

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
COUNCIL AGENDA, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2024
EXECUTIVE SESSION – 6:30 P.M.
REGULAR SESSION – 7:30 P.M.**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the regular session part of the meeting starting at 7:30 p.m. will be held in person at 10 Mansfield Drive and via Zoom Webinar. The public may connect using a computer or smart device by clicking on the following link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82117363001>, or by calling any of the following number's US: +1 646 518 9805 or +1 267 831 0333 to participate. When prompted, enter the Meeting ID Number: 821 1736 3001. The public will have the opportunity to comment at appropriate times during the meeting. Formal action will be taken.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2. OPEN PUBLIC MEETING STATEMENT

This meeting is called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Both adequate and electronic notice of the meeting has been provided, specifying the time, place. In addition, a copy of this notice is available to the public and is on file in the office of the Municipal Clerk, posted on the main door, the bulletin board of the Municipal Building, on the Township website at: https://www.byramtp.org/index.php/town_hall/township_council, and has been forwarded to those persons requesting notice.

3. ROLL CALL

4. RESOLUTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a. Attorney Client Privilege Communication
 - General
 - Sutton Lane
 - 70A Lackawanna Drive

5. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

6. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION

7. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

8. ORDINANCE – 1st Reading / Introduction

9. AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP AMENDING THE CODE OF BYRAM TO ADD A NEW CHAPTER ENTITLED “CHAPTER 212, TREE PRESERVATION” TO THE CODE TO CONTROL TREE REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT IN ORDER TO REDUCE STORMWATER RUNOFF AND POLLUTANTS, AND TO PROMOTE INFILTRATION OF RAINWATER INTO THE SOIL

Purpose Statement: The purpose of this article is to protect valuable, desirable, distinctive and valued trees and woodlands from indiscriminate destruction and damage, and further to reduce soil erosion and pollutant runoff, promote infiltration of rainwater into the soil, and protect the environment, public health, safety, and welfare.

10. RECOGNITION OF RESIGNATION – Recreation Committee Member – Nicole Halajjian

11. REPORTS

- Township Manager
- Mayor and Council Members
- Township Attorney

12. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION I – Meeting open to the public for comments on matters not on the agenda or items on the agenda for which no public discussion is provided.

13. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- April 2, 2024 Regular & Closed Session Meeting Minutes

14. RESOLUTION NO. 073-2024 – A Resolution of the Township of Byram Requesting that First Energy Rapidly Increase Internal Funding for JCP&L to Quickly Rectify Long Delayed, Yet Necessary, Modernization Upgrades to its Electrical Distribution Grid

15. CONSENT AGENDA: These items are considered to be routine by the Members of the Township Council and will be enacted on by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a citizen or Council member so requests in which event the item may be removed from the general order of business and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

- A. Resolution No. 064-2024 – Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of Not Exceeding \$670,900 Bond Anticipation Notes of the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey

- B. Resolution No. 065-2024 – Resolution Authorizing the Refund of Redemption Monies to Outside Lien Holder – Block 282 Lot 400 – 11 Sherwood Forest Drive
- C. Resolution No. 066-2024 – Resolution Authorizing the Refund of Redemption Monies to Outside Lien Holder – Block 212, Lot 5 - 239 Rt. 206
- D. Resolution No. 067-2024 – Resolution for 100% Exempt Veteran Owner of Block 255 Lot 1 Partial Cancellation of Taxes the First Half of 2024 “Authorizing Partial Taxes Remitted (Cancelled) for 2024”
- E. Resolution No. 068-2024 – Resolution Authorizing 100% Disabled Veteran Exempt Status to Owner of Block 255 Lot 1 Partial Refund of Taxes Paid for 1st Quarter in 2024 – 175 Lake Drive
- F. Resolution No. 069-2024 – Resolution for 100% Exempt Veteran Owner of Block 5 Lot 678 Cancellation of Taxes for the Remainder of First Half 2024 “Authorizing Taxes be Remitted (Cancelled) for 2024” – 38 Belton Street
- G. Resolution No. 070-2024 – Resolution Authorizing 100% Disabled Veteran Exempt Status to Owner of Block 5 Lot 678 for Tax Year 2024 and the Cancellation of Taxes for First Half of 2024 and Refund of Taxes Paid for 1st Quarter in 2024 – 38 Belton Street
- H. Resolution No. 071-2024 – Resolution for 100% Exempt Veteran Owner of Block 278 Lot 603 Cancellation of Taxes for the Remainder of First Half 2024 “Authorizing Taxes be Remitted (Cancelled) for 2024” – 10 Woodland Road
- I. Resolution No. 072-2024 – Resolution Authorizing 100% Disabled Veteran Exempt Status to Owner of Block 278 Lot 603 for Tax Year 2024 and the Cancellation of Taxes for the First Half of 2024 and the Refund of Taxes Paid for 1st Quarter in 2024 – 10 Woodland Road
- J. Resolution No. 074-2024 – Authorization to Purchase Firefighter Protective Clothing and Equipment under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for budget Year 2024
- K. Resolution No. 075-2024 – Resolution Authorizing the Submission of a \$1,500 Grant to the Association of New Jersey Environmental Commissions (ANJEC) for 2024 Open Space Stewardship Grant for Environmental Commission
- L. Resolution No. 076-2024 – Participant Resolution – LEAP Implementation Grant
- M. Resolution No. 077-2024 – Resolution of Approval Allowing the Lenape Blazers Softball Team to Install Backstop Covers at the Neil Gylling Park During Their 2024 Season

