Date: 10/08/2025

Deposit Amount: \$3,010.00

Paid by & refunded to:

**LOCHIATTO PAVING & MASONRY CO
1607 RT-27
EDISON, NJ 08817**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Edison forwards a certified true copy of the resolution to the Director of Finance.

RESOLUTION R.190-042026

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING BID AND AWARDING CONTRACT TO VARIOUS VENDORS FOR
EVENT SERVICES**

WHEREAS, bids were received by the Township of Edison on March 18, 2026 for Public Bid No. 26-02-20 Event Services; and

WHEREAS, after review, the following vendors submitted the lowest legally responsible, responsive bids for selected items on the bid summary sheet:

- SUMMIT AV GROUP, 21 Derby Lane, Colonia, NJ 07067
- BTD SOUNDS, 1400 South Ave, Plainfield, NJ 07062; and

WHEREAS, the initial contract shall be for one (1) year from execution of the contract with no options for renewal; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of this contract, not to exceed \$65,000.00, cannot be encumbered at this time; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.10 funds for Open-End Contracts shall be committed at the time an order is placed and shall not exceed the unit price; and

WHEREAS, no amount shall be chargeable or certified until such time as goods or services are ordered or otherwise called for. Prior to incurring the liability by placing the order, the certification of available funds shall be made by the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Financial Officer. It shall be the responsibility of the official responsible for issuing the purchase order to notify and seek the certification of availability of funds of the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Finance Officer, as appropriate (N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5(b)); and

WHEREAS, the Township Council accepts Edison Township's recommendations as described herein and as submitted on the summary spreadsheet.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison, as follows:

1. All bids have been reviewed, and the bids submitted by SUMMIT AV GROUP and BTD SOUNDS, for Public Bid No. 26-02-20 Event Services, are determined to be the lowest legally responsible, responsive bid for selected items on the bid summary sheet.
2. The Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract in the collective not to exceed amount of \$65,000.00, for one (1) year from execution of the contract with no options for renewal, as described herein.

RESOLUTION R.191-042026

**RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER(S) TO VARIOUS VENDORS TO
FURNISH & DELIVER PIPE, FITTINGS, VALVES AND ACCESSORIES**

WHEREAS, the Edison Water & Sewer Utility is a need for furnishing & delivery of pipe, fittings, valves and accessories; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 et seq., authorizes contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements for its administration; and

WHEREAS, the North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System hereinafter referred to as the "Lead Agency" has offered voluntary participation in a cooperative pricing system for the purchase of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, various vendors have been awarded Contract Number B482 Furnish & Deliver Pipe, Fittings, Valves and Accessories under NJ state approved coop #88-WWNJCPS; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of this contract, not to exceed \$500,000.00, cannot be encumbered at this time; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.10 funds for Open-End Contracts shall be committed at the time an order is placed and shall not exceed the unit price; and

WHEREAS, no amount shall be chargeable or certified until such time as goods or services are ordered or otherwise called for. Prior to incurring the liability by placing the order, the certification of available funds shall be

made by the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Financial Officer. It shall be the responsibility of the official responsible for issuing the purchase order to notify and seek the certification of availability of funds of the Chief Financial Officer or Certifying Finance Officer, as appropriate (N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5(b)); and

WHEREAS, the Township Council accepts Edison Township’s recommendations as described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison, as follows:

1. The Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract/purchase order(s) and any other necessary documents, in the amount of \$500,000.00 with these various vendors, the approved North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System vendors through this resolution, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to the current North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System as set forth above.

RESOLUTION R.192-042026

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CHANGE ORDER #1 AND ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO MILLENNIUM STRATEGIES LLC FOR DISASTER RECOVERY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

WHEREAS, Resolution R.528-092024 authorized a professional services contract with MILLENNIUM STRATEGIES LLC, 60 Columbia Road, Building B, Suite 230, Morristown, NJ, 07960 for Disaster Recovery Administrative Services in the not the exceed amount of \$50,000.00; and

WHEREAS, additional services were required during FEMA Disaster Recovery Services in excess of the authorized contract scope and value;

WHEREAS, this change order in the amount of \$1,795.00 is an increase of 3.59% from than the original contract; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council accepts Edison Township’s recommendations as described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison, that Change Order #1 to the contract with MILLENNIUM STRATEGIES LLC is hereby authorized in the amount of \$1,795.00 for a total amended contract amount of \$51,795.00.

