

RESOLUTION NO. 2025- 136

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION GREEN ACRES
PROGRAM ENABLING RESOLUTION.**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program (“State”), provides loans and/or grants to municipal and county governments and grants to nonprofit organizations for assistance in the acquisition and development of lands for outdoor recreation and conservation purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland has previously obtained a Green Acres grant of \$1,200,000 from the State to fund the following project(s):

**#0614-21-009
Romano Complex
Improvements; and**

WHEREAS, the State and the City of Vineland intend to increase Green Acres funding by \$2,800,000, to increase Green Acres funding to a total of \$4,000,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VINELAND THAT:

1. The Mayor of the City of Vineland are hereby authorized to execute an agreement and any amendment(s) thereto with the State known as Romano Complex Improvements, and;
2. The applicant agrees to provide its matching share to the Green Acres funding, if a match is required, in the amount of \$997,000;
3. The applicant agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, and regulations in its performance of the project, and;
4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted: March 25, 2025

President of Council pfs

ATTEST:

City Clerk rgf

CERTIFICATION

I, Richard G. Franchetta, City Clerk (name and title of Secretary or equivalent) do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by Vineland City Council (name of legal body or board) at a meeting held on the 25th day of March, 2025.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and the official seal of this body this 25th day of March, 2025.

(name and title of Secretary or equivalent)