16. APPROVAL OF APRIL 17, 2024 BILL LIST

17. ORDINANCE – 2nd Reading / Public Hearing

ORDINANCE 005-2024 - AMENDED ORDINANCE FOR ADMINISTRATION & HOURLY POSITIONS SALARY AND WAGES FOR THE YEAR 2021-2026

ORDINANCE 006-2024 - AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE A CAPITAL EXPENDITURE FOR IMPROVEMENTS OF VARIOUS STREETS AND LOCATIONS IN AND BY THE TOWNSHIP AND TO PROVIDE FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$100,000.00

Purpose Statement: Reconstruction and Resurfacing of Various Streets and Locations in and by the Township including without limitation, Stonehedge Lane, Manor Drive, Birch Parkway, Mayfair Lane, Bridge Lane, Sandra Lane, Catalina Drive, & Camelot Drive and other streets and roads in the Township to be determined including reconstruction of culverts and headwalls and all curbing, drainage facilities/inlets, landscaping, reclamation, milling, structures, roadway surfaces including milling and paving, oil and stone, cape sealing or similar application, materials, equipment, site work and engineering costs.

18. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

Noise Ordinance

Fire Truck Next Steps

19. FUTURE AGENDA DISCUSSION ITEMS

20. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION II

21. EXECUTIVE SESSION – Session II (if necessary)

22. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THE COUNCIL DEEMS NECESSARY

23. ADJOURNMENT

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
Sussex County, New Jersey

ORDINANCE No. 007-2024

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP AMENDING THE CODE OF BYRAM TO ADD A NEW
CHAPTER ENTITLED “CHAPTER 212, TREE PRESERVATION” TO
THE CODE TO CONTROL TREE REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT IN
ORDER TO REDUCE STORMWATER RUNOFF AND POLLUTANTS,
AND TO PROMOTE INFILTRATION OF RAINWATER INTO THE SOIL**

Purpose Statement: The purpose of this article is to protect valuable, desirable, distinctive and valued trees and woodlands from indiscriminate destruction and damage, and further to reduce soil erosion and pollutant runoff, promote infiltration of rainwater into the soil, and protect the environment, public health, safety, and welfare.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection requires that all Tier A municipalities take measures to control the removal of trees in order to reduce stormwater runoff and to promote infiltration of rainwater into the soil. In order to comply with the requirements of the Township of Byram’s Municipal Stormwater General Permit, the Township Council wishes to amend the revised general ordinances to require that measures be taken to preserve trees within the Township and provide guidelines for replacement of trees when unauthorized removal occurs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Byram Township Mayor and Council that the Code of the Township of Byram is amended as follows:

Section 1. The Code is amended to add a new Chapter 212 to be entitled “Tree Preservation” and to state in its entirety as follows:

212 Tree Preservation

212-1 Purpose:

The purpose of this article is to protect valuable, desirable, distinctive and valued trees and woodlands from indiscriminate destruction and damage, and further to reduce soil erosion and pollutant runoff, promote infiltration of rainwater into the soil, and protect the environment, public health, safety, and welfare.

212-2 Definitions:

Definitions is created to include the following:

For the purpose of this ordinance, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this

Chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When consistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word “shall” is always mandatory and not merely directory.

APPLICANT - any “person” who applies for approval to remove trees regulated under this ordinance.

CLEAR CUTTING - the removal of all, or a substantial amount of trees on a subject property for the purpose of a creating lawn or graded areas on a property within the limits of the Township.

