



BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE NEW JERSEY



Resolution No: 53-2020

Date of Adoption: February 12, 2020

TITLE:

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING PARTICIPATION IN THE SUSTAINABLE JERSEY MUNICIPAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, a sustainable community seeks to optimize quality of life for its residents by ensuring that its environmental, economic and social objectives are balanced and mutually supportive; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Riverdale strives to save tax dollars, assure clean land, air and water, improve working and living environments as steps to building a sustainable community that will thrive well into the new century; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Riverdale hereby acknowledges that the residents of Riverdale desire a stable, sustainable future for themselves and future generations; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Riverdale wishes to support a model of government which benefits our residents now and far into the future by exploring and adopting sustainable, economically-sound, local government practices; and

WHEREAS, by endorsing a sustainable path the Borough of Riverdale is pledging to educate itself and community members further about sustainable activities and to develop initiatives supporting sustainable local government practices; and

WHEREAS, as elected representatives of the Borough of Riverdale, we have a significant responsibility to provide leadership which will seek community-based sustainable solutions to strengthen our community:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that to focus attention and effort within the Borough of Riverdale on matters of sustainability, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverdale wish to pursue local initiatives and actions that will lead to Sustainable Jersey Municipal Certification.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverdale that we do hereby authorize Michael Carelli to serve as the Borough of Riverdale's agent for the Sustainable Jersey Municipal Certification process and authorize the him to complete the Municipal Registration on behalf the Borough of Riverdale.

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE

Motion – by Councilman: Kheyfets Second - by Councilman: Oswald

COUNCILMAN Yes No Absent Abstain COUNCILMAN Yes No Absent Abstain

Pellegrini	✓				Oswald	✓			
Revis	✓				Purcell			✓	
Desai			✓		Kheyfets	✓			

A.J. Jalloh, Borough Clerk

Paul M. Carelli, Mayor