EXPLANATION: This Ordinance amends the compensation for members of the Raritan Township Municipal Utilities Authority.

TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN COUNTY OF HUNTERDON, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE No. 24-3

An Ordinance of the Township of Raritan, County of Hunterdon, State of New Jersey, Amending Chapter 159 Entitled "Utilities Authority" of *The Code of the Township of Raritan* to Amend the Compensation of Municipal Utilities Authority Members.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Raritan, in the

County of Hunterdon and State of New Jersey, as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> Section 159-3 entitled "Composition; compensation" of Chapter 159 entitled "Utilities Authority" of *The Code of the Township of Raritan* is hereby supplemented and amended to read as follows: [New language <u>bold and underlined</u> and deleted language <u>double</u> strikethrough.]

Chapter 159. Utilities Authority

§159-3. Composition; compensation.

- A. The Municipal Utilities Authority shall consist of five members, who shall be appointed by resolution of the Township Committee in the manner provided by law. Individuals serving as Township Committee members may be allowed to serve as members of the Municipal Utilities Authority.
- B. Each member of the Municipal Utilities Authority shall receive compensation for their services up to the maximum amount of **\$1,800.00 \$1,400** for a full year of service on such Authority. The Municipal Utilities Authority, by resolution adopted by a majority of the fully authorized membership, shall set the amount of compensation to be paid to each regular member of the Authority and to the Chair, but in such amount not greater than as authorized hereunder.

<u>Section 2</u>. If any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid in any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance and they shall

remain in full force and effect, except so far as the section or provision so declared invalid shall be inseparable from the remainder or any portion thereof.

Section 3. In the event of any inconsistencies between the provisions of this Ordinance and any prior ordinance of the Township of Raritan, the provisions hereof shall be determined to govern, and the inconsistencies of the prior ordinance are hereby repealed. All other parts, portions and provisions of the Ordinances of the Township of Raritan are hereby ratified and confirmed, except where inconsistent with the terms hereof.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon: (i) adoption; and (ii) publication in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.

Date Adopted: March 5, 2024

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN

Donna Kukla, Township Clerk

Mayor Scott Sipos

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the attached Ordinance was adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Raritan, County of Hunterdon, State of New Jersey on second reading at their meeting held in the Meeting Room of the Municipal Complex, One Municipal Drive, Flemington, NJ 08822 on March 5, 2024..

Donna Kukla, RMC Township Clerk