

BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE
RESOLUTION #26-259

Emergency Appropriation for the
Boroughwide Camera and License Plate Reader Project
N.J.S.A. 40A:4-48 | Within the 3% limitation

WHEREAS, increased incidents of criminal activity within the Borough have heightened the need for a boroughwide surveillance camera and automatic license plate reader system to support law enforcement efforts and protect the safety and welfare of residents; and

WHEREAS, no adequate provision was made in the 2026 budget for the aforesaid purpose, and N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46 provides for an emergency appropriation for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of emergency appropriations created during 2026, including this \$150,000 appropriation, is \$150,000, and three percent (3%) of the total current and utility operating appropriations in the adopted 2026 budget is \$607,393.97; and

WHEREAS, this appropriation, together with all prior emergency appropriations during 2026, does not exceed that three percent (3%) limitation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of River Edge, not less than two-thirds of the full membership affirmatively concurring, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-48, as follows:

1. An emergency appropriation of \$150,000 is hereby made for Police — Other Expenses — Townwide Camera and Automatic License Plate Reader Project, for equipment, installation and related one-time project costs.
2. The emergency appropriation shall be provided for in full as a deferred charge in the 2027 budget pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-47. Exclusion from the appropriation CAP is requested pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3(c)(1), subject to the applicable limitations and approval of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.
3. Two certified copies of this resolution, together with the required Chief Financial Officer statement, shall be filed forthwith with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

September 24, 2026

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

I hereby certify that this resolution, consisting of 2 page(s), was adopted at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of River Edge, held on this 24th day of September, 2026

Anne Dodd, Borough Clerk