

# 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET

Municipal Budget of the \_\_\_\_\_ Borough of Barnegat Light Borough, County of Ocean for the Fiscal Year 2026

It is hereby certified that the Budget and Capital Budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part hereof is a true copy of the Budget and Capital Budget approved by resolution of the Governing Body on the

8th day of April, 2026

and that public advertisement will be made in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:4-6 and N.J.A.C. 5:30-4.4(d).

Certified by me, this 9th day of April, 2026

DocuSigned by:  
Brenda L Kuhn  
0745080808240E... Clerk  
Brenda L Kuhn  
Address  
10 E 7th Street, Barnegat Light, NJ  
Address  
609-494-9196  
Phone Number

It is hereby certified that the approved Budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part is an exact copy of the original on file with the Clerk of the Governing Body, that all additions are correct, all statements contained herein are in proof, and the total of anticipated revenues equals the total of appropriations.

Certified by me, this 8th day of April, 2026

DocuSigned by:  
Brian Logan  
7317463CC485498 Registered Municipal Accountant  
Westfield, New Jersey 07090 Address  
308 East Broad Street Address  
908-789-9300 Phone Number

It is hereby certified that the approved Budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part is an exact copy of the original on file with the Clerk of the Governing Body, that all additions are correct, all statements contained herein are in proof, the total of anticipated revenues equals the total of appropriations and the budget is in full compliance with the Local Budget Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-1 et seq.

Certified by me, this 8th day of April, 2026

DocuSigned by:  
KATHLEEN FLANAGAN  
7A29BC05DA0C4F4... Chief Financial Officer

**DO NOT USE THESE SPACES**

### **CERTIFICATION OF ADOPTED BUDGET**

*(Do not advertise this Certification form)*

It is hereby certified that the amounts to be raised by taxation for local purposes has been compared with the approved Budget previously certified by me and any changes required as a condition to such approval have been made. The adopted budget is certified with respect to the foregoing only.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
Department of Community Affairs  
Director of the Division of Local Government Services

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_,

By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Annual List of Change Orders Approved  
Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11**

Contracting Unit: Barnegat Light Borough

Year Ending: December 31, 2026

The following is a complete list of all change orders which caused the originally awarded contract price to be exceeded by more than 20 percent. For regulatory details please consult N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.1 et seq. Please identify each change order by name of the project.



For each change order listed above, submit with introduced budget a copy of the governing body resolution authorizing the change order and an Affidavit of Publication for the newspaper notice required by N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.9(d). (Affidavit must include a copy of the newspaper notice.)

If you have not had a change order exceeding the 20 percent threshold for the year indicated above, please check here  and certify below.

04/09/2026  
Date

DocuSigned by:  
Brenda Kuhn  
Clerk of the Governing Body

## General Instructions to Complete the Municipal Budget Workbook

- a) This workbook shall be used for completing the **Municipal Introduced and Adopted Budgets**.
- b) It is designed to automatically calculate amounts linked from various data entry points.
- c) The individual tabs containing formulas are locked to protect the formulas.
- d) Fill in only the gray sections of the worksheet.
- e) **Begin by navigating to the "Key Inputs" tab.**  
  
 Select the Municipality and County by clicking the dropdown menu. This will populate the Municipality, County, and dates throughout the workbook. Continue to complete each of the fields in order to populate throughout the workbook. **Enter the exact number of utilities and the utility types.** Do not skip sets of utility pages.
- f) In all applicable signature lines, insert the email address of the applicable official.
- g) **The completed Budget document must be saved as a Macro-Enabled Workbook.**  
 Once approved by the Governing Body, the completed Introduced Budget must be submitted to the Division via the FAST "Introduced Budget" record portal and it must be named as: **<municode>\_introbudget\_20xx (all 4 digits municode must be included).**
- h) Once approved by the Governing Body, the completed Adopted Budget must be submitted to the Division via the FAST "Adopted Budget" record portal and it must be named as: **<municode>\_adoptbudget\_20xx (all 4 digits municode must be included).**
- i) Only the Chief Financial Officer has access to the "Submit for Review" tab within the FAST portal.
- j) If copying data from a prior workbook, copy and use **Paste Values** to preserve formatting.  
 On the Key Inputs tab, users can select "Standard" or "Expanded" for a variety of sections to reduce the number of unused pages throughout the document. The following sheets can be adjusted: Grant Revenues (9), Other Special Items of Revenue (10), General Appropriations (15), Grant Appropriations (24), and Capital Budget (40b, 40c, and 40d). **All sections are preset to "Standard" and should only be switched to "Expanded" if more pages are needed.**
- k) Please review the additional instructions "Quick Guide for completing the Municipal Budget" link below:  
[https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dlgs/pdf/Budget\\_Document\\_Instructions.pdf](https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dlgs/pdf/Budget_Document_Instructions.pdf)

### \*\*Instructions to Complete the 2025 to 2026 "Data Rollover" Process\*\*

- a) Download from FAST or have saved on your computer the 2025 adopted budget workbook.

b) On the 2026 budget, navigate to the "Key Inputs" tab.

**\*\*IMPORTANT: Macros must be enabled in excel in order for the data rollover process to run successfully.\*\***

c) On "Key Inputs", there will be two "data migration" buttons; one for current fund and one for utilities.

d) First, click the button for current fund. It will prompt you to select your 2025 adopted excel budget from your computer.

Once the 2025 adopted budget is selected, the function runs automatically. **WARNING: The functionality may cause the screen to**

e) **briefly flash rapidly.**

Once all current fund data has been copied, follow the same process for the utilities, if applicable. The utility process is the same

f) as the current fund process.

g) Once complete, review the 2026 template to ensure information has successfully copied from the 2024 adopted budget.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

If an incorrect version of the budget template was used in 2025, the budget data may not migrate properly to the 2025 budget template.

Information Required for Municipal Budget Document:	Municipal Budget Version 2026.0 Responses and Data	
Name and County of Municipality	Barnegat Light Borough, Ocean County	
Full Name of Municipality	BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT	
County of Municipality	OCEAN	
Name of Municipality	BARNEGAT LIGHT	
Type	BOROUGH	
Governing Body Type	COUNCIL MEMBERS	
Location	BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT	
Address	10 EAST 7th STREET, P.O. BOX 576	
Address	BARNEGAT LIGHT, NJ 08006	
Phone	609-494-9196	
Fax	609-494-4827	
Clerk	BRENDA L. KUHN	Cert # C-1886 Date of Original Appt. 6/14/2017
Tax Collector	BRENDA L. KUHN	T-1550
Chief Financial Officer	KATHLEEN FLANAGAN	N-0789
Registered Municipal Accountant	BRIAN K. LOGAN	488
Municipal Attorney	TERRY F. BRADY	
Website URL for Publishing	https://barnegatlight.org/public-notices/	
Date of Website Posting	9th April	4/9/2026
On-line Publication for Publishing	www.nj.gov/state/statewide-legal-notices-list.sh	5/13/2026
Date of On-line Publication Posting	9th April	
		<b>34 day(s) between publication and hearing</b>
	<b>Day</b>	<b>Month</b>
Date of Introduction	8th	April
Date of Public Hearing	13th	May
		4/8/2026
		5/13/2026
		<b>35 day(s) between intro and hearing</b>
Time of Public Hearing	4:30	
Net Valuation Taxable Current	1,085,399,900	
Net Valuation Taxable Prior	1,078,702,600	
	6,697,300	
<b>Budget Year</b>	<b>2026</b>	<b>Budget Year Type:</b> <b>Calendar Year</b> <i>Calendar or State Fiscal</i>
Municipal Code	1501	

How many utilities does municipality have?*	1	<i>*One (1) utility listed by default. Select "0" if you do not have any utilities.</i>	
Utility #	Utility Name	Utility Type	Capital Improvement Program
Utility 1	Water/Sewer	Water & Sewer	# of Years 3
Utility 2			Beginning Year 2026
Utility 3			Ending Year 2028
Utility 4			
Utility 5			
Utility 6			
Utility Assessment (Tab 37)			
Utility Assessment (Tab 38)			

Page Count - Standard or Expanded:	Start with "Standard" and move to "Expanded" only as needed.	
Grant Revenues (Sheet 9)	Standard	"Standard" will provide two (2) sheets for Grant Revenues.
Other Special Item Revenues (Sheet 10)	Standard	"Standard" will provide two (2) sheets for Other Special Items of Revenue.
General Appropriations (Sheet 15)	Standard	"Standard" will provide nine (9) sheets for General Appropriations.
Grant Appropriations (Sheet 24)	Standard	"Standard" will provide three (3) sheets for Grant Appropriations.
Capital Improvements (Sheets 40b, 40c, 40d)	Standard	"Standard" will provide three (3) sheets per section.

Hide/Unhide "Summary" Tabs:	
Summary Data, Budget Summary, Tax Summary	Unhidden

# 2026 Municipal Budget

of the                     BOROUGH                     of BARNEGAT LIGHT County of  
OCEAN for the fiscal year 2026.

