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Year:	2025	Municipal User	Friendly B	udget	
MUNICIPALITY:	1922 Vernon Township -	County of Sussex		•	Introduced
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	Phone Number:	•	973-764-4055		
	Mailing Address:		21 Church Street		
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		Municipality:	Vernon	State: NJ	Zip: 07462
	Mayor			000001	
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Term Expires	Business Email	
Anthony		Rossi	12/31/2027		
,	Chief Administr	rative Officer	, ,		
Tina		Kraus		businessadmin@vernor	ntwp.com
	Chief Financial	Officer	Cert. Number		
Donelle	К	Bright		dbright@vernontwp.co	o <u>m</u>
	Municipal Clerk				
Marcy		Gianattasio		mgianattsio@vernontw	vp.com
	Registered Mun	nicipal Accountant			
Man		Lee		mlee@nisivoccia.com	
	Governing Body	y Members			
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Term Expires	Business Email	
Patrick		Rizzuto	12/31/2025	prizzuto@vernontwp.co	om
Natalie		Buccieri	12/31/2025	nbuccieri@vernontwp.o	com
Brad		Sparta	12/31/2027	bsparta@vernontwp.co	om
William		Higgins	12/31/2027	whiggins@vernontwp.c	com
Jessica		Debennedetto	12/31/2025	jdebennedetto@vernor	ntwp.com

Government Type:	Town	•
Election Type:	Non-Partisan (November)	•

USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - ANTICIPATED REVENUE SUMMARY (ALL OPERATING FUNDS)

FCOA		% Difference Current vs. Prior Year	\$ Difference Current vs. Prior Year	Total Realized Revenue (Prior Year)	Total Anticipated Revenue (Current Year)	General Budget	Open Space Budget	Arts and Culture Trust Fund	Utility	Utility	Utility	Utility	Utility
08	Surplus	-5.71%	(\$100,000.00	\$1,750,000.00	\$1,650,000.00	\$1,650,000.00							
08	Local Revenue	-9.36%	(\$164,565.33	\$1,758,185.33	\$1,593,620.00	\$1,593,620.00							
09	State Aid (without offsetting appropriation)	-7.76%	(\$194,242.49	\$2,503,639.49	\$2,309,397.00	\$2,309,397.00							
	Uniform Construction Code Fees	-10.17%	(\$70,756.00)	\$695,756.00	\$625,000.00	\$625,000.00							
	Special Revenue Items w/ Prior Written Consent												
11	Shared Services Agreements	5.80%	\$13,355.13	\$230,222.87	\$243,578.00	\$243,578.00							
08	Additional Revenue Offset by Appropriations	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
10	Public and Private Revenue	-56.88%	(\$261,008.97	\$458,909.94	\$197,900.97	\$197,900.97							
08	Other Special Items	-12.48%	(\$547,507.51)	\$4,388,527.72	\$3,841,020.21	\$3,841,020.21							
15	Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	-8.03%	(\$157,169.85)	\$1,957,169.85	\$1,800,000.00	\$1,800,000.00							
	Amount to be raised by taxation												
07	Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	5.63%	\$1,075,618.29	\$19,097,220.53	\$20,172,838.82	\$20,172,838.82							
07	Minimum Library Tax	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
54	Open Space Levy Tax	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
56	Arts and Cultural Levy Tax	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
07	Addition to Local District School Tax	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
08	Deficit General Budget	#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00								
	Total	-1.24%	(\$406,276.73)	\$32,839,631.73	\$32,433,355.00	\$32,433,355.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - APPROPRIATIONS SUMMARY (ALL OPERATING FUNDS)

