

**RESOLUTION #20-**

**Emergency Resolution**

**WHEREAS**, Coronavirus 2019 (“COVID-19”) is a highly contagious respiratory disease; and

**WHEREAS**, the spread of COVID-19 may result in staffing shortages and otherwise disrupt operations at the Pequannock, Lincoln Park and Fairfield Sewerage Authority (“Authority”); and

**WHEREAS**, Authority staff, governing body and professionals must take immediate action to protect the health, safety and welfare of the employees, community & facility.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it Resolved by the Pequannock, Lincoln Park and Fairfield Sewerage Authority as follows:

1. An emergency exists at the authority facilities, collection system and pump stations and invoke the emergency procurement sections of the local public contracts law at N.J.S.A 40A:11-6 as well as the Authority policy for purchasing.
2. The Executive Director is authorized to take the necessary action to procure the services, materials, equipment and supplies, execute mutual aid agreements and manage the labor force as needed to protect the health, safety and welfare of the employees, community and facilities and to file this resolution and the Executive Director’s Declaration of Emergency with the Authority Qualified Purchasing Agent.
3. The appropriate Authority officials are hereby authorized to pay all necessary and proper bills and claims which may be incurred by the Authority in the event that meetings may be cancelled.

**PEQUANNOCK, LINCOLN PARK AND  
FAIRFIELD SEWERAGE AUTHORITY**

**ATTEST:**

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Robert A. Voorman, Chairman

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David A. Runfeldt, Secretary  
Dated: April 8, 2020