## Revenue and Appropriations Summaries

Summary of Revenues	Anticipated		
	2026		2025
1. Surplus	376,455.00		443,600.00
2. Total Miscellaneous Revenues	1,241,419.25		957,143.82
3. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	36,300.00		19,361.95
4. a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	2,868,110.75		2,786,995.10
b) Addition to Local School District Tax			
c) Minimum Library Tax			
Tot Amt to be Rsd by Taxes for Sup of Muni Bnd	2,868,110.75		2,786,995.10
Total General Revenues	4,522,285.00		4,207,100.87

Summary of Appropriations	2026 Budget		Final 2025 Budget
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	1,147,000.00		1,672,737.97
Other Expenses	2,438,484.34		1,920,324.38
2. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	476,452.00		161,724.00
3. Capital Improvements	275,000.00		275,000.00
4. Debt Service (Include for School Purposes)	139,000.00		140,000.00
5. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	46,348.66		37,314.52
Total General Appropriations	4,522,285.00		4,207,100.87
Total Number of Employees	6		6

2026 Dedicated	Water/Sewer	Utility Budget		
Summary of Revenues		Anticipated		
		2026		2025
1. Surplus		461,652.00		522,994.40
2. Miscellaneous Revenues		1,385,000.00		1,275,229.60
3. Deficit (General Budget)				
Total Revenues		1,846,652.00		1,798,224.00
Summary of Appropriations		2026 Budget		Final 2025 Budget
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages		575,000.00		550,000.00
Other Expenses		845,000.00		845,000.00
2. Capital Improvements				
3. Debt Service		308,250.00		288,000.00
4. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations		118,402.00		115,224.00
5. Surplus (General Budget)				
Total Appropriations		1,846,652.00		1,798,224.00
Total Number of Employees		6		6

Balance of Outstanding Debt			
	General Capital	Utility Capital	Total
Interest	21,652.19	50,820.94	72,473.13
Principal	579,000.00	1,359,000.00	1,938,000.00
Outstanding Balance	600,652.19	1,409,820.94	2,010,473.13

Notice is hereby given that the budget and tax resolution was approved by the COUNCIL MEMBERS of the BOROUGH of BARNEGAT LIGHT, County of OCEAN on                     , 2026.

A hearing on the budget and tax resolution will be held at                      the Municipal Building, on May 13, 2026 at 4:30 o'clock PM at which time and place objections to the Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2026 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested parties.

Copies of the budget are available in the office of                      the Municipal Clerk at the Municipal Building, 10 East 7th Street, Barnegat Light New Jersey, 08006 during the hours of 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

**COMPUTATION OF APPROPRIATION:  
RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES AND  
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION  
IN 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET**

		YEAR 2026	YEAR 2025
1	Total General Appropriations for 2026 Municipal Budget Statement Item 8(L) (Exclusive of Reserve for Uncollected Taxes)	4,475,936.34	XXXXXXXXXXXX
2	Local District School Tax		600,270.00
	Actual		
	Estimate	612,275.40	XXXXXXXXXXXX
	3	Regional School District Tax	
	Actual		2,004,701.00
	Estimate	2,044,795.02	XXXXXXXXXXXX
4	Regional High School Tax		
	Actual		
	Estimate		XXXXXXXXXXXX
	5	County Tax	
Actual			
	Estimate	6,559,980.22	XXXXXXXXXXXX
	6	Special District Tax	
Actual			
	Estimate		XXXXXXXXXXXX
	7	Municipal Open Space	
Actual			
	Estimate	108,539.99	XXXXXXXXXXXX
	8	Municipal Arts and Culture	
Actual			
	Estimate		XXXXXXXXXXXX
	9	Total General Appropriations & Other Taxes	13,801,526.97
10	Less: Total Anticipated Revenues from 2026 in Municipal Budget (Item 5)	1,654,174.25	
11	Cash Required from 2026 to Support Local Municipal Budget and Other Taxes	12,147,352.72	
12	Amount of Item 11 divided by <b>99.61%</b>		
	equals Amount to be Raised by Taxation (Percentage used must not exceed the applicable percentage shown by Item 13, AFS Sheet 22)	12,193,701.38	
<u>Analysis of Item 12:</u>			
	Local School District Tax (Line 2 Above)	612,275.40	
	Regional School District Tax (Line 3 Above)	2,044,795.02	
	Regional High School Tax (Line 4 Above)	-	
	County Tax (Line 5 Above)	6,559,980.22	
	Special District Tax (Line 6 Above)	-	
	Municipal Open Space Tax (Line 7 Above)	108,539.99	
	Municipal Arts and Culture Tax (Line 8 Above)	-	
	Tax in Local Municipal Budget	2,868,110.75	
	Total Amount (Line 12)	12,193,701.38	
13	Appropriation: Reserve for Uncollected Taxes (Budget Statement, Item 8(M) (Item 12, Less Item 11)	46,348.66	
<u>Computation of "Tax in Local Municipal Budget"</u>			
	Item 1 - Total General Appropriations	4,475,936.34	
	Item 13 - Appropriation: Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	46,348.66	
	Subtotal	4,522,285.00	
	Less: Item 10 - Total Anticipated Revenues	1,654,174.25	
	Amount to Be Raised by Taxation in Municipal Budget	2,868,110.75	

<b>Local Tax for Municipal Purpose</b>	2,868,110.75
<b>Addition to Local District School Tax</b>	
<b>Minimum Library Tax</b>	

# BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

## SUMMARY OF 2026 BUDGET

Total Budget	4,522,285.00	100.0%	Future Budget Projections					
			2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	
<b>Employee Costs:</b>								
Salaries & Wages								
Sheet 17	1,147,000.00		<b>102.00%</b>	1,169,940.00	1,193,338.80	1,217,205.58	1,241,549.69	1,266,380.68
Sheet 25	-		<b>102.00%</b>	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,147,000.00			1,169,940.00	1,193,338.80	1,217,205.58	1,241,549.69	1,266,380.68
Social Security								
Sheet 19	85,000.00		<b>102.00%</b>	86,700.00	88,434.00	90,202.68	92,006.73	93,846.87
Pensions etc.								
Sheet 19	67,902.00		<b>102.00%</b>	69,260.04	70,645.24	72,058.15	73,499.31	74,969.29
Sheet 19	-		<b>105.00%</b>	-	-	-	-	-
Sheet 20	-							
Insurance								
Sheet 14	8,000.00		<b>106.00%</b>	8,480.00	8,988.80	9,528.13	10,099.82	10,705.80
Direct Employee Costs	<b>1,307,902.00</b>	<b>28.9%</b>						
<b>General Liability Insurance</b>								
Sheet 14	3,000.00	0.1%						
<b>Debt Service:</b>								
Sheet 27	139,000.00	3.1%						
<b>Reserve for Uncollected Taxes:</b>								
Sheet 29	46,348.66	1.0%						
<b>Capital Funds:</b>								
Sheet 26a	275,000.00	6.1%						
<b>Deferred Charges:</b>								
Sheet 28	313,050.00	6.9%						
<b>Grants:</b>								
Sheet 25 (less Salaries & Wages above)	11,454.67	0.3%						
<b>All Other Departmental OE's:</b>								
Various Line Items	2,426,529.67	53.7%	<b>102.00%</b>	2,475,060.26	2,524,561.47	2,575,052.70	2,626,553.75	2,679,084.83
<b>Projected Budget Totals</b>				3,809,440.30	3,885,968.31	3,964,047.23	4,043,709.30	4,124,987.48

## BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT 2026 BUDGET FUNDING

Budget Funding:	
Fund Balance	376,455.00
Local Revenues	1,144,245.00
State Aid	85,719.58
Grants	11,454.67
Delinquent Tax	36,300.00
Local Purpose Tax	<u>2,868,110.75</u>
	<u>4,522,285.00</u>
Ratables	1,085,399,900
Tax Rate	0.264
Increase	0.005

Project Tax Results				
2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
	25,000.00	50,000.00	75,000.00	100,000.00
	150,000.00	300,000.00	450,000.00	600,000.00
<u>3,809,440.30</u>	<u>3,710,968.31</u>	<u>3,614,047.23</u>	<u>3,518,709.30</u>	<u>3,424,987.48</u>
<u>3,809,440.30</u>	<u>3,885,968.31</u>	<u>3,964,047.23</u>	<u>4,043,709.30</u>	<u>4,124,987.48</u>
1,093,399,900	1,101,399,900	1,109,399,900	1,117,399,900	1,125,399,900
<b>0.348</b>	<b>0.337</b>	<b>0.326</b>	<b>0.315</b>	<b>0.304</b>
<b>0.084</b>	<b>(0.011)</b>	<b>(0.011)</b>	<b>(0.011)</b>	<b>(0.011)</b>

### COMPARISON OF REVENUES & APPROPRIATIONS

	BUDGET YEAR	PRIOR YEAR	CHANGE	%
<b>REVENUES</b>				
Surplus	376,455.00	443,600.00	(67,145.00)	-15.14%
Local	1,144,245.00	759,000.00	385,245.00	50.76%
State Aid	85,719.58	85,719.58	-	0.00%
State & Federal Grants	11,454.67	112,424.24	(100,969.57)	-89.81%
Delinquent Tax	36,300.00	19,361.95	16,938.05	87.48%
Local Purpose Tax	2,868,110.75	2,786,995.10	81,115.65	2.91%
Minimum Library Tax	-	-	-	#DIV/0!
School Tax (Debt Service)	-	-	-	#DIV/0!
Arts and Cultural Tax	-	-	-	#DIV/0!
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>4,522,285.00</b>	<b>4,207,100.87</b>	<b>315,184.13</b>	<b>7.49%</b>
<b>APPROPRIATIONS</b>				
Salaries & Wages	1,147,000.00	1,672,737.97	(525,737.97)	-31.43%
Other Expenses	2,427,029.67	1,807,900.14	619,129.53	34.25%
Statutory & Deferred Charges	476,452.00	161,724.00	314,728.00	194.61%
State & Federal Grants	11,454.67	112,424.24	(100,969.57)	-89.81%
Capital (without grants)	275,000.00	275,000.00	-	0.00%
Debt Service	139,000.00	140,000.00	(1,000.00)	-0.71%
School Debt Service	-	-	-	#DIV/0!
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	46,348.66	37,314.52	9,034.14	24.21%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>4,522,285.00</b>	<b>4,207,100.87</b>	<b>315,184.13</b>	<b>0.074917</b>
Adopted Emergencies				