DRIP LINE - the outermost circumference of a tree's canopy, from which water drips onto the ground. The 'dripline area' is taken to include the soil and roots that lie within that circumference.

HAZARD TREE - a tree or limbs thereof that meet one or more of the criteria below. Trees that do not meet any of the criteria below and are proposed to be removed solely for development purposes are not hazard trees.

1. Has an infectious disease or insect infestation;
2. Is dead or dying;
3. Obstructs the view of traffic signs or the free passage of pedestrians or vehicles, where pruning attempts have not been effective;
4. Is located near an existing structure and poses a threat to that structure since the structure is located in the fall zone of said tree;
5. Has a root system that is causing or has the potential to cause damage to structures (such as building foundations, sidewalks, etc.); or
6. Is determined to be a threat to public health, safety, and/or welfare by a certified arborist or Licensed Tree Expert (LTE).

LOT DISTURBANCE – includes all areas disturbed for the purpose of the construction of buildings and structures as well as all graded areas and lawns. The total shall include disturbed areas both inside and outside of the building envelope.

PERSON - any individual, resident, corporation, utility, company, partnership, firm, or association.

MUNICIPAL RIGHT-OF-WAY STRIP - the area between the owner's property lot line and edge of pavement as defined in Chapter 214. Right-of-Way Strip.

RESIDENT - an individual who resides on the residential property or contractor hired by the individual who resides on the residential property where a tree(s) regulated by this ordinance is removed or proposed to be removed.

STREET TREE - a tree planted within the Municipal Right-of-Way Strip”.

TRACT DISTURBANCE - Any lot improvement, including construction or expansion of buildings, decks, sheds, garages, driveways, lawns, pools, septic fields, land clearing, tree removal, terracing and other land improvements.

TREE - a woody perennial plant, typically having a single stem or trunk growing to a considerable height and bearing lateral branches at some distance from the ground.

TREE CALIPER - the diameter of the trunk of a young tree, measured six (6) inches from the soil line. For young trees whose caliper exceeds four (4) inches, the measurement is taken twelve (12) inches above the soil line.

TREE REMOVAL - to kill or to cause irreparable damage that leads to the decline and/or death of a tree. This includes, but is not limited to, excessive pruning, application of substances that are toxic to the tree, over-mulching or improper mulching, and improper grading and/or soil compaction within the critical root radius around the base of the tree that leads to the decline and/or death of a tree. Removal does not include responsible pruning and maintenance of a tree, or the application of treatments intended to manage invasive species.

212-3 *Clear Cutting is Prohibited*

With the exceptions of the exemptions established in this article, no person shall cut or remove, or cause to be cut or removed, any existing trees for the purpose of clear cutting unless the cutting and removal can be accomplished in accordance with the provisions set forth in this article or pursuant to other such preservation regulations as may be set forth in the Code of Byram Township.

212-4 *Exemptions*

The following shall be exempted from the requirements of this article:

- A. Commercial nurseries or fruit orchards.
- B. Christmas tree farms.

- C. Any tree which is a part of a cemetery.
- D. Trees directed to be removed by the Township, County, State or Federal authority pursuant to law.
- E. Removal of hazardous trees which are dead, dying or diseased, or damaged trees, or trees whose angle or growth makes them an immediate hazard to structures or human life.
- F. Pruning or removal of street trees by utility companies or maintenance of utility wires or pipelines and the pruning of trees within sight easements.
- G. Trees removed in conjunction with the Right to Farm Act, on qualifying farms.
- H. Parcels of land with a forest management plan approved by the NJDEP Division of Forestry. The approved plan must be submitted to the Planning & Zoning Department as a matter of record.
- I. Street trees which are required to be removed by property owners due to said trees interfering with driver sight distances or are dead or dying and need to be removed to preserve the public health, safety and general welfare.
- J. Parcels of land with preliminary site plan or subdivision approval, major or minor. Removal of trees prior to Township Planning Board approval is prohibited, unless it is part of site investigation such as percolation test for septic system suitability.
- K. Trees to be removed as necessary to permit the construction of buildings, structures, decks, pools, driveways, septic field, lawn area for recreational use for the residents of the dwelling and any other improvements approved by way of a Zoning Permit issued by the Township Zoning Officer.
- L. Tree removed as required to install a new and/or repair an existing septic system as approved by the Sussex County Health Department or the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.