FCOA		Budgeted I Full-Time		% Difference Current v. Prior Year	\$ Difference Current v. Prior Year	Total Modified Appropriation for Service Type (Prior Year)	Total Appropriation for Service Type (Current Year)	General Budget	Public & Private Offsets	Open Space Budget	Arts and Culture Trust Fund	Utility	Utility	Utility	Utility	Utility
20	General Government	15.00	7.00	3.80%	\$69,740.00	\$1,835,010.0	\$1,904,750.0	\$1,854,750.0	\$50,000.00							
21	Land-Use Administration	2.00	1.00	-2.42%	(\$6,000.00	\$247,500.00	\$241,500.00	\$241,500.00								
22	Uniform Construction Code	6.00		9.10%	\$45,250.00	\$497,500.00	\$542,750.00	\$542,750.00								
23	Insurance			1.01%	\$46,200.00	\$4,581,800.0	\$4,628,000.0	\$4,628,000.0								
25	Public Safety	43.00	8.00	7.20%	\$406,579.9	\$5,647,764.0	\$6,054,343.9	\$5,926,910.0	\$127,433.9							
26	Public Works	27.00	2.00	9.24%	\$310,650.00		\$3,673,500.0	\$3,673,500.0								
27	Health and Human Services	4.00	8.00	11.89%	\$29,100.00		\$273,850.00	\$273,850.00								
28	Parks and Recreation	6.00	1.00	37.78%	\$151,517.00	\$401,025.00	\$552,542.00	\$529,275.00	\$23,267.00							
29	Education (including Library)			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
30	Unclassified			-12.02%	(\$75,800.00		\$555,000.00	\$555,000.00								
31	Utilities and Bulk Purchases			0.54%	\$15,130.00	\$2,795,281.0	\$2,810,411.0	\$2,810,411.0								
32	Landfill / Solid Waste Disposa			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
35	Contingency			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
36	Statutory Expenditures			0.13%	\$3,725.00	\$2,906,484.0	\$2,910,209.0	\$2,910,209.0								
37	Judgements			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
42	Shared Services			-0.06%	(\$142.00		\$243,578.00	\$243,578.00								
43	Court and Public Defender	2.00	2.00	1.96%	\$4,000.00	\$204,100.00	\$208,100.00	\$208,100.00								
44	Capital			13.61%	\$208,300.00		\$1,739,050.0	\$1,739,050.0								
45	Debt			0.03%	\$945.00	\$3,415,380.0	\$3,416,325.0	\$3,416,325.0								
46	Deferred Charges			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
48	Debt - Type 1 School District			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
50	Reserve for Uncollected Taxes			-2.29%	(\$62,903.24	\$2,747,349.2	\$2,684,446.0	\$2,684,446.0								
55	Surplus General Budget			#DIV/0!	\$0.00		\$0.00									
	Total	105.00	29.00	3.66%	\$1,146,291.73	\$31,292,063.27	\$32,438,355.00	\$32,237,654.03	\$200,700.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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ASSESSED PROPERTY VALUATIONS - EXEMPT PROPERTY - PROPERTY TAX APPEAL DATA

Property Tax Assess	<u>sments - Taxable Prope</u>	rties (October 1, 2024 Value	<u>e)</u>	Property Tax Assess	sments - Exempt Prop	erties (October 1, 2024 Va	<u>lue)</u>
	# of Parcels	Assessed Value	% of Total		# of Parcels	Assessed Value	% of Total
1 Vacant Land	2,182	\$67,706,200.00	1.81%	15A Public Schools	6	\$41,574,100.00	17.30%
2 Residential	10,635	\$3,408,870,500.00	91.03%	15B Other Schools	0	\$0.00	0.00%
3A/3B Farm	310	\$47,309,300.00	1.26%	15C Public Property	475	\$140,023,500.00	58.27%
4A Commercial	344	\$176,840,600.00	4.72%	15D Church and Charities	26	\$16,494,500.00	6.86%
4B Industrial	26	\$37,107,700.00	0.99%	15E Cemeteries & Graveyards	4	\$548,900.00	0.23%
4C Apartments	5	\$4,519,000.00	0.12%	15F Other Exempt	312	\$41,645,400.00	17.33%
5A/5B Railroad	18	\$140,400.00	0.00%				
6A/6B Business Personal Property	3	\$2,374,712.00	0.06%	_			
Total	13,523	\$3,744,868,412.00	100.00%	Total	823	\$240,286,400.00	100.00%
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Average Ratio (%), Assessed to True	Value	100.00%					
Equalized Valuation, Taxable Proper	ties	\$3,744,868,412.00		Percentage of Exempt vs.			
	<u> </u>	· · ·		Non-Exempt Properties	6.42%		
Total # of property tax appeals f	iled in 2024	County Tax Board	34.00				
		State Tax Court	10.00				
Number of 2024 County Tax Board d	lecisions appealed to Tax	Court	9.00				
Number of pending property tax appe	eals in State Tax Court		71.00				
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Amount paid out by municipality for	tax appeals in 2024		\$1,499.71				