### LOCAL TAX LEVY AND ASSESSED VALUES

	BUDGET YEAR	PRIOR YEAR	CHANGE	%
Local Purpose Tax Levy (only)	2,868,110.75	2,786,995.10	81,115.65	2.91%
Local Tax Rate	0.2642	0.2590	0.0052	2.02%
Assessed Valuation	1,085,399,900	1,078,702,600	6,697,300	0.62%

### STATUS OF "CAPS"

	SPENDING CAP		2% LEVY CAP	
	CAP 2.00%	CAP COLA	3,217,265.23 MAX	2,868,110.75 ACTUAL
CAP Base from Prior Year	2,738,174.00	2,738,174.00	(349,154.48)	+ OR ( )
Rate Applied	2.00%	3.50%		
Allowable CAP	2,792,937.48	2,834,010.09		Must be zero or ( ) to Introduce Budget
Additions:				
See Sheet 3b	68,222.09	68,222.09		
Other				
Total CAP Allowable	2,861,159.57	2,902,232.18		
Budget Expenditures Sheet 19	2,742,802.00	2,742,802.00		
Remaining or (Excess)	118,357.57	159,430.18		

### CONDITION OF SURPLUS

	BUDGET YEAR	PRIOR YEAR	CHANGE
Available	2,046,190.74	1,836,629.24	209,561.50
Used to Fund Budget	376,455.00	443,600.00	(67,145.00)
Remaining Balance	1,669,735.74	1,393,029.24	276,706.50

### % OF TAX COLLECTION

	CURRENT	PRIOR	CHANGE
Actual Percentage of Collection			0.00%
Used for Reserve for Taxes	99.61%		99.61%
Remaining	-99.61%	0.00%	-99.61%



# 2026 MUNICIPAL DATA SHEET

(MUST ACCOMPANY 2026 BUDGET)

**CAP**

**MUNICIPALITY:** BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

**COUNTY:** OCEAN

<u>ED WELLINGTON</u> Mayor's Name	<u>12/31/2026</u> Term Expires
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Municipal Officials	
<u>BRENDA L. KUHN</u> Municipal Clerk	6/14/2017 Date of Orig. Appt.
<u>BRENDA L. KUHN</u> Tax Collector	C-1886 Cert. No.
<u>KATHLEEN FLANAGAN</u> Chief Financial Officer	T-1550 Cert. No.
<u>BRIAN K. LOGAN</u> Registered Municipal Accountant	N-0789 Cert. No.
<u>TERRY F. BRADY</u> Municipal Attorney	488 Lic. No.
_____ _____	

**Official Mailing Address of Municipality**

BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT  
10 EAST 7th STREET, P.O. BOX 576  
BARNEGAT LIGHT, NJ 08006

**Fax #:** 609-494-4827

Governing Body Members	
Name	Term Expires
<u>MICHAEL W. SPARK</u>	<u>12/31/2027</u>
<u>MARY ELLEN FOLEY</u>	<u>12/31/2026</u>
<u>JAMES GUTOWSKI</u>	<u>12/31/2028</u>
<u>BARRY MESCOLOTTO</u>	<u>12/31/2028</u>
<u>DOROTHY REYNOLDS</u>	<u>12/31/2026</u>
<u>JOE SABURN</u>	<u>12/31/2026</u>

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                    Westfield, New Jersey 07090                                         (908) 789-9300                      
Address Phone Number

It is hereby certified that the approved Budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part is an exact copy of the original on file with the Clerk of the Governing Body, that all additions are correct, all statements contained herein are in proof, the total of anticipated revenues equals the total of appropriations and the budget is in full compliance with the Local Budget Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-1 et seq.

Certified by me, this           8th           day of                     April                    , 2026

                    cfo@barnegatlight.org                      
Chief Financial Officer

**DO NOT USE THESE SPACES**

## CERTIFICATION OF ADOPTED BUDGET

*(Do not advertise this Certification form)*

It is hereby certified that the amounts to be raised by taxation for local purposes has been compared with the approved Budget previously certified by me and any changes required as a condition to such approval have been made. The adopted budget is certified with respect to the foregoing only.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
Department of Community Affairs  
Director of the Division of Local Government Services

Dated:                     , 2026

By:

# MUNICIPAL BUDGET NOTICE

## Section 1.

Municipal Budget of the           BOROUGH           of           BARNEGAT LIGHT          , County of           OCEAN           for the Fiscal Year 2026

Be it Resolved, that the following statements of revenues and appropriations shall constitute the Municipal Budget for the year 2026;

Be it Further Resolved, that said Budget be published on the official website           <https://barnegatlight.org/public-notices/>           on           April 9th          , 2026;

Also, if applicable, it will be advertised in the following on-line publication of           [www.nj.gov/state/statewide-legal-notices-list.shtm](http://www.nj.gov/state/statewide-legal-notices-list.shtm)           on           April 9th          , 2026.

The Governing Body of the           BOROUGH           of           BARNEGAT LIGHT           does hereby approve the following as the Budget for the year 2026:

**RECORDED VOTE**  
(Insert Last Name)

**Ayes**

SPARK  
REYNOLDS  
FOLEY  
GUTOWSKI  
SABURN  
MESCOLOTTO

**Nays**

[Empty box for Nays]

**Abstained**

[Empty box for Abstained]

**Absent**

[Empty box for Absent]

Notice is hereby given that the Budget and Tax Resolution was approved by the           COUNCIL MEMBERS           of the           BOROUGH           of           BARNEGAT LIGHT          , County of           OCEAN          , on           April 8th          , 2026.

A Hearing on the Budget and Tax Resolution will be held at           BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT          , on           May 13th          , 2026 at           4:30           o'clock           P.M.           at which time and place objections to said Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2026 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested persons.



## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

### SUMMARY OF CURRENT FUND SECTION OF APPROVED BUDGET

	YEAR 2026
<b>General Appropriations For: (Reference to item and sheet number should be omitted in advertised budget)</b>	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>1. Appropriations within "CAPS" -</b>	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>(a) Municipal Purposes {(Item H-1, Sheet 19)(N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.2)}</b>	2,742,802.00
<b>2. Appropriations excluded from "CAPS" -</b>	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>(a) Municipal Purposes {(Item H-2, Sheet 28)(N.J.S.A. 40A:4-53.3 as amended)}</b>	1,733,134.34
<b>(b) Local District School Purposes in Municipal Budget (Item K, Sheet 29)</b>	-
<b>Total General Appropriations excluded from "CAPS" (Item O, Sheet 29)</b>	1,733,134.34
<b>3. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes (Item M, Sheet 29) Based on Estimated</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">99.61%</span> <b>Percent of Tax Collections</b>	46,348.66
<b>4. Total General Appropriations (Item 9, Sheet 29)</b>	4,522,285.00
<b>5. Less: Anticipated Revenues Other Than Current Property Tax (Item 5, Sheet 11)</b> (i.e. Surplus, Miscellaneous Revenues and Receipts from Delinquent Taxes)	1,654,174.25
<b>6. Difference: Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget (as follows)</b>	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>(a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes Including Reserve for Uncollected Taxes (Item 6(a), Sheet 11)</b>	2,868,110.75
<b>(b) Addition to Local District School Tax (Item 6(b), Sheet 11)</b>	-
<b>(c) Minimum Library Tax</b>	-

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT - (Continued)**

**SUMMARY OF 2025 APPROPRIATIONS EXPENDED AND CANCELED**

	<b>General Budget</b>	<b>Water/Sewer Utility</b>	<b>Utility</b>	<b>Utility</b>	<b>Utility</b>	<b>Utility</b>	<b>Utility</b>
Budget Appropriations - Adopted Budget	4,207,100.87	1,798,224.00	-	-	-	-	-
Budget Appropriations Added by N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87							
Emergency Appropriations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Appropriations	4,207,100.87	1,798,224.00	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Expenditures:</u>							
Paid or Charged (Including Reserve for Uncollected Taxes)	3,774,606.51	1,588,570.17	-	-	-	-	-
Reserved	431,597.19	181,534.46	-	-	-	-	-
Unexpended Balances Canceled	897.17	28,119.37	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures and Unexpended Balances Canceled	4,207,100.87	1,798,224.00	-	-	-	-	-
Overexpenditures *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT - (Continued)

**BUDGET MESSAGE**

**CAP CALCULATION**

Total General Appropriations for 2025	4,207,100.87
Cap Base Adjustment:	
Subtotal	<u>4,207,100.87</u>
Exceptions Less:	
Total Other Operations	53,500.00
Total Uniform Construction Code	
Total Interlocal Service Agreement	850,688.11
Total Additional Appropriations	
Total Capital Improvements	275,000.00
Total Debt Service	140,000.00
Transferred to Board of Education	
Type I School Debt	
Total Public & Private Programs	112,424.24
Judgements	
Total Deferred Charges	
Cash Deficit	
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	<u>37,314.52</u>
Total Exceptions	1,468,926.87
Amount on Which CAP is Applied	2,738,174.00
2.0% CAP	<u>54,763.48</u>
Allowable Operating Appropriations before	
Additional Exceptions per (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3)	2,792,937.48

**CAP CALCULATION**

Allowable Operating Appropriations before		
Additional Exceptions per (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3)		2,792,937.48
Additions:		
New Construction (Assessor Certification)		18,647.22
2024 Cap Bank Available		8,512.61
2025 Cap Bank Available		41,062.26
Total Additions		<u>68,222.09</u>
Maximum Appropriations within "CAPS" Sheet 19 @	2.0%	<u>2,861,159.57</u>
Additional Increase to COLA rate.	3.5%	
Amount of Increase allowable.	1.5%	<u>41,072.61</u>
Maximum Appropriations within "CAPS" Sheet 19 @	3.5%	<u>2,902,232.18</u>
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes		<u>2,742,802.00</u>
<i>(Sheet 19, H-1)</i>		
Over or (Under) Appropriations Cap		<u>(159,430.18)</u>

**NOTE:**

Sheet 3b

**MANDATORY MINIMUM BUDGET MESSAGE MUST INCLUDE A SUMMARY OF:**

- 1. HOW THE "CAP" WAS CALCULATED. (Explain in words what the "CAPS" mean and show the figures.)**
- 2. A SUMMARY BY FUNCTION OF THE APPROPRIATIONS THAT ARE SPREAD AMONG MORE THAN ONE OFFICIAL LINE ITEM (e.g. if Police S & W appears in the regular section and also under "Operation Excluded from "CAPS" section, combine the figures for purposes of citizen understanding.)**

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT - (Continued)

**BUDGET MESSAGE**

**RECAP OF GROUP INSURANCE APPROPRIATION**

Following is a recap of the Municipality's Employee Group Insurance

Estimated Group Insurance Costs - 2026 \$ 426,375.00

Estimated Amounts to be Contributed by Employees:

Contribution from all eligible emp. 89,375.00

337,000.00

Budgeted Group Insurance - Inside CAP 140,400.00

Budgeted Group Insurance - Utilities 156,000.00

Budgeted Group Insurance - Outside CAP 40,600.00

TOTAL 337,000.00

Instead of receiving Health Benefits, 0 employees have elected an opt-out for 2026. This opt-out amount is budgeted separately.

