



**BOROUGH OF EDGEWATER
RESOLUTION**

COUNCILPERSON	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
GUTIERREZ				
LAWLOR				
MONTE				
VIDAL				
MARTIN				
BARTOLOMEO				
MAYOR				

DATE: January 05, 2026

RESOLUTION No. 2026-006

INTRODUCED BY: _____

SECOND BY: _____

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AWARD: PUBLIC DEFENDER

WHEREAS the Borough of Edgewater has a need to acquire the Professional Services for a Borough Public Defender, and

WHEREAS the Qualified Purchasing Agent has determined and certified in writing that the value of the services will exceed \$17,500.00 and therefore can be awarded in accordance with the Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40:11-1 et seq; and

WHEREAS the anticipated term of this contract is one year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026; 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 C. Metzdorf
244 Grand Avenue
Englewood, NJ 07631

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the compensation for said appointment is established in the yearly salary guide.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the chief financial officer has certified that funds are available for this purpose and charged to the current budget salary and wage budget.

Joseph Iannaconi, Jr., CFO

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

Michael J. McPartland
Mayor

Stephanie Evans, RMC
Borough Clerk