	Prior Budget Year's Payn	ents in Lieu of Tax	(PILOT) - 5 Year Exemptio	ns/Abatements	
		# of	PILOT		Taxes if Billed in Full
		Parcels	Billing/Revenue	Assessed Value	2024 Total Tax Rate
G	Commercial/Industrial Exemption				
I	Dwelling Exemption				
J	Dwelling Abatement				
K	New Dwelling/Conversion Exemption				
L	New Dwelling/Conversion Abatement				
N	Multiple Dwelling Exemption				
О	Multiple Dwelling Abatement				
	Total 5 Yr Exemptions/Abatements	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION STRUCTURAL BUDGET IMBALANCES

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X				CURRENT FUND BALANCE	\$1,650,000.00	BALANCE FOR BUDGET AND MUNICIPALITY SIZE
X				VTMUA PAYMENTS FOR SCMUA FEES	\$2,701,726.67	REVENUE MAY BE AFFECTED BY REVENUES COLLECTED
X				AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION	#######################################	COLLECTION PERCENTAGE USED CHANGES RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES CALCULATION
X				STATE-AID ENERGY RECEIPTS/CMPTRA		FUTURE YEARS MAY CHANGE
X				VTMUA PRINCIPAL & INTEREST PAYMENTS		REVENUE MAY BE AFFECTED BY REVENUES COLLECTED
X				RESERVE FOR PAYMENT OF DEBT SERVICE	\$13,616.43	NON-RECURRING REVENUE
X				RECEIPTS FOR DELINQUENT TAXES		MAX AMOUNT OF DELINQUENT TAXES BASED ON AFS WAS JUST OVER \$1.8MIL
	X			INTEREST ON BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES	\$230,000.00	INTEREST RATES CAN FLUCTUATE BASED ON MARKET RATES
		X		PENSION APPROPRIATIONS (PFRS)	\$1,394,868.00	LIABILITY INCREASES ANNUALLY BY STATE-MANDATED FUNDING
		X		PENSION APPROPRIATIONS (PERS)	\$708,341.00	LIABILITY INCREASES ANNUALLY BY STATE-MANDATED FUNDING
	X			PAYMENT OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES		RESULT OF AGGRESSIVE PAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING NOTES; ADDITIONAL NOTES ANTICIPATED THROUGH 2027
			X	N/A	N/A	NO STRUCTURAL IMBALANCE OFFSETS ANTICIPATED FOR 2025
				GENERAL COMMENTS		THE TOWNSHIP RECOGNIZES THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET IS A DOCUMENT THAT MUST BE PROJECTED OUT FOR FUTURE REVENUE AND APPROPRIATION ITEMS. LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES OF CURRENT YEAR BUDGET DECISIONS ARE UNDERSTOOD WITH A MULTI-YEAR PERSPECTIVE AND MUNICIPAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICE LEVELS ARE ASSESSED TO DETERMINE SUSTAINABILITY. THE PROCESS INVOLVES POLITICS, COMPROMISE, AND COMPETING VISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT IN SERVING ITS RESIDENTS AND VISITORS. THE MAYOR AND TOWNSHIP COUNCIL CONTINUE TO FOCUS THEIR DECISIONS TOWARD ACHIEVEMENT OF MUNICIPAL GOALS, WITH CONSTRAINTS OF AVAILABLE RESOURCES.
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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION Long Term Tax Exemptions

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	Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate	Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate	Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate
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	Term Exemptions	- Column Total	1		0.00	0.00	0.00	Total Long Term Exempti	ons - Column Total	ı		\$0.00	\$0.00		Total Long Term Exemption				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mark "X"	' if Grand Total														Total Long Term Exempt	ions - PAGE TOTAL			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION Long Term Tax Exemptions

Prior B	Budget Year's Payments	in Lieu of T	ax (PILOT)	- Long Term T	ax Exemptions	_	Prior Bu	dget Year's Paymen	ts in Lieu of T	Tax (PILOT)	- Long Term T	ax Exemptions		Prior E	udget Year's Payment	ts in Lieu of	Tax (PILOT) - Long Term T	ax Exemptions	
Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate	Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate	Project Name	Type of Project (use drop-down for data entry)	Agreement Start Date	t Agreement End Date	PILOT Billing	Assessed Value	Taxes if Billed In Full 2024 Total Tax Rate
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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - PROPERTY TAX BREAKDOWN