Health Benefits Waiver  
Salaries and Wages \$ -

**"2010" LEVY CAP BANKS:**

<b>2023</b>	Maximum Allowable Amount to be Raised by Taxation	-
	Amount to be Raised by Taxation for Municipal Purpose Available for Banking (CY 2026)	<u>126,407</u>
	Amount Used in CY 2026	-
	Balance to Expire	<u><u>126,407</u></u>

<b>2024</b>	Maximum Allowable Amount to be Raised by Taxation	-
	Amount to be Raised by Taxation for Municipal Purpose Available for Banking (CY 2026 - CY 2027)	<u>107,716</u>
	Amount Used in CY 2026	-
	Balance to Carry Forward (CY 2027)	<u><u>107,716</u></u>

<b>2025</b>	Maximum Allowable Amount to be Raised by Taxation	<u>2,803,463</u>
	Amount to be Raised by Taxation for Municipal Purpose Available for Banking (CY 2026 - CY 2028)	<u>2,786,995</u>
	Amount Used in CY 2026	-
	Balance to Carry Forward (CY 2027 - CY2028)	<u><u>16,468</u></u>

<b>2026</b>	Maximum Allowable Amount to be Raised by Taxation	-
	Amount to be Raised by Taxation for Municipal Purpose Available for Banking (CY 2027 - CY 2029)	-

**Total Levy CAP Bank** 124,184

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT - (Continued)

BUDGET MESSAGE

**NEW JERSEY 2010 LOCAL UNIT LEVY CAP LAW**

P.L. 2007, c. 62, was amended by P.L. 2008 c. 6 and P.L. 2010 c. 44 (S-29 R1). The last amendment reduces the 4% to 2% and modifies some of the exceptions and exclusions. It also removes the LFB waiver. The voter referendum now requires a vote in excess of only 50% which is reduced from the original 60% in P.L. 2007, c. 62.

**SUMMARY LEVY CAP CALCULATION**

**LEVY CAP CALCULATION**

Prior Year Amount to be Raised by Taxation	2,786,995.10
Less:	
Less: Prior Year Deferred Charges to Future Taxation Unfunded	
Less: Prior Year Deferred Charges: Emergencies	
Less: Prior Year Recycling Tax	
Less:	
Less:	
Net Prior Year Tax Levy for Municipal Purpose Tax for CAP Calculation	<u>2,786,995.10</u>
Plus 2% CAP Increase	<u>55,739.90</u>
<b>ADJUSTED TAX LEVY</b>	<u>2,842,735.00</u>
Plus: Assumption of Service/Function	
<b>ADJUSTED TAX LEVY PRIOR TO EXCLUSIONS</b>	<u>2,842,735.00</u>

**ADJUSTED TAX LEVY PRIOR TO EXCLUSIONS**

2,842,735.00

Exclusions:

Allowable Shared Service Agreements Increase	
Allowable Health Insurance Costs Increase	43,300.00
Allowable Pension Obligations Increases	
Allowable LOSAP Increase	430.00
Allowable Capital Improvements Increase	
Allowable Debt Service and Capital Leases Inc.	
Recycling Tax appropriation	
Deferred Charge to Future Taxation Unfunded	313,050.00
Current Year Deferred Charges: Emergencies	

Add Total Exclusions 356,780.00

Less Cancelled or Unexpended Waivers

Less Cancelled or Unexpended Exclusions 897.00

**ADJUSTED TAX LEVY**

3,198,618.00

Additions:

New Ratables - Increase for new construction	7,199,700
Prior Year's Local Purpose Tax Rate (per \$100)	<u>0.259</u>
New Ratable Adjustment to Levy	18,647.22
Amounts approved by Referendum	
Levy CAP Bank Applied	

**MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION**

3,217,265.23

**AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES**

2,868,110.75

**OVER OR (UNDER) 2% LEVY CAP**

(349,154.48)

(must be equal or under for Introduction)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT - (Continued)

**BUDGET MESSAGE**

## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>1. Surplus Anticipated</b>	08-101	376,455.00	443,600.00	443,600.00
<b>2. Surplus Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services</b>	08-102			
<b>Total Surplus Anticipated</b>	08-100	376,455.00	443,600.00	443,600.00
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section A: Local Revenues</b>	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Licenses:	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Alcoholic Beverages	08-103	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,500.00
Other	08-104			
Fees and Permits	08-105	215,000.00	205,000.00	223,810.80
Fines and Costs:	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Municipal Court	08-110	7,500.00	8,000.00	7,997.50
Other	08-109			
Interest and Costs on Taxes	08-112	8,000.00	8,000.00	11,573.48
Interest and Costs on Assessments	08-115			
Parking Meters	08-111			
Interest on Investments and Deposits	08-113	50,000.00	50,000.00	74,552.41
Anticipated Utility Operating Surplus	08-114			
Beach Badge Fees	08-108	260,000.00	275,000.00	260,703.00
Post Office Rent	08-118	18,000.00	18,000.00	20,720.04
Water Tower Rental	08-118	120,000.00	120,000.00	139,488.57





## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section A: Local Revenues (continued)</b>				
<b>Total Section A: Local Revenue</b>	<b>08-001</b>	683,500.00	689,000.00	744,345.80



## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section C: Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset with Appropriations (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-36 and N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17)</b>	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Uniform Construction Code Fees	08-160	70,000.00	70,000.00	88,258.00
<b>Special Item of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services:</b>	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Additional Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset with Appropriations (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3h and N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17)	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Uniform Construction Code Fees	08-160			
<b>Total Section C: Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset with Appropriations</b>	08-002	70,000.00	70,000.00	88,258.00







## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section D: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated</b>				
With Prior Written Consent of the Director of Local Government Services				
Shared Service Agreements Offset With Appropriations:	xxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx
<b>Total Section D: Shared Service Agreements Offset With Appropriations</b>	11-001	-	-	-

## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section E: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated</b>				
<b>With Prior Written Consent of the Director of Local Government Services -</b>				
<b>Additional Revenues Offset with Appropriations (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3h):</b>	xxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx
<b>Total Section E: Special Item of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written</b>	xxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx
<b>Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Additional Revenues</b>	08-003	-	-	-



## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues - Section F: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated</b> <b>With Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Public and</b> <b>Private Revenues Offset with Appropriations (Continued):</b>	xxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx
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<b>Total Section F: Special Item of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written</b>	xxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx
<b>Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Public and Private Revenues</b>	10-001	11,454.67	112,424.24	112,424.24





## CURRENT FUND - ANTICIPATED REVENUES - (Continued)

GENERAL REVENUES	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
<b>Summary of Revenues</b>				
	XXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>1. Surplus Anticipated (Sheet 4, #1)</b>	08-101	376,455.00	443,600.00	443,600.00
<b>2. Surplus Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services (Sheet 4, #2)</b>	08-102	-	-	-
<b>3. Miscellaneous Revenues:</b>	XXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
Total Section A: Local Revenues	08-001	683,500.00	689,000.00	744,345.80
Total Section B: State Aid Without Offsetting Appropriations	09-001	85,719.58	85,719.58	85,719.58
Total Section C: Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset with Appropriations	08-002	70,000.00	70,000.00	88,258.00
Total Section D: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Shared Service Agreements	11-001	-	-	-
Total Section E: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Additional Revenues	08-003	-	-	-
Total Section F: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Public and Private Revenues	10-001	11,454.67	112,424.24	112,424.24
Total Section G: Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services - Other Special Items	08-004	390,745.00	-	-
<b>Total Miscellaneous Revenues</b>	13-099	1,241,419.25	957,143.82	1,030,747.62
<b>4. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes</b>	15-499	36,300.00	19,361.95	19,361.95
<b>5. Subtotal General Revenues (Items 1, 2, 3 and 4)</b>	13-199	1,654,174.25	1,420,105.77	1,493,709.57
<b>6. Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget:</b>	XXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXX
a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes Including Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	07-190	2,868,110.75	2,786,995.10	XXXXXXXXXXXX
b) Addition to Local District School Tax	07-191	-	-	XXXXXXXXXXXX
c) Minimum Library Tax	07-192	-	-	XXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget</b>	07-199	2,868,110.75	2,786,995.10	2,827,474.90
<b>7. Total General Revenues</b>	13-299	4,522,285.00	4,207,100.87	4,321,184.47