212-5 *Review and Design Standards*

- A. Healthy trees outside of the approved building disturbance areas should be retained to maintain resource protection and buffering to neighboring properties, unless the trees pose a hazard to person or property or whereby the approved construction grading or disturbance would cause damage to a tree creating an unsafe condition.

- B. Trees and vegetation shall not be removed in wetlands, wetland buffers, slopes in excess of 25 percent, flood plains, stream buffers, dedicated conservation easements or other environmentally protected areas unless approvals from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) and/or Byram Township have been obtained.
- C. Lot disturbance shall be limited to the area permitted in the zoning district in which a property is located. If the lot disturbance exceeds the allowable area, an approval from the Township Planning Board will be required prior to any tree cutting occurs. Any cutting that occurs prior to receiving the necessary approvals being granted will be considered not authorized.
- D. No trees shall be removed, unless exempted as defined in Section 212-4, from critical areas as defined in accordance with section 240-29.2, Tract Disturbance of the Township's Zoning Code. Approval from the Township Planning Board will be required for any removal of trees that is deemed a violation of 240-29.2. Any cutting that occurs prior the necessary approvals being granted will be considered not authorized.
- E. Commercial properties removing trees, planting of trees and landscaping are part of any Planning Board approval and shall be in accordance with Section 215, Subdivision and Site Plan Review of the Code of Byram Township, as well as addressed in Section 240, Zoning. Any cutting that occurs prior to receiving the necessary approvals being granted will be considered not authorized.

212-6 *Enforcement*

This ordinance shall be enforced by the Township's Zoning Officer, or designee of the Township Manager during the course of ordinary enforcement duties. It shall be unlawful for any reason to violate any part of this section adopted by the Township of Byram Council.

212-7 *Violations and Penalties*

- A. Any removal of trees that is part of land disturbance that exceeds the permitted lot disturbance area and a zoning permit cannot be issued, an approval from the Township Planning Board will be required. The restoration of any disturbed areas not permitted by the Planning Board will need to be restored in a manner approved by the Planning Board Planner.
- B. Any removal of trees that is part of land disturbance within a critical areas as defined by 240-29.2, Tract Disturbance, shall require an approval from the Township Planning Board. The restoration of any disturbed areas not permitted

by the Planning Board will need to be restored in a manner approved by the Planning Board Planner.

- C. Penalty. The Township Administrative Code § 1-15 shall apply to any violation of the tree removal regulations contained in this article.

Section 2. Severability:

Each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase of this Section is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase, and finding or holding of any such portion of this Section to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause or reason shall not affect any other portion of this Section.

Section 3. Inconsistency/Repealer:

All prior ordinances or parts of the same inconsistent with any provisions of this article are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4. Effective Date:

This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after final adoption and publication as required by law.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

Introduced: April 17, 2024 Adopted:

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing Ordinance No. 007-2024 was submitted in writing at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey, held on the 17th of April, 2024. Introduced and read by title and passed on the first reading and that said Township Mayor and Council will further consider the Ordinance for second reading and final passage thereof at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of May, 2024 at 7:30 p.m., at the Township of Byram Municipal Building, 10 Mansfield Drive, Stanhope, New Jersey, at which time and place a public hearing will be held thereon by the Township Council and all persons and citizens in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard concerning same.

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 073-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM REQUESTING THAT FIRST ENERGY RAPIDLY INCREASE INTERNAL FUNDING FOR JCP&L TO QUICKLY RECTIFY LONG DELAYED, YET NECESSARY, MODERNIZATION UPGRADES TO ITS ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION GRID

WHEREAS, the delivery of electrical power through a reliable, resilient and modern electrical distribution grid to deliver electrical power is a vital need for Byram residents and businesses, and;

WHEREAS, First Energy, through its subsidiary Jersey Central Power & Light (JCP&L) was granted a monopoly to serve the public by providing this service, and;

WHEREAS, Byram has experienced excessive outages over the past years from pests, storm damage and infrastructure failures at JCP&L, and;

WHEREAS, JCP&L distributes critically needed electricity to Byram Township through an old distribution grid badly in need of updating, and;

WHEREAS, JCP&L continually presents that long delayed and neglected tree maintenance is its source of problems without the same focus and priority on failing to continually upgrade ancient infrastructure, and;

WHEREAS, JCP&L's parent company, First Energy, had experienced financial hardship through large, unfortunate coal and nuclear power investments that have nothing to do with Byram's service need and why First Energy holds its monopoly to serve the Byram Township public, and;

