

**BOROUGH OF PENNINGTON
RESOLUTION 2023 – 6.14**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF GOVERNOR’S COUNCIL ON
ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE FISCAL GRANT JULY 1, 2023 TO JUNE 30, 2024**

WHEREAS, the Governor’s Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse established the Municipal Alliances for the Prevention of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse in 1989 to educate and engage residents, local government and law enforcement officials, schools, nonprofit organizations, the faith community, parents, youth and other allies in efforts to prevent alcoholism and drug abuse in communities throughout New Jersey.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Borough of Pennington, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey recognizes that the abuse of alcohol and drugs is a serious problem in our society among persons of all ages; and therefore along with Hopewell Township and Hopewell Borough has established a Municipal Alliance Committee; and,

WHEREAS, Pennington Borough further recognizes that it is incumbent upon not only public officials but also upon the entire community to take action to prevent alcoholism and drug abuse in its community; and,

WHEREAS, Borough Council has applied for funding to the Governor’s Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse as a consortium with Hopewell Township and Hopewell Borough through the County of Mercer; and,

WHEREAS, the requested funding will be applied among the three municipalities in Hopewell Valley based on population;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough of Pennington, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Pennington Borough Council does hereby authorize the submission of a strategic plan for the Hopewell Valley Municipal Alliance grant for budget year of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024, subject to certification of available funds by the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough, in the amount of:

DEDR	\$ 9,467.00
Cash Match	\$17,800.00*
In-Kind	\$ 7,100.25

*Hopewell Township: \$14,000.00, **Pennington Borough \$1,500.00**, Hopewell Borough \$2,300.00

2. The Pennington Borough Council acknowledges the terms and conditions for administering the Municipal Alliance grant, including the administrative compliance and audit requirements.

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCILMAN	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCILMAN	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
Angarone					Marciente				
Chandler					Stern				
Gnatt					Valenza				

I, Elizabeth Sterling, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Pennington, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and exact copy of a resolution duly authorized by the Borough Council on this 5th Day of June 2023.

Elizabeth Sterling, Borough Clerk

James Davy, Mayor