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
General Government						-		-
Administrative & Executive						-		-
Adminstrator						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-100	1	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00
Other Expenses	20-100	2	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00	500.00	500.00
Mayor & Council						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-110	1	20,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	19,300.00	700.00
Other Expenses	20-110	2	3,000.00	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,078.43	421.57
Municipal Clerk						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-120	1	120,000.00	105,000.00		105,000.00	99,170.14	5,829.86
Other Expenses	20-120	2	20,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	10,346.23	9,653.77
						-		-
Advertising						-		-
Other Expenses	20-120	2	750.00	2,000.00		2,000.00	551.37	1,448.63
						-		-
Financial Administration						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-130	1	70,000.00	65,000.00		65,000.00	61,937.46	3,062.54
Other Expenses	20-130	2	15,000.00	15,000.00		15,000.00	9,094.90	5,905.10
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Audit Services						-		-
Other Expenses	20-135	2	25,000.00	25,000.00		25,000.00	18,227.50	6,772.50
						-		-
Information Technology						-		-
Other Expenses	20-140	2	65,000.00	100,000.00		65,000.00	19,233.50	45,766.50
						-		-
Collection of Taxes						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-145	1	45,000.00	45,000.00		45,000.00	36,522.36	8,477.64
Other Expenses	20-145	2	5,000.00	7,500.00		7,500.00	3,849.80	3,650.20
						-		-
Tax Assessment						-		-
Salaries & Wages	20-150	1	27,500.00	25,000.00		25,000.00	24,720.02	279.98
Other Expenses	20-150	2	7,500.00	7,500.00		7,500.00	7,452.02	47.98
Other Expenses - Reserve for Revaluation	20-150	2		125,000.00		125,000.00	125,000.00	-
						-		-
Legal Services						-		-
Other Expenses	20-155	2	30,000.00	25,000.00		30,000.00	17,386.00	12,614.00
Engineering						-		-
Other Expenses	20-165	2	35,000.00	30,000.00		35,000.00	27,819.47	7,180.53
OC LED Maintenance	20-165	2				-		-

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
						-		-
Consulting Services						-		-
Other Expenses	20-102	2		10,000.00		-		-
						-		-
Contribution To Chamber of Commerce						-		-
Other Expenses	20-170	2	100.00	100.00		100.00	100.00	-
						-		-
Municipal Land Use:						-		-
Planning Board						-		-
Salaries & Wages	21-180	1	3,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,566.05	1,433.95
Other Expenses	21-180	2	8,000.00	7,500.00		7,500.00	7,462.19	37.81
						-		-
Zoning Board of Adjustment						-		-
Salaries & Wages	21-185	1	25,000.00	25,000.00		25,000.00	19,901.36	5,098.64
Other Expenses	21-185	2	5,250.00	5,250.00		5,250.00	3,501.85	1,748.15
						-		-
Insurance (N.J.S.A 40A:4-45.3(OO)):						-		-
General Liability	23-210	2	43,000.00	40,000.00		40,000.00	39,873.00	127.00
Workers Compensation	23-215	2	28,500.00	27,500.00		27,500.00	26,582.00	918.00
Employee Group Health Insurance	23-220	2	140,400.00	125,000.00		135,000.00	122,410.02	12,589.98

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Emergency Management						-		-
Salaries & Wages	25-252	1	6,000.00	6,000.00		6,000.00	5,538.48	461.52
Other Expenses	25-252	2	5,000.00	10,000.00		10,000.00	3,037.90	6,962.10
						-		-
Aid to Volunteer Fire Company	25-255	2	75,000.00	60,000.00		60,000.00	60,000.00	-
						-		-
Aid to Volunteer Ambulance Company	25-260	2	22,000.00	17,000.00		17,000.00	17,000.00	-
						-		-
Fire						-		-
Other Expenses	25-265	2				-		-
						-		-
Municipal Court						-		-
Salaries & Wages	43-490	1	17,500.00	17,500.00		17,500.00	14,597.08	2,902.92
Other Expenses	43-490	2	2,500.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	1,493.06	3,506.94
						-		-
Public Defender						-		-
Other Expenses	43-495	2	500.00	500.00		500.00		500.00
						-		-
Municipal Prosecutor						-		-
Other Expenses	25-275	2	4,800.00	4,800.00		4,800.00	4,000.00	800.00

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Public Works Department:						-		-
Street and Roads Maintenance						-		-
Salaries & Wages	26-290	1	90,000.00	85,000.00		85,000.00	75,161.05	9,838.95
Other Expenses	26-290	2	25,000.00	15,000.00		21,000.00	20,040.04	959.96
Ocean County Road Department	26-290	2	5,000.00	10,000.00		4,000.00	1,037.94	2,962.06
						-		-
Garbage and Trash Removal						-		-
Other Expenses	26-305	2				-		-
Garbage and Recycling Collection	26-305	2	375,000.00	360,000.00		360,000.00	338,626.29	21,373.71
Sanitary Landfill Fees	26-305	2	30,000.00	42,500.00		42,500.00	19,265.44	23,234.56
						-		-
Recycling						-		-
Salaries & Wages	26-305	1	4,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00	-
Other Expenses	26-305	2	2,500.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,523.04	1,476.96
						-		-
Public Buildings and Grounds						-		-
Salaries & Wages	26-310	1	60,000.00	57,500.00		57,500.00	50,101.64	7,398.36
Other Expenses	26-310	2	100,000.00	75,000.00		100,000.00	91,432.45	8,567.55
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Health and Human Services						-		-
Board of Health						-		-
Other Expenses	27-330	2	100.00	100.00		100.00		100.00
						-		-
Animal Control Services						-		-
Other Expenses	27-340	2	10,000.00	10,000.00		10,000.00	5,432.25	4,567.75
						-		-
Aid to Health Care Facilities						-		-
Other Expenses	27-331	2				-		-
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Mental Health Program	27-332	2				-		-
						-		-
Contribution to Senior Citizen Center						-		-
Other Expenses	27-365	2	2,500.00	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00	-
						-		-
Park and Recreation Functions:						-		-
Parks and Playgrounds						-		-
Salaries & Wages	28-375	1	30,000.00	27,500.00		27,500.00	19,397.63	8,102.37
Other Expenses	28-375	2	27,500.00	35,000.00		35,000.00	24,516.21	10,483.79
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Lifeguards						-		-
Salaries & Wages	28-380	1	400,500.00	375,000.00		375,000.00	337,425.90	37,574.10
Other Expenses	28-380	2	30,500.00	30,000.00		30,000.00	21,756.36	8,243.64
						-		-
Beachfront Maintenance						-		-
Salaries & Wages	28-380	1	165,000.00	157,500.00		157,500.00	136,815.79	20,684.21
Other Expenses	28-380	2	40,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	15,394.81	4,605.19
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Public Docks						-		-
Salaries & Wages	28-380	1	28,000.00	26,500.00		26,500.00	19,967.10	6,532.90
Other Expenses	28-380	2	12,500.00	12,500.00		12,500.00	7,948.09	4,551.91
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Uniform Construction Code - Appropriations	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Offset by Dedicated Revenues (N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17)	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
State Uniform Construction Code								
Construction Official								
Salaries and Wages	22-195	1	25,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	20,000.00	-
Other Expenses	22-195	2	7,500.00	7,500.00		7,500.00	4,872.56	2,627.44
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>UNCLASSIFIED:</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Utilities						-		-
Electricity	31-430	2	75,000.00	70,200.00		70,200.00	45,732.16	24,467.84
Street Lighting	31-435	2	40,000.00	37,500.00		37,500.00	23,409.84	14,090.16
Natural Gas	31-446	2	25,000.00	22,000.00		22,000.00	13,074.28	8,925.72
Telephone	31-440	2	25,000.00	25,000.00		25,000.00	18,985.16	6,014.84
Gasoline	31-447	2	25,000.00	19,500.00		19,500.00	13,569.84	5,930.16
						-		-
Salary and Wage Adjustments	30-425	1	5,500.00	5,500.00		5,500.00		5,500.00
Accumulated Absence Liability	30-415	1	4,000.00	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00	-
						-		-
Celebration of Public Events, Anniversaries, & Holidays	30-420	2	30,000.00	30,000.00		30,000.00	21,989.42	8,010.58
Tourism	30-420	2	2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00		2,000.00
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - within "CAPS" - (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>UNCLASSIFIED:</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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<b>Total Operations {Item 8(A)} within "CAPS"</b>	34-199		2,579,400.00	2,576,450.00	-	2,576,450.00	2,167,227.48	409,222.52
<b>B. Contingent</b>	35-470	2			XXXXXXXXXX	-		-
<b>Total Operations Including Contingent - within "CAPS"</b>	34-201		2,579,400.00	2,576,450.00	-	2,576,450.00	2,167,227.48	409,222.52
<b>Detail:</b>			XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Salaries &amp; Wages</b>	34-201	1	1,147,000.00	1,074,000.00	-	1,074,000.00	949,122.06	124,877.94
<b>Other Expenses (Including Contingent)</b>	34-201	2	1,432,400.00	1,502,450.00	-	1,502,450.00	1,218,105.42	284,344.58



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8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
(E) Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal within "CAPS"	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
(1) DEFERRED CHARGES	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>(E) Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal within "CAPS" - (continued)</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(2) STATUTORY EXPENDITURES:</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Contribution to:								
Public Employees' Retirement System	36-471		67,902.00	67,224.00		67,224.00	67,224.00	-
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	36-472		85,000.00	79,000.00		79,000.00	72,835.56	6,164.44
Consolidated Police & Fireman's Pension Fund	36-474					-		-
Police and Firemen's Retirement System of NJ	36-475					-		-
Unemployment Compensation Insurance (N.J.S.A. 43:21-3 et seq.)	23-225		7,500.00	10,000.00		10,000.00	5,135.32	4,864.68
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						-		-
Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP)	36-477		3,000.00	5,500.00		5,500.00	1,611.71	3,888.29
						-		-
<b>Total Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal within "CAPS"</b>	<b>34-209</b>		163,402.00	161,724.00	-	161,724.00	146,806.59	14,917.41
<b>(F) Judgments</b>	37-480					-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(G) Cash Deficit of Preceding Year</b>	46-855					-		-
<b>(H-1) Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes within "CAPS"</b>	<b>34-299</b>		2,742,802.00	2,738,174.00	-	2,738,174.00	2,314,034.07	424,139.93