<u>-</u>	ty Tax Levies - ALL e				Current Year 2025 Bud		m *
	Calendar Year	Calendar Year	% of	Avg Residential	<u>Taxes</u>	Actual/Estimated	Tax Levy
	Tax Rate	Tax Levy	Total Levy	Taxpayer Impact			
Municipal Purpose Tax	0.555	\$18,882,454.47	22.76%	\$1,608.74	Municipal Purpose Tax	ACTUAL	\$20,172,838.8
Municipal Library			0.00%	\$0.00	Municipal Library		
Municipal Open Space			0.00%	\$0.00	Municipal Open Space		
Municipal Arts and Culture			0.00%	\$0.00	Municipal Arts and Culture		
Fire Districts (avg. rate/total levies)			0.00%	\$0.00	Fire Districts (total levies)		
Other Special Districts (total levies)			0.00%	\$0.00	Other Special Districts (total levies)		
Local School District	1.410	\$47,923,966.00	57.75%	\$4,083.02	Local School District	ESTIMATED	\$49,093,503.0
Regional School District			0.00%	\$0.00	Regional School District		
County Purposes	0.440	\$14,956,955.32	18.02%	\$1,274.30	County Purposes	ESTIMATED	\$15,121,864.1
County Library	0.034	\$1,160,451.04	1.40%	\$98.87	County Library	ESTIMATED	\$1,159,831.4
County Board of Health	0.000	\$4.47	0.00%	\$0.00	County Board of Health		\$59,150.6
County Open Space	0.002	\$57,647.94	0.07%	\$4.91	County Open Space	ESTIMATED	
Other County Levies (total)			0.00%	\$0.00	Other County Levies (total)		
Total (Calendar Year 2024 Budget)	2.441	\$82,981,479.24	100.00%	\$7,069.84	Total ESTIMATED amount to be raised by taxe	es	\$85,607,188.04
	October 1, 2024	\$3,744,728,012.00			Revenue Anticipated, Excluding Tax Levy Budget Appropriations, before Reserve for Unc	ollected Taxes	11,860,516.1
Total Taxable Valuation as of (To be used to calculate the current year tax rat Current Year (2025) Average Residen	te)				Budget Appropriations, before Reserve for Unc	ollected Taxes	77
(To be used to calculate the current year tax rat Current Year (2025) Average Residen	te)	\$320,533.00			Budget Appropriations, before Reserve for Unc Total Non-Municipal Tax Levy	ollected Taxes	\$65,434,349.2
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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - HEALTH BENEFITS

		Current Year				
	Current Year # of	Annual Cost		Prior Year # of	Prior Year Annual	
	Covered Members	Estimate per	Total Current		Cost per Employee	
	(Medical & Rx)	Employee	Year Cost	(Medical & Rx)	(Average)	Cost
Active Employees - Health Benefits - Annual Cost						
Single Coverage	19.00	\$14,402.53	\$273,648.00	21.00	\$13,122.95	\$275,581.93
Parent & Child	11.00	\$23,157.82	\$254,736.00	8.00	\$23,301.00	\$186,408.00
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	14.00	\$30,491.14	\$426,876.00	10.00	\$27,810.00	\$278,100.00
Family	36.00	\$39,015.67	\$1,404,564.00	42.00	\$34,515.71	\$1,449,660.00
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative -)			(\$601,670.61)			(\$516,362.00)
Subtotal	80.00		\$1,758,153.39	81.00		\$1,673,387.93
Elected Officials - Health Benefits - Annual Cost						
Single Coverage	1	\$11,856.00	\$11,856.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Parent & Child	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Family	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative -)			(\$1,239.24)			\$0.00
Subtotal	1.00		\$10,616.76	0.00		\$0.00
Retirees - Health Benefits - Annual Cost						
Single Coverage	18	\$5,513.33	\$99,240.00	19	\$6,949.97	\$132,049.43
Parent & Child	3	\$19,682.84	\$59,048.52	3	\$23,984.88	\$71,954.64
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	44	\$12,070.35	\$531,095.52	43	\$15,233.04	\$655,020.72
Family	11	\$38,817.10	\$426,988.08	10	\$40,602.58	\$406,025.80
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative -)			(\$26,090.01)			(\$7,994.47)
Subtotal	76.00		\$1,090,282.11	75.00		\$1,257,056.12
GRAND TOTAL	157.00		\$2,859,052.26	156.00		\$2,930,444.05

Note - other health insurances such as dental and vision are not included in this analysis unless included in the employees total premium. Therefore, the total from this sheet may not agree with the budgeted appropriation.

