

COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS
BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION
RESOLUTION NO. 2026-231

TITLE: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS TO ENTER INTO A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY OF BERGEN FOR ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES FOR 2027-2030

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., known as the “Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act,” authorizes local units to enter into agreements for the provision of shared services as they provide municipalities with an opportunity to efficiently provide required governmental services while achieving economies of scale; and

WHEREAS, the County of Bergen, through the Bergen County Department of Health Services, offers public health services including Animal Control to participating municipalities pursuant to a Shared Services Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Englewood Cliffs desires to continue utilizing the County of Bergen for **Animal Control Services**, which include animal control officer response, stray animal housing and care, rabies control, animal bite response, wildlife rescue, and other related services; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has elected **Option 2 – Animal Control Services** and the **four (4) year term**, commencing January 1, 2027 and ending December 31, 2030; and

WHEREAS, based upon the Borough’s 2020 Census population of 5,342 and the applicable four-year fee schedule, the cost of Animal Control Services shall be **\$10,523.74 for 2027, \$10,684.00 for 2028, \$10,897.68 for 2029, and \$11,057.94 for 2030**, for a total four-year amount of **\$43,163.36**;

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds in the following line-item appropriation: Board of Health OE: 6-01-27-330-200;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Englewood Cliffs, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, that the Shared Services Agreement with the County of Bergen for Animal Control Services for the period of January 1, 2027 through December 31, 2030, in a total amount of **\$43,163.36**, is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and/or appropriate Borough officials are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement and any documents necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Resolution.

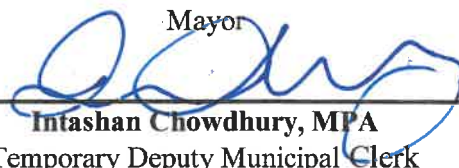
CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this resolution, consisting of 1 page(s), was adopted at the Regular Meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Englewood Cliffs, held on this 9th day of September 2026.

	Moved	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Biegacz		✓	✓			
Liang			✓			
Patel			✓			
Kapsaskis	✓		✓			
Lee			✓			
Koutroubas			✓			
Mayor Park						



Mark Park
Mayor



Intashan Chowdhury, MPA
Temporary Deputy Municipal Clerk