

RESOLUTION 2023-096

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTER-LOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION FOR THE DISPOSAL OF WET SLUDGE

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham adopted Ordinance 2002-011 on September 12, 2002, approving an Inter-Local Agreement between the Township of Chatham and the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission for the treatment and disposal of wet sludge generated by the Township's sewer treatment plants, known as the Tanglewood Plant and the Chatham Glen Plant; and

WHEREAS, said Agreement entered into by the Township had a term of five (5) years, expiring December 31, 2007, which was renewed for various additional five-year terms in 2013 and 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement entered into on July 19, 2018, by Resolution 2018-126, had a term of five (5) years, expiring July 27, 2023, which does not have an additional renewal term; and

WHEREAS, a new Agreement was requested by the Township and provided by Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, which is attached here to and made a part of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the new Agreement will commence on July 27, 2023, and unless terminated sooner, will expire in five (5) years, or on July 27, 2028; and

WHEREAS, the rate to treat and dispose of the municipal sludge at the Passaic Valley Sewage Commission Wastewater Treatment Facility located in Newark, New Jersey, will be \$43.00 per 1,000 gallons of discharged waste; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Chatham wishes to enter into this Agreement for another five (5) year term.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, County of Morris, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute said Agreement with the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission for another five (5) year term, or until July 27, 2028.
2. A copy of said Agreement shall be available for public inspection in the Office of the Township Clerk.
3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted: April 25, 2023

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS

Attest:

By Ashley Felice, Mayor

Gregory J. LaConte, Clerk

CERTIFICATION OF THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I hereby certify that as of April 25, 2023, sufficient funds are or will be available upon adoption of the budget for year 2023 to carry out the purpose of this Resolution.

Debra A. King Chief Financial Officer