WHEREAS, even when these expensive coal and nuclear production divisions were put into a bankruptcy process, First Energy still found ways to provide a robust dividend to shareholders at the expense of modernizing its JCP&L grid for Byram ratepayers, and;

WHEREAS, updating JCP&L's grid would bring badly needed command, control and communication capability for JCP&L management to end repair crew confusion, bring added grid safety, and improve JCP&L's timely and effective response to power upsets, and;

WHEREAS, these added capabilities would provide JCP&L's customers faster, more accurate communication during critical times of power loss, and;

WHEREAS, the long delayed addition of sensors, automated switchgear and fuse reclosers to JCP&L's distribution grid would allow JCP&L to quickly isolate faults and immediately re-route and re-establish power to many affected customers while also beneficially lowering JCP&L's repair crew workload, and;

WHEREAS, JCP&L conflated before Byram Township’s Mayor and Council the terms of a ratepayer special, additional “charge” and an “investment”;

WHEREAS, First Energy has deprived Byram residents, for decades, of this smarter grid the likes of which can be found elsewhere and throughout the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Byram's Mayor and Township Council requests that First Energy rapidly increase its internal funding for JCP&L to quickly rectify long delayed, yet necessary, modernization upgrades to the electrical distribution grid before asking anew for special ratepayer charges;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the copies of this resolution will be distributed to all Sussex County Clerks, Governing Bodies, Freeholders, BPU, JCP&L, Ratepayer Advocate, District Assembly and State Representatives.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
RESOLUTION NO. 064 - 2024**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT
EXCEEDING \$670,900 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
BYRAM, IN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX, NEW JERSEY.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM, IN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX, NEW JERSEY, AS
FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Pursuant to a bond ordinance of The Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex (the "Township") entitled: "Bond ordinance appropriating \$638,000, and authorizing the issuance of \$405,000 bonds or notes of the Township, for various improvements or purposes authorized to be undertaken by the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey", finally adopted on May 17, 2016 (#18-2016), bond anticipation notes of the Township in a principal amount not exceeding \$25,000 shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement or purpose described in Section 3 of said bond ordinance, including (to any extent necessary) the renewal of any bond anticipation notes heretofore issued therefor.

Section 2. Pursuant to a bond ordinance of the Township entitled: "Bond ordinance appropriating \$550,000, and authorizing the issuance of \$522,000 bonds or notes of the Township, for various improvements or purposes authorized to be undertaken by the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey", finally adopted on May 1, 2018 (#09-2018), bond anticipation notes of the Township in a principal amount not exceeding \$208,800 shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement or purpose described in Section 3 of said bond ordinance, including (to any extent necessary) the renewal of any bond anticipation notes heretofore issued therefor.

Section 3. Pursuant to a bond ordinance of the Township entitled: “Bond ordinance providing for the initial costs associated with the construction of a new municipal building in and by the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey, appropriating \$311,000 therefor and authorizing the issuance of \$295,000 bonds or notes of the Township for financing such appropriation”, finally adopted on August 13, 2019 (#11-2019), bond anticipation notes of the Township in a principal amount not exceeding \$196,500 shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement or purpose described in Section 3 of said bond ordinance, including (to any extent necessary) the renewal of any bond anticipation notes heretofore issued therefor.

Section 4. Pursuant to a bond ordinance of the Township entitled: “Bond ordinance providing for the acquisition of new and additional equipment by the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey, appropriating \$186,800 therefor and authorizing the issuance of \$176,000 bonds or notes of the Township for financing such appropriation”, finally adopted on October 1, 2019 (#14-2019), bond anticipation notes of the Township in a principal amount not exceeding \$105,600 shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement or purpose described in Section 3 of said bond ordinance, including (to any extent necessary) the renewal of any bond anticipation notes heretofore issued therefor.

Section 5. Pursuant to a bond ordinance of the Township entitled: “Bond ordinance providing for the improvement of the Department of Public Works facility in and by the Township of Byram, in the County of Sussex, New Jersey, appropriating \$450,000 therefor and authorizing the issuance of \$427,000 bonds or notes of the Township for financing such appropriation”, finally adopted on July 5, 2023 (#12-2023), bond anticipation notes of the Township in a principal amount not exceeding \$135,000 shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement or purpose described in Section 3 of said

bond ordinance, including (to any extent necessary) the renewal of any bond anticipation notes heretofore issued therefor.

