

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

RESOLUTION No. 2023-044

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

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL HOUSING LIAISON

WHEREAS, on May 31, 2018 the Superior Court ("Court") held a fairness hearing and approved the Settlement Agreement between the Township of Verona ("Township") and Fair Share Housing Center ("FSHC"), which included the Township's Third Round fair share obligation and preliminary compliance measures; and

WHEREAS, the Township will be filing with the Court a Housing Element and Fair Share Plan in order to secure a Judgment of Compliance and Repose approving said Plan to protect the Township from any Mount Laurel lawsuits; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 5:93-1 et seq.* and *N.J.A.C. 5:80-26.1, et seq.*, the Township of Verona is required to appoint a Municipal Housing Liaison for the administration of Verona's Affordable Housing Program to enforce the requirements of *N.J.A.C. 5:93-1 et seq.* and *N.J.A.C. 5:80-26.1, et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, Article XIX, Section 19.2, entitled "Establishment of Municipal Housing Liaison", of Chapter 150 of the Township's Code, provides for the appointment of a Municipal Housing Liaison to administer the Township of Verona's Affordable Housing Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Verona, County of Essex, State of New Jersey, that Joseph O. D'Arco, Township Manager is hereby appointed by as the Municipal Housing Liaison for the administration of the Affordable Housing Program, pursuant to and in accordance with Chapter 150, Article XIX of Verona's Municipal Code.

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 27, 2023.


JENNIFER KIERNAN, RMC
MUNICIPAL CLERK

