



**BOROUGH OF EDGEWATER
RESOLUTION**

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

DATE: January 05, 2026
RESOLUTION No. 2026-009
INTRODUCED BY: _____

SECOND BY: _____

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AWARD: BOROUGH LABOR ATTORNEY

WHEREAS the Borough of Edgewater has a need to acquire the Professional Services for Borough Labor 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 Raymond Wiss of Wiss & Bourgy, has submitted a proposal dated November 25, 2025 indicating they will provide the Professional Services for Borough Labor Attorney for an hourly rate of \$150.00 per hour for all legal services; and

WHEREAS upon review by the RFQ Committee, the award by the Governing Body is based on price, experience, knowledge of community, availability and accessibility, and demonstrates knowledge of municipal labor 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:

Wiss & Bourgy, PC
345 Kinderkamack Raod
Westwood, NJ 07675

As the Borough Labor Attorney for the Year 2026 at an hourly rate not to exceed \$150.00 per hour plus disbursements incidental thereto for all legal services, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said contract shall not exceed \$100,000.

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

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