

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

RESOLUTION No. 2020-129

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

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING INCLUSION IN THE ESSEX COUNTY
URBAN COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR
PROGRAM YEARS 2021-2023**

WHEREAS, certain Federal funds are potentially available to the County of Essex under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended and HOME Investment Partnership Act of 1990, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Verona desires to participate in the Essex County Urban County for conducting certain community development activities for Program Years 2021-2023; and

WHEREAS, the Grantee or a unit of general local government that directly or indirectly receives CDBG funds may not sell, trade, or otherwise transfer all or any such portion of such funds to another metropolitan city, urban county, unit of general local government, or Indian tribe, or insular area that directly or indirectly receives CDBG funds in exchange for any other funds, credits or non-Federal considerations, but must use such funds for activities eligible under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the current Interlocal Services Agreement contains an automatic renewal clause to expedite the notification of the inclusion process; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Township of Verona and its residents to participate in said programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Verona, in the County of Essex, New Jersey that it hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute the attached Cooperation Agreement and notifies the Essex County Division of Community Development of its decision to be included as a participant municipality in the Urban County entitlement programs being the Community Development Block Grant Program and Home Investment Partnership Act Program for the Program Years 2021, 2022 and 2023.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, a copy to this resolution be forwarded to the Essex County Division of Housing Community Development.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: McGrath, Giblin, Ryan, Roman, McEvoy

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 JULY 13, 2020.


JENNIFER KIERNAN
MUNICIPAL CLERK

