

**RESOLUTION RE: AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH CIVITAS NEW JERSEY IN COMPLIANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20 ET SEQ. (N.J. PAY TO PLAY LAW) FOR ADMINISTRATIVE CONSULTING SERVICES**

**WHEREAS**, the Wanaque Valley Regional Sewerage Authority (WVRSA) has a need to acquire various goods and services as non-fair and open contracts in compliance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq.; and

**WHEREAS**, the WVRSA is in need of administrative consulting services; and

**WHEREAS**, the WVRSA desires to enter into a contractual relationship with Civitas New Jersey for the provision of administrative consulting services; and

**WHEREAS**, the total value of Interim administrative consulting services for the period March 1, 2022 through February 28, 2023 is expected to exceed \$17,500; and

**WHEREAS**, Civitas New Jersey LLC has executed a certification that attests that the business entity has not made a contribution that would bar them from receiving payments in excess of \$17,500, and the business entity will report to the Election Law Enforcement Commission any contribution that would violate N.J.S.A. 19:44-20.4 et seq. (New Jersey Pay to Play Law).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Commissioners of the WVRSA does hereby approve an agreement with the Civitas New Jersey, attached to and made part of this Resolution, for administrative consulting services for the period March 1, 2022 through February 28, 2023; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Business Disclosure Entity Certification and the Determination of Value be placed on file with this Resolution; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the cost for administrative consulting services for the period described above shall not exceed \$35,000 without further authorization by the Board of Commissioners; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that Executive Secretary shall advertise notice of this non-fair and open appointment in accordance with applicable law.

Adopted this 23d day of February 2022  
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		X			
Gerst			X			
Levine			X			
Taukus		X	X			
Covelli			X			