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I hereby certify that funds in the amount of **\$1,795.00** are available for the above as follows Account No. **T-13-00-0000-000-017 Storm Recovery Trust [R6-02434]**.

/s/ Lina Vallejo
Chief Financial Officer

RESOLUTION R.193-042026

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACTS/PURCHASE ORDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) 2025 FORD F150 RESPONDER

WHEREAS, the Edison Division of Police is in need of one (1) 2025, or newer, new and unused, Ford F150 Responder with options; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 et seq., authorizes contracting units to establish a cooperative pricing system and to enter into cooperative pricing agreements for its administration; and

WHEREAS, the Bergen County Cooperative Pricing System hereinafter referred to as the “Lead Agency” has offered voluntary participation in a cooperative pricing system for the purchase of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, PARAMUS FORD, INC. dba ALL AMERICAN FORD OF PARAMUS, 375 Route 17 South, Paramus, NJ 07652, has been awarded Bergen County cooperative pricing system Contract# BC-24-43 Cars, Crossovers, Class 1-3 Pickup Trucks/Chassis, Sport Utility Vehicles and Vans under state approved coop #11BCCP; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of this contract shall not exceed \$50,856.73; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council accepts Edison Township’s recommendations as described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison, as follows:

1. The Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contracts/purchase orders in the amount not to exceed \$50,856.73, and any other necessary documents, with PARAMUS FORD, INC. dba ALL AMERICAN FORD OF PARAMUS, the approved Bergen County vendor through this resolution, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to the current Bergen County Cooperative Pricing System contract as set forth above.
2. This contract is awarded pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 et seq.

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I hereby certify that funds in the amount of **\$50,856.73** are available in Account No. **C-04-21-2128-101-001 Acquisition Technology Equipment Police [R6-02368]**.

/s/ Lina Vallejo
Chief Financial Officer

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos, and Council President Coyle

ABSENT: Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

The following Resolutions will be voted upon separately:

RESOLUTION R.176-042026

RESOLUTION AWARDING PAYMENT TO VARIOUS NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS FOR LEAGUE RECREATIONAL SERVICES FUNDING SPORTS

WHEREAS, there exists an ordinance for the Township of Edison to provide for League Recreational Services Funding for sports activities sponsored by certain non-profit sports organizations; and

WHEREAS, funds in the amount of \$224,975.50 have been certified to be available in the Recreation Other Professional Services Account Number 5-01-28-0370-000-028; and

WHEREAS, the below listed non-profit sports organizations will be eligible for the amounts specified as their annual allotment, after complying with all requirements listed in the contracts between the Leagues and the Township of Edison:

Buddy Ball of Edison	\$ 5,659.50	(R6-02258/BUDDYB50)
Edison Boys Baseball	\$49,846.00	(R6-02259/EDISON04)
Edison Jets Football	\$10,565.00	(R6-02268/EDISON18)
Edison United Soccer Association	\$52,000.00	(R6-02260/EDISON48)
Edison Youth Basketball	\$17,834.00	(R6-02261/EDISON51)
Little Eagles Wrestling	\$ 4,000.00	(R6-02263/LITTLE25)
Edison Midtown Softball	\$21,282.00	(R6-02264/MIDTOW50)
No. Edison Baseball & Softball Asso.	\$48,526.00	(R6-02265/NORTHE16)
No. Edison Athletic Association	\$ 6,263.00	(R6-02266/NOEDI010)
Falcon’s Jr. Cricket Club	\$ 9,000.00	(R6-02267/FALCO005)

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Municipal Council of the Township of Edison that authorization be given, to release said funds to these nonprofit sports organizations.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that funds in the amount of \$224,975.50 are available for the above payment in Account 5-01-28-0370-000-028.

A motion was made by Councilmember Brescher seconded by Councilmember Kentos to adopt this Resolution.

Councilmember Brescher, thanked the administration you did tell us at the last meeting it would be on, much appreciated.

