

RESOLUTION RE: AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL SALARY PAYMENT TO QUALIFIED EMPLOYEES FOR SERVICE DURING THE COVID PANDEMIC

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy issued Executive Order 103 declaring the world-wide Covid-19 pandemic to be a Public Health Emergency in the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, despite the closing of many businesses and the shifting of other businesses to remote work, public workers performing duties essential to the health, safety, and wellbeing of the public, continued to report for duty regardless of the potential threat to their health and that of their families; and

WHEREAS, the employees of the Wanaque Valley Regional Sewerage Authority were among those whose dedication to public service outweighed their own personal risk during this unprecedented global crisis; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of their service during this difficult period of time, the Board of Commissioners of the Wanaque Valley Regional Sewerage Authority wish to express their sincerest thanks by authorizing a \$500 supplemental salary payment for qualifying employees that served during the Covid-19 crisis: and.

WHEREAS, a qualified employee as referenced above shall be defined as one who was employed by the WVRSA during 2020 and who remains an employee of the WVRSA through the date of this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the WVRSA Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes a supplemental salary payment of \$500 in fiscal year 2021 to the dedicated employees of the WVRSA, meeting the qualifications set forth above, for their selfless service during the Covid-19 pandemic.

Adopted this 28th day of July 2021
and certified to be a true copy of the original

Elizabeth Parrinello
Elizabeth Parrinello, Recording Secretary

Commissioner	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Allen			X			
Conlon						X
Gerst			X			
Levine	X		X			
Taukus		X	X			
Covelli			X			