Section 6. All bond anticipation notes (the “notes”) issued hereunder shall mature at such times as may be determined by the treasurer, the chief financial officer or the acting chief financial officer of the Township (the “Chief Financial Officer”), provided that no note shall mature later than one year from its date. The notes shall bear interest at such rate or rates and be in such form as may be determined by the Chief Financial Officer and shall be signed and sealed by officials and officers of the Township in any manner permitted by N.J.S.A. §40A:2-25. The Chief Financial Officer shall determine all matters in connection with the notes issued hereunder, and the Chief Financial Officer’s signature upon the notes shall be conclusive evidence as to all such determinations. All notes issued hereunder may be renewed from time to time subject to the provisions of N.J.S.A. §40A:2-8. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the notes at not less than par from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver them to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price. The Chief Financial Officer is directed to report in writing to the governing body of the Township at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the notes hereunder is made. Such report must include the principal amount, interest rate and maturities of the notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

Section 7. Any note issued pursuant to this resolution shall be a general obligation of the Township, and the Township’s faith and credit are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the notes and, unless otherwise paid or payment provided for, an amount sufficient for such payment shall be inserted in the budget and a tax sufficient to provide for the payment thereof shall be levied and collected.

Section 8. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized and directed to do all other matters necessary, useful, convenient or desirable to accomplish the delivery of the notes to the purchasers thereof as promptly as possible, including (i) the preparation,

execution and dissemination of a Preliminary Official Statement and Final Official Statement with respect to the notes, (ii) preparation, distribution and publication, if necessary, of a Notice of Sale with respect to the notes, (iii) execution of a Continuing Disclosure Undertaking, with respect to the notes in accordance with Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission and (iv) execution of an arbitrage and use of proceeds certificate certifying that, among other things, the Township, to the extent it is empowered and allowed under applicable law, will do and perform all acts and things necessary or desirable to assure that interest paid on the notes is not included in gross income under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Section 9. All action heretofore taken by Township officials and professionals with regard to the sale and award of the notes is hereby ratified, confirmed, adopted and approved.

Section 10. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 065– 2024**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REFUND OF REDEMPTION MONIES TO OUTSIDE LIEN
HOLDER**

WHEREAS, at the Municipal Tax Sale held on October 20, 2023, a lien was sold on Block 282 Lot 400, also known as 11 Sherwood Forest Drive, for 2022 delinquent real estate taxes; and

WHEREAS, this lien which is known as Tax Sale Certificate #2023-007 was sold to Smyrna Group, LLC at 9% interest; and

WHEREAS, Thomas B. Wraith Jr., property owner, has effected a redemption of certificate #2023-007 in the amount of \$228.31;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Byram, that the Governing Body acknowledges that Smyrna Group, LLC is entitled to the redemption in the amount of \$228.31; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer be authorized to issue a check in the total amount of \$228.31 for the total redemption of certificate #2023-007 payable to Smyrna Group, LLC, PO Box 845, Tenafly, NJ, 07670.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilman Bonker	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

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Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 066– 2024**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REFUND OF REDEMPTION MONIES TO OUTSIDE LIEN
HOLDER**

WHEREAS, at the Municipal Tax Sale held on October 20, 2023, a lien was sold on Block 212 Lot 5, also known as 239 Rt. 206, for 2022 delinquent real estate taxes; and

WHEREAS, this lien which is known as Tax Sale Certificate #2023-003 was sold to Christiana T C/F CEI/Firsttrust at 0% interest with a premium of \$71,900.00; and

WHEREAS, Incredible Bank, mortgage company, has effected a redemption of certificate #2023-003 in the amount of \$102,973.80;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Byram, that the Governing Body acknowledges that Christiana T C/F CEI/Firsttrust is entitled to the redemption in the amount of \$174,873.80; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer be authorized to issue a check in the total amount of \$174,873.80 for the total redemption of certificate #2023-003 payable to Christiana T C/F CEI/Firsttrust, PO Box 5021, Philadelphia, PA 19111.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilman Bonker	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

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Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 067 – 2024

**RESOLUTION FOR 100% EXEMPT VETERAN OWNER OF BLOCK 255 LOT 1 PARTIAL
CANCELLATION OF TAXES THE FIRST HALF OF 2024
“AUTHORIZING PARTIAL TAXES BE REMITTED (CANCELLED) FOR 2024”**

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, the lawful partial owner of Block 255, Lot 1, also known as 175 Lake Drive has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran's Affairs; and

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, has been approved by the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30, and

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, had been approved as 100% Disabled Veteran by the Byram Township Council on September 5th, 2023, Resolution No 171-2023, at that time Mr. Del Franco owned 33.33% of Block 255 Lot 1 as of January 29th, 2024, Mr. Del Franco now owns 98%: and