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Employee Group Health	23-221	2				-		-
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						-		-
						-		-
Length of Service Awards Program						-		-
Fire Company	25-286	2	45,000.00	45,000.00		45,000.00	39,856.00	5,144.00
First Aid Squad	25-286	2	10,000.00	8,500.00		8,500.00	6,186.74	2,313.26
						-		-
Garbage and Recycling Collection	26-305	2				-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
Public Employees' Retirement System	36-471	2				-		-
General Liability	23-210	2				-		-
Workers Compensation	23-215	2				-		-
Employee Group Health Insurance	23-221	2	40,600.00			-		-
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
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<b>Total Other Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	<b>34-300</b>		95,600.00	53,500.00	-	53,500.00	46,042.74	7,457.26

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8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Uniform Construction Code</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Appropriations Offset by Increased Fee Revenues (N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17)	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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<b>Total Uniform Construction Code Appropriations</b>	22-999		-	-	-	-	-	-

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Shared Service Agreements</b>	xxxxxx		xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx
Construction Code Services	42-118	2	42,978.93	42,136.20		42,136.20	42,136.20	-
Public Safety Functions:						-		-
Police:						-		-
Salaries and Wages - ARP Offset	42-106	1				-		-
Salaries and Wages	42-106	1		598,737.97		598,737.97	598,737.97	-
Other Expenses	42-106	2	770,875.13	149,684.49		149,684.49	149,684.49	-
Health and Human Services:						-		-
Board of Health						-		-
Other Expenses	42-114	2	65,175.61	40,129.45		40,129.45	40,129.45	-
						-		-
Transportation						-		-
Other Expenses	42-117	2	20,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	20,000.00	-
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Shared Service Agreements</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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<b>Total Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements</b>	42-999		899,029.67	850,688.11	-	850,688.11	850,688.11	-

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Additional Appropriations Offset by Revenues (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3h)	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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<b>Total Additional Appropriations Offset by Revenues (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3h)</b>	<b>34-303</b>		-	-	-	-	-	-

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8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues</b>								
Matching Funds for Grants	41-899					-	-	-
Recycling Tonnage Grant	41-569	2	2,634.30	2,853.33		2,853.33	2,853.33	-
Clean Communities Program	41-602	2	7,368.04	7,428.84		7,428.84	7,428.84	-
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund	41-501	2	206.33			-	-	-
Office of Emergency Management	41-570	2				-	-	-
Recycling Revenue Sharing	41-877	2	1,246.00	142.07		142.07	142.07	-
Community Development Block Grant	41-856	2		40,000.00		40,000.00	40,000.00	-
Local Recreation Improvement Grant	41-671	2		62,000.00		62,000.00	62,000.00	-
Stormwater Assistance Grant	41-564	2				-	-	-
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS" (continued)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues (cont)	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
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<b>Total Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues</b>	<b>40-999</b>		11,454.67	112,424.24	-	112,424.24	112,424.24	-
<b>Total Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	<b>34-305</b>		1,006,084.34	1,016,612.35	-	1,016,612.35	1,009,155.09	7,457.26
<b>Detail:</b>								
Salaries & Wages	34-305	1	-	598,737.97	-	598,737.97	598,737.97	-
Other Expenses	34-305	2	1,006,084.34	417,874.38	-	417,874.38	410,417.12	7,457.26

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(C) Capital Improvements - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Down Payments on Improvements	44-902					-		-
Capital Improvement Fund	44-901		150,000.00	150,000.00	XXXXXXXXXX	150,000.00	150,000.00	-
All Terrain Vehicles	44-903	2				-		-
Construction/Renovation of a Playground	44-904	2				-		-
Message Board	44-905	2				-		-
Front End Loader	44-905	2				-		-
Lawn Mower	44-903	2				-		-
Finger Piers	44-904	2				-		-
Borough Hall Renovations	44-905	2				-		-
Purchase of Vehicles	44-903	2		125,000.00		125,000.00	125,000.00	-
Purchase of Generators	44-905	2	125,000.00			-		-
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						-		-
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## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(C) Capital Improvements - Excluded from "CAPS"			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
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						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
<b>Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues:</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority Act	41-865					-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
						-		-
<b>Total Capital Improvements Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	44-999		275,000.00	275,000.00	-	275,000.00	275,000.00	-



## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
(D) Municipal Debt Service - Excluded from "CAPS" (cont.)			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
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						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Total Municipal Debt Service Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	<b>45-999</b>		139,000.00	140,000.00	-	140,000.00	139,102.83	XXXXXXXXXX

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS  (E) Deferred Charges - Municipal - Excluded from "CAPS"	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>(1) DEFERRED CHARGES:</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Emergency Authorizations	46-870				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Special Emergency Authorization - 5 Years (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-55)	46-875				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Special Emergency Authorization - 3 Years (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-55.1 &	46-871				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation- Unfunded:					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Ordinance 2025-05	46-892	2	313,050.00		XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Ordinance 2026-05	46-892	2			XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Total Deferred Charges - Municipal - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	46-999		313,050.00	-	XXXXXXXXXX	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(F) Judgments (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3cc)</b>	37-480					-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(N) Transferred to Board of Education for Use of Local Schools (N.J.S.A. 40:48-</b>	29-405				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX			XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(G) With Prior Consent of Local Finance Board: Cash Deficit of Preceding Year</b>	46-885				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
					XXXXXXXXXX			XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(H-2) Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from</b>	34-309		1,733,134.34	1,431,612.35	-	1,431,612.35	1,423,257.92	7,457.26

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA		Appropriated				Expended 2025	
			for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
For Local District School Purposes - Excluded from "CAPS"	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(I) Type 1 District School Debt Service</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Payment of Bond Principal	48-920					-		XXXXXXXXXX
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes	48-925					-		XXXXXXXXXX
Interest on Bonds	48-930					-		XXXXXXXXXX
Interest on Notes	48-935					-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
						-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Total of Type 1 District School Debt Service - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	48-999		-	-	-	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Deferred Charges and Statutory (J) Expenditures - Local School -</b>	XXXXXX		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Emergency Authorizations - Schools	29-406				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Capital Project for Land, Building or Equipment N.J.S.A. 18A:22-20	29-407					-		XXXXXXXXXX
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Local School -	29-409		-	-	-	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>District School Purposes {Items (I) and (J) - (K) Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	29-410		-	-	-	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(O) Total General Appropriations - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	34-399		1,733,134.34	1,431,612.35	-	1,431,612.35	1,423,257.92	7,457.26
<b>(L) Subtotal General Appropriations {Items (H-1) and (O)}</b>	34-400		4,475,936.34	4,169,786.35	-	4,169,786.35	3,737,291.99	431,597.19
<b>(M) Reserve for Uncollected Taxes</b>	50-899		46,348.66	37,314.52	XXXXXXXXXX	37,314.52	37,314.52	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>9. Total General Appropriations</b>	34-499		4,522,285.00	4,207,100.87	-	4,207,100.87	3,774,606.51	431,597.19

## CURRENT FUND - APPROPRIATIONS

8. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS  Summary of Appropriations	FCOA	Appropriated				Expended 2025	
		for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>(H-1) Total General Appropriations for</b>	34-299	2,742,802.00	2,738,174.00	-	2,738,174.00	2,314,034.07	424,139.93
Municipal Purposes within "CAPS"	XXXXXX						
<b>(A) Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Other Operations	34-300	95,600.00	53,500.00	-	53,500.00	46,042.74	7,457.26
Uniform Construction Code	22-999	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shared Service Agreements	42-999	899,029.67	850,688.11	-	850,688.11	850,688.11	-
Additional Appropriations Offset by Revenues	34-303	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public & Private Programs Offset by Revenues	40-999	11,454.67	112,424.24	-	112,424.24	112,424.24	-
Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	34-305	1,006,084.34	1,016,612.35	-	1,016,612.35	1,009,155.09	7,457.26
<b>(C) Capital Improvements</b>	44-999	275,000.00	275,000.00	-	275,000.00	275,000.00	-
<b>(D) Municipal Debt Service</b>	45-999	139,000.00	140,000.00	-	140,000.00	139,102.83	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(E) Total Deferred Charges (Sheet 28)</b>	46-999	313,050.00	-	XXXXXXXXXX	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(F) Judgments (Sheet 28)</b>	37-480	-	-	-	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(G) Cash Deficit - With Prior Consent of Local Finance Board</b>	46-885	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(K) Local District School Purposes</b>	29-410	-	-	-	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(N) Transferred to Board of Education</b>	29-405	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX	-	-	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>(M) Reserve for Uncollected Taxes</b>	50-899	46,348.66	37,314.52	XXXXXXXXXX	37,314.52	37,314.52	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Total General Appropriations</b>	34-499	4,522,285.00	4,207,100.87	-	4,207,100.87	3,774,606.51	431,597.19

