

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

RESOLUTION No. 2023-020

A motion was made by Councilwoman Holland; seconded by Councilman Tamburro that the following resolution be adopted:

APPOINTMENT OF CLEAN COMMUNITIES COORDINATOR

WHEREAS, New Jersey Clean Communities is a statewide, comprehensive, litter-abatement program created by the passage of the Clean Communities Act in 1986; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides a funding source for the program by placing a tax on fifteen categories of businesses that may produce litter-generating products; and

WHEREAS, The Clean Communities Program Fund generates about \$ 20 million each year, 80% of which is disbursed to participating New Jersey municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Clean Communities Council, Inc. is a 501c3 nonprofit that works closely with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and the New Jersey Department of Treasury to administer the Clean Communities program

WHEREAS, as part of the Township of Verona's participation in the Clean Communities Program, the Township is eligible to receive grants awarded by the Program; and

WHEREAS, in order to participate in the Clean Communities Program, the Township must designate a Clean Communities Coordinator for a one-year term; and

WHEREAS, Township Director of Administration & Economic Development Steven J. Neale possesses the requisite knowledge, skills and aptitude to serve as the Township of Verona's Clean Communities Coordinator.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Verona that Steven J. Neale is hereby appointed as the Clean Communities Coordinator for Township of Verona's effective January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023.

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 JANUARY 23, 2023.


JENNIFER KIERNAN
MUNICIPAL CLERK

