

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

RESOLUTION No. 2022-057

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

OBSERVING IRISH-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

WHEREAS, Verona's Irish American community has contributed greatly to the public safety, cultural fabric and demographic landscape of this diverse city since its earliest days; and

WHEREAS, Irish men and women began migrating to the United States since the founding of our nation, and today there more than 30.4 million Americans of Irish descent in the country; and

WHEREAS, Irish Americans make up the second largest ethnic groups in the country and the United States has been benefited greatly by residents of Irish descent; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Verona is home to a proud and vibrant Irish American community that has undoubtedly impacted business and government, our public safety, education, culture and industry, and social service; and

WHEREAS, March has been designated Irish American Heritage Month to celebrate the cultural heritage, achievements, and contributions Irish-Americans have made in the Township of Verona and across the country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Verona do hereby resolve that March 2022 be recognized as Irish American Heritage Month in the Township of Verona and encourage all residents to join in celebrating the many contributions of Irish-Americans. Furthermore, the Township of Verona recognizes Irish American Heritage Month by flying the Flag of Ireland in the Verona Civic Center for the month of March.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Holland, Tamburro, McEvoy, McGrath, Roman

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 THE REGULAR MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 28, 2022.


JENNIFER KIERNAN
MUNICIPAL CLERK