Is medical coverage provided by the SHBP (Yes or No)? Is prescription drug coverage provided by the SHBP (Yes or No)?

NO NO

USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION BUDGETED PERSONNEL COSTS

Organization / Individuals Eligible for Benefit		# of Part-Time Employees	Total Personnel Cost	Base Pay	Overtime and other Compensation	Pension (Estimate)	Health Benefits Net of Cost Share	Employment Taxes and Other Benefits
Governing Body	1.00	5.00	60,841.26	\$45,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,398.76	\$3,442.50
Supervisory Staff (Department Heads & Managers)	16.00		2,200,996.26	\$1,521,783.49	\$0.00	\$260,377.16	\$302,419.18	\$116,416.44
Police Officers (Including Superior Officers)	32.00		6,572,922.95	\$3,968,087.70	\$315,920.00	\$1,468,192.45	\$517,164.09	\$303,558.71
Fire Fighters (Including Superior Officers)								
All Other Union Employees not listed above	51.00		5,396,843.32	\$3,255,744.58	\$208,000.00	\$557,057.90	\$1,126,976.38	\$249,064.46
All Other Non-Union Employees not listed above	5.00	24.00	452,866.30	\$294,912.45	\$28,080.00	\$50,459.52	\$56,853.53	\$22,560.80
Totals	105.00	29.00	14,684,470.09	\$9,085,528.22	\$552,000.00	\$2,336,087.02	\$2,015,811.94	\$695,042.91

Is the Local Government required to comply with N.J.S.A. 11A (Civil Service)? - YES or NO

YES

Note - <u>Base Pay</u> is the annualized rate of pay to which overtime (if eligible) and/or pension is calculated. Either calculation is fine at the discretion of the Local Unit. Overtime and other compensation is any other item that is charged as a salary and wage expense but not included in Base Pay.

USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION ACCUMULATED ABSENCE LIABILITY

							Legal basis for benefit						
		Sick Time	Va	acation Time	Comp	ensatory Time	P	ersonal Time		Other	("X"	applicable i	tems)
Bargamming officer work-unfort Position Engine for Benefit (List Union Employees Liabilities by Bargaining Unit and Non-Union Employees by Individual Title Rather Than Naming Each Individuals)	Gross Days of Accumulated Absence	Dollar Value of Compensated Absences	Gross Days of Accumulated Absence	Dollar Value of Compensated Absences	Gross Days of Accumulated Absence	Dollar Value of Compensated Absences	Gross Days of Accumulated Absence	Dollar Value of Compensated Absences	Gross Days of Accumulated Absence	Dollar Value of Compensated Absences	Approved Labor Agreement		Individual Employment Agreement
Organized Municipal Employees- UAW	1,144.81	\$106,054.30	216.69	\$51,114.64	31.39	\$7,235.55	5				Х		
Department of Public Works-AFSCME	739.00	\$68,018.44	248.00	\$60,920.08	68.34	\$13,913.94					Х		
Administration- Non-Union Employees	1,279.85	\$95,305.98	282.46	\$81,888.03	1.77	\$552.39)					х	
Police Department- PBA	2,002.19	\$318,995.99	405.06	\$197,888.67	154.53	\$65,218.23	3				х		
Police Chief	218.13	\$15,000.00	32.75	\$23,659.33	13.63	\$9,843.00)						х
TOTALS (THIS PAGE ONLY)	5,383.98	\$603,374.71	1,184.96	\$415,470.75	269.66	\$96,763.11		\$0.00		\$0.00			
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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - SHARED SERVICES PROVIDED AND RECEIVED