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, is the partial owner of Block 255 Lot 1, therefore the Tax Collector is to partially cancel the taxes (98%) as of February 20, 2024, in the amount of \$3,961.63;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey to, hereby, authorize the Tax Collector to remit (cancel) the taxes in the amount of \$3,961.63 for tax year 2024 on said property.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilman Bonker	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 068 – 2024
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING 100% DISABLED VETERAN EXEMPT STATUS TO OWNER
OF BLOCK 255 LOT 1 PARTIAL REFUND OF TAXES PAID FOR 1st QUARTER IN 2024**

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, the lawful owner of Block 255, Lot 1, also known as 175 Lake Drive has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran’s Affairs; and

WHEREAS, David DelFranco, has been approved by the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30; and

WHEREAS, the 1st quarter 2024 was paid in the amount of \$1542.20 on February 6, 2024 by Corelogic and according to the Tax Assessor, Mr. DelFranco is eligible for his exemption as of 33.33% through February 19th, 2024 and 98% as of February 20th, 2024, based on the receipt of the completed application. The amount of be reimbursed to Mr. David DelFranco will be prorated, and will be \$1,542.20; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be authorized to execute the documents necessary to refund, Mr. David DelFranco, 175 Lake Drive, Stanhope, NJ 07874, in the amount of \$1,542.20 which represents 1st quarter 2024.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 069 – 2024

**RESOLUTION FOR 100% EXEMPT VETERAN OWNER OF BLOCK 5 LOT 678
CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR THE REMAINDER OF FIRST HALF 2024
“AUTHORIZING TAXES BE REMITTED (CANCELLED) FOR 2024”**

WHEREAS, Alexander M. Castellanos, the lawful owner of Block 5, Lot 678, also known as 38 Belton Street has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran’s Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Alexander M. Castellanos, has been approved by the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30, and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is to cancel the taxes for the remainder of first half preliminary 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,812.81;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey to, hereby, authorize the Tax Collector to remit (cancel) the taxes in the amount of \$3,812.81 on said property.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 070 – 2024

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING 100% DISABLED VETERAN EXEMPT STATUS TO OWNER
OF BLOCK 5 LOT 678 FOR TAX YEAR 2024 AND THE CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR
FIRST HALF OF 2024 AND REFUND OF TAXES PAID FOR 1st QUARTER IN 2024**

WHEREAS, Alexander M. Castellanos, the lawful owner of Block 5, Lot 678, also known as 38 Belton Street has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran's Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Alexander M. Castellanos, has applied to the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30, which will be granted for the year 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Assessor has recommended that this exemption be retroactive to February 10, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector has determined that the property taxes are paid through the 1st quarter 2024. Therefore, a refund is due in the amount of \$1,369.39 which represents 1st quarter 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is to cancel the taxes for the remainder of the first half preliminary 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,812.81.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey, that the property be classified as 100% exempt effective February 10, 2024, and the Tax Collector be authorized to issue a refund in the amount of \$1,369.39 to Alexander M. Castellanos, 38 Belton Street, Stanhope, NJ 07874, and cancel the remainder first half 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,812.81.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 071 – 2024

**RESOLUTION FOR 100% EXEMPT VETERAN OWNER OF BLOCK 278 LOT 603
CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR THE REMAINDER OF FIRST HALF 2024
“AUTHORIZING TAXES BE REMITTED (CANCELLED) FOR 2024”**

WHEREAS, Paul Joseph, the lawful owner of Block 278, Lot 603, also known as 10 Woodland Road has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran’s Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Paul Joseph, has been approved by the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30, and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is to cancel the taxes for the remainder of first half preliminary 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,576.94;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey to, hereby, authorize the Tax Collector to remit (cancel) the taxes in the amount of \$3,576.94 on said property.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
RESOLUTION NO. 072 – 2024

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING 100% DISABLED VETERAN EXEMPT STATUS TO OWNER OF
BLOCK 278 LOT 603 FOR TAX YEAR 2024 AND THE CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR THE
FIRST HALF OF 2024 AND THE REFUND OF TAXES PAID FOR 1ST QUARTER IN 2024**

