

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1  
BUENA VISTA TOWNSHIP  
ATLANTIC COUNTY, NJ**

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of Fire District No. 1, Buena Vista Township, Atlantic County, NJ that the annual election will take place at the Richland Fire House, Meeting Room, 876 Main Avenue, Richland, NJ on Saturday, February 21, 2026 from 2:00 PM until 9:00 PM.

Placed upon the ballot will be the election of two members to the Board of Fire Commissioners for a full term of three years, and the approval of the proposed 2026 budget.

Any qualified and registered voter who wishes to vote by mail must request an absentee ballot from the Atlantic County Clerk's Office, 5901 Main Street, Mays Landing, NJ 08330, telephone (609) 625-4011.

The proposed 2026 budget is as follows:

Operating Appropriations

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Administration         | \$ 27,360 |
| Operations/Maintenance | 166,800   |

Capital Appropriations

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Capital Improvements       | \$ 0   |
| Reserve for Capital Outlay | 33,740 |

Debt Service Appropriations

|           |               |
|-----------|---------------|
| Principal | \$ 45,784     |
| Interest  | <u>36,367</u> |

Total Appropriations: \$ 310,050

Anticipated Revenue

|                                 |                |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| Fund Balance Utilized           | \$ 1,059       |
| Miscellaneous Revenue           | 239            |
| Operating Grant Revenue         | 820            |
| Amount to be Raised by Taxation | <u>308,991</u> |

Total Revenues: \$ 310,050

**Secretary Randall J. Knapp, Jr.**