## Resolution # 22-040

## CERTIFICATION OF THE 2020 AUDIT BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE ROCKAWAY VALLEY REGIONAL SEWERAGE AUTHORITY TO THE LOCAL FINANCE BOARD OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-15 requires the governing body of each local authority to cause an annual audit of its accounts to be made; and

WHEREAS, the annual audit report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 has been completed and filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-15; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17 requires the governing body of each Authority to, within 45 days of receipt of the annual audit, certify by resolution to the Local Finance Board that each member thereof has personally reviewed the annual audit report, and specifically the sections of the audit report entitled "General Comments" and "Recommendations", and has evidenced same by group affidavit the form prescribed by the Local Finance Board, and

WHEREAS, the members of the governing body have received the annual audit and those voting in favor of this resolution have personally reviewed the annual audit, and have specifically reviewed the sections of the annual audit report entitled "General Comments" and "Recommendations" in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the governing body of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority hereby certifies to the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey that each governing body member voting in favor of this resolution has personally reviewed the annual audit report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 and specifically has reviewed the sections of the audit report

entitled "General Comments" and "Recommendations", and has evidenced same by group affidavit in the form prescribed by the Local Finance Board.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Secretary of the Authority is hereby directed to promptly submit to the Local Finance Board the aforesaid group affidavit, accompanied by a certified true copy of this resolution.

This Resolution was adopted at a regular at a regular meeting of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority held on March 10, 2022.

On the motion of Commissioner Corbett

Second by Commissioner Howarth

And a Roll Call Vote as Follows:

Yeas: (8) Andes, Corbett, Farrell, Guadagno, Howarth, Isselin, Laverty, and Schorno

Nays: (0) None

Abstain: (0) None

Absent: (2) Cegelka and Zuppa

Michael Guadagno

**Board Secretary**