



**BOROUGH OF EDGEWATER  
RESOLUTION**

<b>COUNCILPERSON</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
GUTIERREZ				
LAWLOR				
MONTE				
VIDAL				
MARTIN				
BARTOLOMEO				
MAYOR				

DATE: January 5, 2026  
RESOLUTION No. 2026-001  
INTRODUCED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
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SECOND BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AWARD: BOROUGH ATTORNEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Edgewater has a need to acquire the Professional Services for Borough Attorney as a fair and open contract pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et seq., and

**WHEREAS**, the Qualified Purchasing Agent has determined and certified in writing that the value of the services will exceed \$17,500; and

**WHEREAS**, the anticipated term of this contract is one year beginning in January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026.

**WHEREAS**, upon review by the RFQ Committee, the award by the Governing Body is based on price, experience, knowledge of community, knowledge of land use, availability and accessibility, and demonstrates knowledge of municipal law; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council that the Mayor and Borough Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to engage the services of:

Robert Travers, Esq.  
8 Somerset Lane  
Edgewater, NJ 07020

as the Borough Attorney for the Year 2026 at a retainer fee of \$80,000.00 which shall be paid by monthly voucher and an hourly rate not to exceed \$150.00 per hour plus disbursements incident thereto for all legal services outside of the services covered by the retainer, and

**WHEREAS** I, Joseph Iannaconi Jr., Chief Financial Officer, do hereby certify that funding is available for the Professional Services of Borough Attorney under line item 20-1551 Legal:

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Joseph Iannaconi, Jr., CFO

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Mayor and Council on January 5, 2026.

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Michael McPartland  
Mayor

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Stephanie Evans, RMC  
Borough Clerk