## DEDICATED WATER/SEWER UTILITY BUDGET

10. DEDICATED REVENUES FROM WATER/SEWER UTILITY	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in
		2026	2025	Cash in 2025
Operating Surplus Anticipated	08-501	461,652.00	522,994.40	522,994.40
Operating Surplus Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services	08-502			
<b>Total Operating Surplus Anticipated</b>	<b>08-500</b>	<b>461,652.00</b>	<b>522,994.40</b>	<b>522,994.40</b>
Rents	08-503			
Miscellaneous	08-505			
Rents - Water	08-503	900,000.00	800,000.00	1,007,690.15
Rents - Sewer	08-503	485,000.00	475,000.00	654,050.84
<b>Special Items of General Revenues Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services</b>	<b>XXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
Increased Rents - Water	08-503			
Increased Rents - Sewer	08-503			
Utility Capital Fund Balance	08-520		229.60	229.60
Reserve for Payment of Debt Service	08-520			
Deficit (General Budget)	08-549			
<b>Total Water/Sewer Utility Revenues</b>	<b>08-599</b>	<b>1,846,652.00</b>	<b>1,798,224.00</b>	<b>2,184,964.99</b>





## DEDICATED WATER/SEWER UTILITY BUDGET - (continued)

11. APPROPRIATIONS FOR WATER/SEWER UTILITY	FCOA	Appropriated				Expended 2025	
		for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Operating:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Salaries & Wages	55-501				-		-
Other Expenses	55-502				-		-
					-		-
					-		-
					-		-
<b>Capital Improvements:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Down Payments on Improvements	55-510				-		-
Capital Improvement Fund	55-511			XXXXXXXXXX	-		-
Capital Outlay	55-512				-		-
Generators	55-513				-		-
					-		-
<b>Debt Service:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Payment on Bond Principal	55-520				-		XXXXXXXXXX
Payment on Bond Anticipation Notes & Capital Notes	55-521	241,000.00	226,000.00		226,000.00	226,000.00	XXXXXXXXXX
Interest on Bonds	55-522				-		XXXXXXXXXX
Interest on Notes	55-523	67,250.00	62,000.00		62,000.00	33,880.63	XXXXXXXXXX
					-		XXXXXXXXXX
					-		XXXXXXXXXX
					-		XXXXXXXXXX

## DEDICATED WATER/SEWER UTILITY BUDGET - (continued)

11. APPROPRIATIONS FOR WATER/SEWER UTILITY	FCOA	Appropriated				Expended 2025	
		for 2026	for 2025	for 2025 By Emergency Appropriation	Total for 2025 As Modified By All Transfers	Paid or Charged	Reserved
<b>Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
<b>DEFERRED CHARGES:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Emergency Authorizations	55-530			XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Cost of Improvements Authorized:				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
Ordinance 2023-08	55-550		-	XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
				XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>STATUTORY EXPENDITURES:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Contribution To:							
Public Employee's Retirement System	55-540	67,902.00	67,224.00		67,224.00	67,224.00	-
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	55-541	47,500.00	45,000.00		45,000.00	39,545.71	5,454.29
Unemployment Compensation Insurance (N.J.S.A. 43:21-3 et. Seq.)	55-542	3,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,955.49	1,044.51
					-		-
					-		-
					-		-
<b>Judgements</b>	55-531				-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Deficit in Operations in Prior Years</b>	55-532			XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>Surplus (General Budget )</b>	55-545			XXXXXXXXXX	-		XXXXXXXXXX
<b>TOTAL WATER/SEWER UTILITY APPROPRIATION</b>	55-599	1,846,652.00	1,798,224.00	-	1,798,224.00	1,588,570.17	181,534.46

### DEDICATED ASSESSMENT BUDGET

14. DEDICATED REVENUES FROM	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in Cash in 2025
		2026	2025	
Assessment Cash	51-101			
Deficit (General Budget)	51-885			
Total Assessment Revenues	51-899	-	-	-
15. APPROPRIATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT DEBT		Appropriated		Expended 2025 Paid or Charged
		2026	2025	
Payment of Bond Principal	51-920			
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes	51-925			
Total Assessment Appropriations	51-999	-	-	-

### DEDICATED ASSESSMENT BUDGET UTILITY

14. DEDICATED REVENUES FROM	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in Cash in 2025
		2026	2025	
Assessment Cash	52-101			
Deficit ( Utility Budget)	52-885			
Total Utility Assessment Revenues	52-899	-	-	-
15. APPROPRIATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT DEBT		Appropriated		Expended 2025 Paid or Charged
		2026	2025	
Payment of Bond Principal	52-920			
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes	52-925			
Total Utility Assessment Appropriations	52-999	-	-	-

## DEDICATED ASSESSMENT BUDGET UTILITY

14. DEDICATED REVENUES FROM	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in Cash in 2025
		2026	2025	
Assessment Cash	53-101			
Deficit ( Utility Budget)	53-885			
Total Utility Assessment Revenues	53-899	-	-	-
15. APPROPRIATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT DEBT		Appropriated		Expended 2025 Paid or Charged
		2026	2025	
Payment of Bond Principal	53-920			
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes	53-925			
Total Utility Assessment Appropriations	53-999	-	-	-

Dedication by Rider - (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-39) dedicated revenues anticipated during the year 2026 from Animal Control State or Federal Aid for Maintenance of Libraries Bequest, Escheat; Construction Code Fees Due Hackensak Meadowlands Development Commission; Outside Employment of Off-Duty Municipal Police Officers; Unemployment Compensation Insurance; Reimbursement of Sale of Gasoline to State Automobiles; State Training Fees - Uniform Construction Code Act; Older Americans Act - Program Contributions; Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse - Program Income:

Municipal Public Defender; Memorial Park Benches Donations; Coast Guard Building Brick Pavers Donations; 100th Anniversary Donations; Lifeguard-In-Training Program Donations; Parking Offenses Adjudication Act; Developers Escrow Fund; Recreation Trust Fund; Environmental Education Signs Donations; Accumulated Absences; Holiday Decorations Donations; Welcome Sign Donations; Beautification of Old Coast Guard Station and Various Municipal Buildings Donations; Lifeguard Equipment Donations; Borough Dog Park Donations; Open Space, Recreation, Farmland and Historic Preservation Trust; Improvements to Beach Access Boardwalks Donations; James E. Morrison Memorial Gazebo Donations; Improvements to Borough Skate Park Donations; Roger Morris Gazebo Donations

are hereby anticipated as revenue and are hereby appropriated for the purpose to which said revenue is dedicated by statute or other legal requirement."

## APPENDIX TO BUDGET STATEMENT

### COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN CURRENT SURPLUS

#### CURRENT FUND BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 2025

ASSETS	
Cash and Investments	4,090,023.07
Due from State of N.J.(c. 20, P.L. 1961)	
Federal and State Grants Receivable	
Receivables with Offsetting Reserves:	XXXXXXXX
Taxes Receivable	36,347.75
Tax Title Lien Receivable	
Property Acquired by Tax Title Lien Liquidation	38,250.00
Other Receivables	126,538.91
Deferred Charges Required to be in 2026 Budget	-
Deferred Charges Required to be in Budgets Subsequent to 2026	-
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>4,291,159.73</b>
<b>LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS</b>	
*Cash Liabilities	2,043,832.33
Reserves for Receivables	201,136.66
Surplus	2,046,190.74
<b>Total Liabilities, Reserves and Surplus</b>	<b>4,291,159.73</b>

School Tax Levy Unpaid	1,152,417.98
Less: School Tax Deferred	630,045.00
*Balance Included in Above "Cash Liabilities"	522,372.98

	YEAR 2025	YEAR 2024
Surplus Balance, January 1	1,836,629.24	1,814,223.21
CURRENT REVENUE ON A CASH BASIS:	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX
Current Taxes:*(Percentage Collected 2025: 99.62%, 2024: 99.77%)	11,977,346.70	10,734,910.91
Delinquent Taxes	19,361.95	8,997.26
Other Revenues and Additions to Income	1,573,916.43	1,618,158.77
<b>Total Funds</b>	<b>15,407,254.32</b>	<b>14,176,290.15</b>
EXPENDITURES AND TAX REQUIREMENTS:	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX
Municipal Appropriations	4,168,889.18	4,188,475.94
School Taxes (Including Local and Regional)	2,604,971.00	2,318,033.00
County Taxes (Including Added Tax Amounts)	6,474,297.03	5,621,157.40
Special District Taxes	107,918.29	106,398.37
Other Expenditures and Deductions from Income	4,988.08	105,596.20
<b>Total Expenditures and Tax Requirements</b>	<b>13,361,063.58</b>	<b>12,339,660.91</b>
Less: Expenditures to be Raised by Future Taxes	-	
<b>Total Adjusted Expenditures and Tax Requirements</b>	<b>13,361,063.58</b>	<b>12,339,660.91</b>
<b>Surplus Balance, December 31</b>	<b>2,046,190.74</b>	<b>1,836,629.24</b>

\*Nearest even percentage may be used

#### Proposed Use of Current Fund Surplus in 2026 Budget

Surplus Balance, December 31	2,046,190.74
Current Surplus Anticipated in 2026 Budget	376,455.00
<b>Surplus Balance Remaining</b>	<b>1,669,735.74</b>

(Important: This appendix must be Included in advertisement of Budget.)

**2026**  
**CAPITAL BUDGET AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

This section is included with the Annual Budget pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-4. It does not in itself confer any authorization to raise or expend funds. Rather it is a document used as part of the local unit's planning and management program. Specific authorization to expend funds for purposes described in this section must be granted elsewhere, by a separate bond ordinance, by inclusion of a line item in the Capital Improvement Section of this budget, by an ordinance taking the money from the Capital Improvement Fund, or other lawful means.

**CAPITAL BUDGET**

- A plan for all capital expenditures for the current fiscal year.

If no Capital Budget is included, check the reason why:

- Total capital expenditures this year do not exceed \$25,000, including appropriations for Capital Improvement Fund, Capital Line items and Down Payments on Improvements.
- No bond ordinances are planned this year.

**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

- A multi-year list of planned capital projects, including the current year.

