

**TOWNSHIP OF VERONA
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT**

**PUBLIC HEARING ON THE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FOR THE NJ
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS FY2026 RESILIENT COMMUNITIES
GRANT PROGRAM**

PUBLIC NOTICE: that the Township of Verona will hold a Public Hearing on submitting the following application to the 2026 funding round of the NJ Department of Community Affairs Resilient Communities Grant Program:

- **Project Name:** Verona Township Sanitary Sewer Improvement Project
- **Brief Description:** The Township of Verona proposes to use existing smoke testing and sanitary sewer studies to replace sewer lines Derwent Ave, Brookside Terrace, Fairview Ave, Verona Highschool, Douglas Place, Hamilton Road, Birdseye Glen, Montrose Ave, Cumberland Ave, Edgemere Road, Floyd Terrace, Fellswood Drive, Oakridge Road, Morningside Road, Hillside Ave, Lakeview Place, Sunset Ave, Brookdale Ave, and Claremont Ave to decrease the volume of total flow during storm events, thereby reducing or eliminating future peak flows.
- **Funding Source:** Funding is being requested through the NJ Department of Community Affairs Resilient Communities Program, which is funded through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) Program.
- **Funding Requested:** \$3,237,000

The public hearing will be held on September 14, 2026, at 7:00 p.m. at 600 Bloomfield Avenue, Verona, New Jersey. The hearing will provide residents with an opportunity to learn about the proposed project and provide comments regarding the application.

Written comments regarding the proposed application may also be submitted through September 28th to Kevin O'Sullivan, Township Manager, to be contacted at kosullivan@veronanj.org or 600 Bloomfield Ave, Verona, NJ 07044. A copy of the proposed application may also be obtained by contacting Kevin O'Sullivan at kosullivan@veronanj.org or 973-857-4767.

Formal action may be taken.

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