

Statement to be Published with Ordinance After Introduction.

Public notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at the Township Committee meeting of the Township of Riverside held on July 20, 2026. Further notice is given that said ordinance will be considered for final passage and adoption, after a public hearing thereon at a meeting of the at a meeting of the Township Committee to be held at the Municipal Building, 1 West Scott Street, Riverside, New Jersey, on August 31, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of said meeting, copies of said ordinance will be made available at the Township Clerk's office for members of the general public to request the same.

Susan M. Dydek, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF RIVERSIDE, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-#7

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
RIVERSIDE, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY,
AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF A
SERVICE CONTRACT WITH THE RIVERSIDE
SEWERAGE AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Sewerage Authorities Law, constituting Chapter 138 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1946 of the State of New Jersey, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto (*N.J.S.A. 40:14A-1 et seq.*) ("Act"), The Riverside Sewerage Authority ("Authority") was created by virtue of an ordinance duly adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Riverside, County of Burlington, New Jersey ("Township") and is a public body politic and corporate of the State of New Jersey organized and existing under said Act, established as an instrumentality exercising public and essential governmental functions to provide for the public health and welfare, with all necessary or proper powers to acquire, construct, maintain, operate or improve works for the collection, treatment, purification or disposal of sewage or other wastes, for the relief of waters in, bordering or entering the district of the Authority ("District") from pollution or threatened pollution and for the improvement of conditions affecting the public health; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has designed, constructed and placed in operation a sewage treatment system ("System") for the proper collection, treatment and disposal of certain sanitary sewage and other wastes arising within said District and intends to undertake a Project consisting of the design, construction and financing of the upgrading of the Authority's sewage treatment plant which comprises a portion of the System; and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to aid and assist the Authority to make it economically feasible for the Authority to proceed with the design, financing, and construction of the Project and such other improvements and extensions of the System as are necessary to provide a complete and efficient sanitary sewerage system for the use of the residents and inhabitants of the Township and the District for the collection, treatment and disposal of sanitary sewage and other wastes arising within the Township and the District; and

WHEREAS, the Township and the Authority have each determined that it will be economical and otherwise advantageous to each of them and to the residents and property owners of the Township for the Township and the Authority to enter into a service contract ("Service Contract"), a form of which is attached hereto and made apart hereof as Exhibit "A", providing for and relating to the treatment and disposal of sewage and other wastes originating in the Township and the District and the cost and expense of such treatment and disposal, which contract, among other things, shall obligate the Authority to operate and maintain the System and shall oblige the Township to pay to the Authority such sum or sums of money as may be

necessary to provide for deficits (if any) resulting from failure or disability of the Authority to derive adequate revenues from the operation of said System.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RIVERSIDE IN THE COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the Act, the entering into, execution and delivery by the Township of the Service Contract between the Township and the Authority in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made apart hereof, is hereby authorized and approved.

Section 2. The Township Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver said Service Contract. The Township Clerk or any Deputy Township Clerk is hereby separately authorized and directed to attest to such signature and to affix the official seal of the Township to such Service Contract. All officers of the Township are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary, convenient or useful in connection with the execution and delivery of said Service Contract.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with applicable law.

I hereby certify that the aforementioned Ordinance 2026 - #7 entitled, "An Ordinance of the Township of Riverside, County of Burlington, New Jersey, Authorizing the Execution and Delivery of a Service Contract with the Riverside Sewerage Authority" was introduced on first reading at a regular meeting of the Riverside Township Committee held on July 20, 2026 and will be considered for the second reading and adoption after a public hearing at a regular meeting of the Riverside Township Committee scheduled to be held on August 17, 2026.

Susan M. Dydek, RMC
Township Clerk

Exhibit "A"

