

**BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE**  
**RESOLUTION #26-234**

**Confirm Emergency Purchase – Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repair**

WHEREAS, an emergency condition existed on the stormwater drainage system along Oak Avenue between Jefferson Avenue and Adams Avenue, which if not addressed immediately would have led to further settlement of a sinkhole and collapse of the 36-inch corrugated metal pipe storm sewer; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Engineer determined that this situation was an emergency affecting the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Borough was required to contract with an outside vendor to perform the repair; and

WHEREAS, Matina & Son, Inc. has responded to the emergency for a total contract price of \$57,863.60; and

WHEREAS, the NJSA 40A:11-6 allows for the award of contracts when an emergency affecting the public health, safety, or welfare requires the immediate delivery of goods or the performance of services.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of River Edge hereby confirm that the Borough Engineer was authorized to contract with Matina & Son, Inc. of 146 English Street in Hackensack, NJ 07601 for the emergency repair of the stormwater drainage system along Oak Avenue between Jefferson Avenue and Adams Avenue in the amount of \$57,863.60 as an emergency purchase as per NJSA 40A:11-6.

September 10, 2026

|                  | Motion | Second | Yes | No | Abstain | Absent |
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| Kinsella         |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Montisano-Koen   |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Malellari        |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Glass            |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Dhariwal         |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Feffer           |        |        |     |    |         |        |
| Mayor<br>Papaleo |        |        |     |    |         |        |

I hereby certify that this resolution, consisting of 1 page(s), was adopted at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of River Edge, held on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2026.

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Lisette Aportela, Borough Administrator