Councilmember Kentos, also thanked the administration.

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos, and Council President Coyle

ABSENT; Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

NAYS - None

RESOLUTION R.178-042026

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON ENDORSING THE HOUSING ELEMENT AND FAIR SHARE PLAN FOR THE FOURTH ROUND AFFORDABLE HOUSING CYCLE ADOPTED BY THE PLANNING BOARD OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDISON

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Mount Laurel doctrine and the New Jersey Fair Housing Act, P.L. 1985, c.222, N.J.S.A. 52:27D-301 et seq., as recently amended by P.L. 2024, c.2 (the “Amended FHA”), municipalities must provide their fair share of the regional need for low- and moderate-income housing; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Amended FHA, municipalities are authorized to file a Declaratory Judgment action with the Superior Court for the purpose of calculating their fair share obligation for the affordable housing cycle known as the “Fourth Round” (years 2025-2035) and to seek review of a Housing Element and Fair Share Plan setting forth the compliance mechanisms required to satisfy that Fourth Round obligation; and

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2025, the Township filed a Declaratory Judgment action seeking a judicial determination of the Township’s fair share obligation for the Fourth Round, review of a Housing Element and Fair Share Plan addressing that obligation, and, ultimately, a Judgment of Compliance and Repose providing immunity from exclusionary zoning litigation for the Fourth Round period ending in 2035; and

WHEREAS, the Court entered an Order setting the Township’s fair share obligation for the Fourth Round and requiring that the Township submit a duly adopted Housing Element and Fair Share Plan by April 15, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Township’s professionals have prepared a Housing Element and Fair Share Plan for the Fourth Round (the “HEFSP”), which identifies the Township’s proposed compliance structure; and

WHEREAS, the HEFSP was adopted by the Planning Board on March 30, 2026, and the Township Council has reviewed and now wishes to endorse the HEFSP and to authorize submission of the HEFSP to the Court for review.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Edison (the “Township Council”) as follows:

1. The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.
2. The Township Council hereby endorses the Housing Element and Fair Share Plan (“HEFSP”) for the affordable housing cycle known as the “Fourth Round” (years 2025-2035), and authorizes the Township and its professionals to take all actions necessary to file the HEFSP with the Court, seek judicial review, and obtain a Judgment of Compliance and Repose.
3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

SO RESOLVED, as aforesaid.

A motion was made by Councilmember Brescher seconded by Councilmember Kentos to adopt this Resolution.

Councilmember Brescher, appreciated the law firm on putting together the plan to move forward. He is very happy with the proposal.

AYES - Councilmembers Brescher, Dima, Kentos, and Council President Coyle

ABSENT; Councilmembers Patel, Patil and Shmuel

NAYS - None

ORAL PETITIONS AND REMARKS

Council President Coyle opened the meeting for public comment.

Elizabeth Conway asked was the funding for the actual organization the property is the township, are we responsible for the paving, Edison Baseball. The School Budget was a proposed budget. We keep talking about over

development in the town, on Wood Avenue there is a mansion. She asked if the council will look into the over developments, please we don't need Hudson County on Amboy Avenue.

Councilmember Kentos, an agreement between Township and the sport league.

Councilmember Brescher, regarding school funding from the state funding formula is required by law and they can cut but it would have to be a percent cut to all.

Hearing no further comments from the public Councilmember Kentos made a motion to close the public hearing, which was seconded by Councilmember Dima and duly carried.

REPORTS FROM ALL COUNCIL COMMITTEES:

Councilmember Dima, gave the Animal Shelter report.

Councilmember Kentos announced you can go on robertkentos.com to see all his committee reports.

POINTS OF LIGHT:

None

17. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Councilmember Brescher:

a. None

Councilmember Dima:

a. None

Councilmember Kentos:

a. None

Councilmember Patel

a. Absent

Councilmember Patil:

a. Absent

Councilmember Shmuel:

a. Absent

Council President Coyle:

a. None

Having no further business to discuss, on a motion made by Councilmember Dima, seconded by Councilmember Kentos the meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Joseph Coyle
Council President

Cheryl Russomanno, RMC
Municipal Clerk