Lead or Recipient Agency	Agency Type	Agency Providing Services To/Receiving Services From	Department	Type of Shared Service	Notes (Enter more specifics if needed)	Begin Date	End Date	Amount to be Received/Paid
Lead	Municipality	Franklin	Animal Control	Animal Control		4/1/2021	12/31/2026	\$14,000.00
Lead	Authority	Vernon Township Municipal Utility Authority	Finance Services	Finance Services		1/1/2023	12/31/2025	\$98,938.00
Lead	Montague	Montague	Animal Control	Animal Control		1/1/2021	12/31/2026	\$16,100.00
Lead	County	Sussex County	Senior Citizen Nutrition Site	Senior Citizen Nutrition Site		1/1/2022	12/31/2026	\$27,700.00
Lead	Municipality	Wantage	9-1-1 Communications	9-1-1 Communications		1/1/2020	12/31/2026	\$15,000.00
Lead	Municipality	Lafayette	Animal Control	Animal Control		1/1/2022	12/31/2026	\$18,860.00
Lead	Municipality	Hamburg	Animal Control	Animal Control		1/1/2022	12/31/2026	\$13,500.00
Lead	Municipality	Ogdensburg	Animal Control	Animal Control		1/1/2022	12/31/2026	\$13,780.00
Lead	Municipality	Hardyston	Animal Control	Animal Control		1/1/2022	12/31/2026	\$18,860.00
Lead	School District	Vernon Township School District	Utilities	Shared Facilities	Shared Gasoline Pumps	11/1/2022	6/30/2028	\$235,341.60
Recipient	Authority	Vernon Township Municipal Utility Authority	DPW	Snow Removal	Employee/Vehicle use for snow removal	1/1/2024	12/31/2025	varies
	Amount Received Page Total				-			\$472,079.60
-	Amount Paid Page Total	-		-	-		1	\$0.00
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	Amount Received Total							\$472,079.60
	Amount Paid Total							\$0.00
	Total							\$472,079.60

USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - OUTSTANDING DEBT; PER CAPITA AND BUDGET IMPACT

	Gross		Net		Current Year	2026	2027	All Additional Future
	Debt	Deductions	Debt		Budget	Budget	Budget	Years' Budgets
Local School Debt	\$3,150,000.00	\$3,150,000.00	\$0.00	Utility Fund - Principal				
Regional School Debt			\$0.00	Utility Fund - Interest				
				Bond Anticipation Notes - Principal	\$625,575.00			
<u>Utility Fund Debt</u>				Bond Anticipation Notes - Interest	\$230,000.00			
			\$0.00		\$2,150,000.00	\$2,195,000.00	\$1,105,000.00	\$10,075,000.00
			\$0.00	.	\$410,750.00	\$329,666.55	\$268,984.58	\$962,915.42
			\$0.00	Loans & Other Debt - Principal				
			\$0.00	Loans & Other Debt - Interest				
			\$0.00					
				Total	\$3,416,325.00	\$2,524,666.55	\$1,373,984.58	\$11,037,915.42
Municipal Purposes				_				
Debt Authorized (BNI)	\$5,854,568.00		\$5,854,568.00	Total Principal	\$2,775,575.00	\$2,195,000.00	\$1,105,000.00	\$10,075,000.00
Notes Outstanding	\$8,361,924.00		\$8,361,924.00	Total Interest	\$640,750.00	\$329,666.55	\$268,984.58	\$962,915.42
Bonds Outstanding	\$15,525,000.00		\$15,525,000.00	% of Total Current Year Budget	10.53%			
Loans and Other Debt			\$0.00			•		
				Description		Debt Not List	ted Above	
Total (Current Year)	\$32,891,492.00	\$3,150,000.00	\$29,741,492.00	Total Guarantees - Governmental				
	_			Total Guarantees - Other				
				Total Capital/Equipment Leases				
Population (2020 census)	22,358			Total Other				
Per Capita Gross Debt	\$1,471.13			Bond Rating	Moody's	Standard & Poors	<u>Fitch</u>	
Per Capita Net Debt	\$1,330.24			Rating	Aa3			
				Year of Last Rating	2021			
3 Year Average Property Valuation		\$3,467,284,176.33		 				
	=			 Mark "X" if Municipality has	no bond rating			
Net Debt as % of 3 Year Average Pr	roperty Valuation	0.86%			8			
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USER FRIENDLY BUDGET SECTION - Notes

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