

**LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP  
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION 2020-26

**RESOLUTION OF THE LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE  
AUTHORIZING THE TAX COLLECTOR TO PREPARE AND MAIL  
ESTIMATED TAX BILLS IN ACCORDANCE WITH P.L. 1994 C.72**

**WHEREAS**, due to the possible late adoption of the State of New Jersey's budget, the Sussex County Board of Taxation may be unable to certify the tax rate at this time and the Lafayette Township Tax Collector may be unable to mail the 2020/2021 tax bills on a timely basis; and

**WHEREAS**, the Lafayette Township Tax Collector, in consultation with the Lafayette Township Chief Financial Officer, have computed an estimated tax levy in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.3, and both the Tax Collector and Finance Officer have signed the certification showing the tax levies for the previous year, the tax rates, and the range of permitted estimated tax levies.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Lafayette, Sussex County, New Jersey, that the Lafayette Township Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and issue estimated tax bills for the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) quarter installment of 2020. The Tax collector shall proceed and take such actions as permitted and required by P.L 1994, C.72 (N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.2 and 54:4-66.3).

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the entire estimated tax levy is set at \$9,197,932.74, and in accordance with the law, the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) quarter installment of the 2020 taxes shall not be subject to interest until the later of the 26<sup>th</sup> day after the date of mailing the tax bills, or August 10, 2020, with interest charged back to the statutory due date of August 1, 2020. The estimated tax bills shall contain a notice specifying the date which interest may begin to accrue.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Anna Rose Fedish, Clerk of the Township of Lafayette, Sussex County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Lafayette Township Committee at the meeting of May 5, 2020.

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Anna Rose Fedish, RMC  
Municipal Clerk