Check appropriate box for number of years covered, including current year:

- 3 years. (Population under 10,000)
- 6 years. (Over 10,000 and all county governments)
- years exceeding minimum time period.
- Check if municipality is under 10,000, has not expended more than \$25,000 annually for capital purposes in immediately previous three years, and is not adopting CIP.

**BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT  
NARRATIVE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

IT IS A REQUIREMENT THAT A PROJECTED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM BE MADE PART OF THE 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET. THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE ESTIMATED AND MAY BE ADJUSTED.

## CAPITAL BUDGET (Current Year Action) 2026

Local Unit BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 PROJECT TITLE	2 PROJECT NUMBER	3 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	4 AMOUNTS RESERVED IN PRIOR YEARS	PLANNED FUNDING SERVICES FOR CURRENT YEAR - 2026					6 TO BE FUNDED IN FUTURE YEARS
				5a 2026 Budget Appropriations	5b Capital Improvement Fund	5c Capital Surplus	5d Grants in Aid and Other Funds	5e Debt Authorized	
General Capital:		-							
Purchase of Generators	GC-1	125,000.00		125,000.00					
Improvements to 4th & 19th Streets	GC-2	650,000.00					314,775.00	335,225.00	
Improvements to E. 27th & W. 28th Streets	GC-3	631,250.00							631,250.00
		-							
		-							
		-							
		-							
		-							
Water/Sewer Capital:		-							
WQAA 2032-2035 Transmission & Distributrion Mains	UC-1	3,000,000.00							3,000,000.00
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<b>TOTAL - THIS PAGE</b>	<b>XXXXX</b>	4,406,250.00	-	125,000.00	-	-	314,775.00	335,225.00	3,631,250.00

## CAPITAL BUDGET (Current Year Action) 2026

Local Unit BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 PROJECT TITLE	2 PROJECT NUMBER	3 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	4 AMOUNTS RESERVED IN PRIOR YEARS	PLANNED FUNDING SERVICES FOR CURRENT YEAR - 2026					6 TO BE FUNDED IN FUTURE YEARS
				5a 2026 Budget Appropriations	5b Capital Improvement Fund	5c Capital Surplus	5d Grants in Aid and Other Funds	5e Debt Authorized	
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## CAPITAL BUDGET (Current Year Action) 2026

Local Unit           BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT          

1 PROJECT TITLE	2 PROJECT NUMBER	3 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	4 AMOUNTS RESERVED IN PRIOR YEARS	PLANNED FUNDING SERVICES FOR CURRENT YEAR - 2026					6 TO BE FUNDED IN FUTURE YEARS
				5a 2026 Budget Appropriations	5b Capital Improvement Fund	5c Capital Surplus	5d Grants in Aid and Other Funds	5e Debt Authorized	
		-							
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<b>TOTAL - ALL PROJECTS</b>	XXXXX	4,406,250.00	-	125,000.00	-	-	314,775.00	335,225.00	3,631,250.00

### 3 YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAM - 2026 to 2028 ANTICIPATED PROJECT SCHEDULE AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

Local Unit

BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 PROJECT TITLE	2 PROJECT NUMBER	3 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	4 Estimated Completion Time	FUNDING AMOUNTS PER BUDGET YEAR					
				5a 2026	5b 2027	5c 2028	5d	5e	5f
General Capital:		-							
Purchase of Generators	GC-1	125,000.00	1 Year	125,000.00					
Improvements to 4th & 19th Streets	GC-2	650,000.00	1 Year	650,000.00					
Improvements to E. 27th & W. 28th Streets	GC-3	631,250.00	1 to 3 Years		310,625.00	310,625.00			
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Water/Sewer Capital:		-							
WQAA 2032-2035 Transmission & Distributrion Mains	UC-1	3,000,000.00							3,000,000.00
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### 3 YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAM - 2026 to 2028 ANTICIPATED PROJECT SCHEDULE AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

Local Unit

BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 PROJECT TITLE	2 PROJECT NUMBER	3 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	4 Estimated Completion Time	FUNDING AMOUNTS PER <u>BUDGET</u> YEAR					
				5a 2026	5b 2027	5c 2028	5d	5e	5f
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<b>TOTAL - ALL PROJECTS</b>	XXXXX	4,406,250.00	XXXXXXXXXX	775,000.00	310,625.00	310,625.00	-	-	3,000,000.00

### 3 YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAM - 2026 to 2028 SUMMARY OF ANTICIPATED FUNDING SOURCES AND AMOUNTS

Local Unit BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 Project Title	2 Estimated Total Costs	BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS		4 Capital Improvement Fund	5 Capital Surplus	6 Grants - in - Aid and Other Funds	BONDS AND NOTES			
		3a Current Year 2026	3b Future Years				7a General	7b Self Liquidating	7c Assessment	7d School
General Capital:	-			-						
Purchase of Generators	125,000.00	125,000.00		-						
Improvements to 4th & 19th Streets	650,000.00			-		314,775.00	335,225.00			
Improvements to E. 27th & W. 28th Streets	631,250.00			-		302,995.00	328,255.00			
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Water/Sewer Capital:	-			-						
WQAA 2032-2035 Transmission & Distribution Mains	3,000,000.00			-				3,000,000.00		
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### 3 YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAM - 2026 to 2028 SUMMARY OF ANTICIPATED FUNDING SOURCES AND AMOUNTS

Local Unit

BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT

1 Project Title	2 Estimated Total Costs	BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS		4 Capital Improvement Fund	5 Capital Surplus	6 Grants - in - Aid and Other Funds	BONDS AND NOTES			
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## SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS

<b>5. GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS:</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
<b>Within "CAPS"</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
(a & b) Operations Including Contingent	34-201	\$ 2,579,400.00
(e) Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal	34-209	\$ 163,402.00
(g) Cash Deficit	46-885	\$ -
<b>Excluded from "CAPS"</b>	XXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
(a) Operations - Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	34-305	\$ 1,006,084.34
(c) Capital Improvements	44-999	\$ 275,000.00
(d) Municipal Debt Service	45-999	\$ 139,000.00
(e) Deferred Charges - Municipal	46-999	\$ 313,050.00
(f) Judgments	37-480	\$ -
(n) Transferred to Board of Education for Use of Local Schools (N.J.S.A. 40:48-17.1 & 17.3)	29-405	\$ -
(g) Cash Deficit	46-885	\$ -
(k) For Local District School Purposes	29-410	\$ -
(m) Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	50-899	\$ 46,348.66
<b>6. SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS - TYPE I SCHOOL DISTRICT ONLY (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-13)</b>	07-195	
<b>Total Appropriations</b>	34-499	\$ 4,522,285.00

It is hereby certified that the within budget is a true copy of the budget finally adopted by resolution of the Governing Body on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026. It is further certified that each item of revenue and appropriation is set forth in the same amount and by the same title as appeared in the 2026 approved budget and all amendments thereto, if any, which have been previously approved by the Director of Local Government Services.

Certified by me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026, brenda.kuhn@barnegatlight.org, Clerk  
Signature

**BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT**

**OPEN SPACE, RECREATION, FARMLAND AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION TRUST FUND**

DEDICATED REVENUES FROM TRUST FUND	FCOA	Anticipated		Realized in Cash in 2025	APPROPRIATIONS	FCOA	Appropriated		Expended 2025	
		2026	2025				for 2026	for 2025	Paid or Charged	Reserved
Amount to be Raised By Taxation	54-190	108,539.99	107,918.29	107,918.29	Development of Lands for Recreation and Conservation:		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
					Salaries & Wages	54-385-1				-
Interest Income	54-113				Other Expenses	54-385-2				-
					Maintenance of Lands for Recreation and Conservation:		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Reserve Funds:	54-101	119,757.02	11,688.03	772.40	Salaries & Wages	54-375-1				-
					Other Expenses	54-372-2				-
					Historic Preservation:		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
					Salaries & Wages	54-176-1				-
					Other Expenses	54-176-2				-
										-
					Acquisition of Lands for Recreation and Conservation	54-915-2				-
<b>Total Trust Fund Revenues:</b>	54-299	228,297.01	119,606.32	108,690.69	Acquisition of Farmland	54-916-2				-
<b>Summary of Program</b>					Down Payments on Improvements	54-902-2				-
					Debt Service:		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Year Referendum Passed/Implemented:			2007 <i>(Date)</i>		Payment of Bond Principal	54-920-2				XXXXXXXXXX
Rate Assessed:		\$	0.0100		Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes	54-925-2				XXXXXXXXXX
Total Tax Collected to date:		\$	1,744,474.58		Interest on Bonds	54-930-2				XXXXXXXXXX
Total Expended to date:		\$	1,624,717.56		Interest on Notes	54-935-2				XXXXXXXXXX
Total Acreage Preserved to date:			1.796 <i>(Acres)</i>		Reserve for Future Use	54-950-2	228,297.01	119,606.32		119,606.32
Recreation land preserved in 2025:			<i>(Acres)</i>		<b>Total Trust Fund Appropriations:</b>	54-499	228,297.01	119,606.32	-	119,606.32
Farmland preserved in 2025:			<i>(Acres)</i>							



**Annual List of Change Orders Approved  
Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11**

Contracting Unit: **BOROUGH OF BARNEGAT LIGHT**

Year Ending: December 31, 2025

The following is a complete list of all change orders which caused the originally awarded contract price to be exceeded by more than 20 percent. For regulatory details please consult N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.1 et seq. Please identify each change order by name of the project.

N/A
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For each change order listed above, submit with introduced budget a copy of the governing body resolution authorizing the change order and an Affidavit of Publication for the newspaper notice required by N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.9(d). (Affidavit must include a copy of the newspaper notice.)

If you have not had a change order exceeding the 20 percent threshold for the year indicated above, please check here  and certify below.

April 8, 2026  
Date

brenda.kuhn@barnegatlight.org  
Clerk of the Governing Body