

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-89**

**AUTHORIZING THE TAX COLLECTOR TO PROCESS THIRD QUARTER  
“ESTIMATED” TAX BILLS, DUE AUGUST 1, 2026**

**WHEREAS**, in light of the unknown date of receiving the 2026 certified tax rate; and

**WHEREAS**, the Division of Local Government Services, (DLGS) cannot certify State Aid allocations to municipal budgets until State Aid Appropriations are known; and

**WHEREAS**, the DLGS cannot approve municipal budgets and the County Board of Taxation cannot certify taxes until long after the June 30, 2026 deadline to process third quarter tax bills due August 1, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, without an adopted 2026 Municipal Budget and without a 2026 Certified Tax Rate, the Tax Collector cannot process the final 2026 Tax Levy; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tax Collector, in consultation with the Chief Financial Officer, computed and certified an estimated Tax Levy necessary to bill third quarter taxes due August 1, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, the general tax rate is anticipated to be \$3.231 per \$100 assessed valuation resulting in a \$43,585,890.60 total levy in 2026, which is equal to 105.00% of the 2025 Tax Levy.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the governing body of the Township of Florence, New Jersey, that the Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to process estimated tax bills for the third quarterly installment of 2026 taxes; and

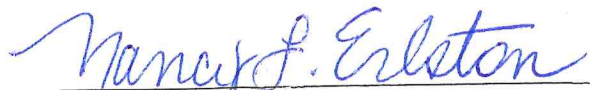
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that, the third quarterly installment of 2026 taxes shall not be subject to interest until the later of August 10, 2026 or the twenty-fifth (25) calendar day after the date the estimated tax bills were mailed. The estimated tax bills shall contain a notice specifying the date on with interest may begin to accrue

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**I, NANCY L. ERLSTON**, Township Clerk of the Township of Florence, Burlington County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution approved by the Township Council at a meeting held on April 15, 2026.



Nancy L. Erlston, RMC  
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE  
ESTIMATED TAX BILLINGS CALCULATIONS - 2026

2025 RATABLE: **1,345,940,400**

2025 Tax Levy	
County - General	\$ 0.335 \$ 4,502,460.11
County - Library	0.031 421,685.68
County - Health	-
County - Open Space	0.041 551,570.16
School	1.817 24,453,665.00
Local	0.556 7,475,364.33
Open Space	0.010 134,504.92
Fire District	0.296 3,971,121.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3.086 \$ 41,510,372.00</b>

95% Calculation		105% Calculation	
County - General	\$ 0.317 \$ 4,277,337.10	County - General	\$ 0.350 \$ 4,727,583.12
County - Library	0.030 400,601.40	County - Library	0.033 442,769.96
County - Health	-	County - Health	-
County - Open Space	0.039 523,991.65	County - Open Space	0.043 579,148.67
School	1.722 23,230,981.75	School	1.903 25,676,348.25
Local	0.526 7,101,596.11	Local	0.582 7,849,132.55
Open Space	0.009 127,779.67	Open Space	0.010 141,230.17
Fire District	0.280 3,772,565.71	Fire District	0.309 4,169,677.89
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2.923 \$ 39,434,853.40</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3.231 \$ 43,585,890.60</b>

2026 RATABLE: **1,348,944,700**

2026 ESTIMATED Tax Levy - GOVERNING BODY ACTION	
County - General	\$ 0.350 \$ 4,727,583.12
County - Library	0.033 442,769.96
County - Health	-
County - Open Space	0.043 579,148.67
School	1.903 25,676,348.25
Local	0.582 7,849,132.55
Open Space	0.010 141,230.17
Fire District	0.309 4,169,677.89
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3.231 \$ 43,585,890.60</b>

Chief Financial Officer

*Andrzej Chowaniec*

Tax Collector

*Andrzej M. Sulecki 4/10/2026*