WHEREAS, Paul Joseph, the lawful owner of Block 278, Lot 603, also known as 10 Woodland Road has been deemed 100% disabled by the Department of Veteran's Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Paul Joseph, has applied to the Byram Township Tax Assessor for a 100% Disabled Veteran exemption in accordance with 54:4-3:30, which will be granted for the year 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Assessor has recommended that this exemption be retroactive to March 5, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector has determined that the property taxes are paid through the 1st quarter 2024. Therefore, a refund is due in the amount of \$818.45 which represents 1st quarter 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is to cancel the taxes for the remainder of the first half preliminary 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,576.94.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey, that the property be classified as 100% exempt effective March 5, 2024, and the Tax Collector be authorized to issue a refund in the amount of \$818.45 to Paul Joseph, 10 Woodland Road, Andover, NJ 07821, and cancel the remainder first half 2024 taxes in the amount of \$3,576.94

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2 nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
RESOLUTION NO. 074 – 2024**

Authorization to Purchase Firefighter Protective Clothing and Equipment under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for Budget Year 2024

WHEREAS, the Township of Byram pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7-29, may without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any State contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of Treasury; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Byram is in need of and desires to purchase Firefighter Protective Clothing and Equipment; and

WHEREAS, participation in the State Cooperative Pricing Program does not require a formal agreement with the Division of Purchase and Property, or its approval of the Director required; and

WHEREAS, contracts awarded under a State Cooperative Purchasing Contract, in excess of the Township's bid threshold may be made by resolution of the Governing Body; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program awarded a contract to Fire Dex, LLC under Contract #T-0790, #17-FLEET-00811 for Firefighter Protective Clothing and Equipment for the period June 15, 2019 – June 14, 2024, thereby affording the Township of Byram the opportunity of direct purchase, without competitive bidding from authorized dealer:

Fire-Dex, LLC
780 S. Progress Dr.
Medina, OH 44256

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of Byram does hereby authorize the Purchasing Agent (or designee) to purchase Firefighter Protective Clothing and Equipment from the above reference approved New Jersey State Contract Vendor, pursuant to all conditions of the contract listed herein; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that upon receipt, inspection and approval of vouchers therefore by the Township of Byram, payment, pursuant to said purchase orders, are hereby authorized with the same to be charged against funds established in the appropriate accounts for said purpose; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the duration of the contract between the Township of Byram and the referenced State Contract Vendor shall be for budget year 2024.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEMBER	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
RESOLUTION NO. 075 – 2024

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A \$1,500 GRANT TO THE ASSOCIATION OF
NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONS (ANJEC) FOR
2024 OPEN SPACE STEWARDSHIP GRANT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONS

WHEREAS, ANJEC provides grants to Environmental Commissions to support projects that advance the local open space stewardship, and help to raise the profile of the environmental commissions in the community through publicity and public participation of collaboration with local groups on the project, and

WHEREAS, the Byram Township Environmental Commission has sponsored and participated in several trail building and maintenance events that increased the mileage of trails within Byram Township, and currently collaborating with the Byram Township Recreation Committee to cosponsor monthly hikes and interpretive walks on these trails; and

WHEREAS, suitable projects under the grant includes printed or online guides, maps, inventories of open space, trails, and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Commission is proposing to update and digitize the Byram Township’s Trail Map which will included a final map to be a georeferenced PDF that will be upload to the Avenza application for use in the field by trail walkers and hikers, as well as printed laminated maps for trail kiosks and a supply of printed maps to be shared with the public to promote the trails in Byram Township; and

WHEREAS, the grant only requires an in-kind match of Environmental Commission members and community volunteers that will provide and track a minimum of 80 hours toward the project; and

WHEREAS, the Byram Township Open Space Committee is supporting the project and has unanimously voted to support the project with additional funding coming from the Township’s Open Space Trust, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Byram Township Council approves the submission of an application to ANJEC for a \$1,500 grant to update and digitize the Byram Township’s Trail Map as well as additional funding up to \$2,500 to be funded through the Open Space Trust.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

ANJEC 2024 Open Space Grant for Environmental Commissions Application

Municipality: Byram Township **County:** Sussex **Phone:** 973-347-2500 x138

Mailing Address of Municipality: Byram Township, 10 Mansfield Drive, Stanhope, NJ 07874

Environmental Commission Contact Person:

Name: Fran Frederick **Email:** adminoffice@byramtwp.org **Phone:** 973-347-2500 x138
Address: 10 Mansfield Drive
 Stanhope, NJ 07874

Environmental Commission Chairman:

Name: Dana Flynn **Email:** danaflynn.1@gmail.com **Phone:** 484-225-3650

Municipal Manager/Administrator:

Name: Joseph Sabatini **Email:** jsabatini@byramtwp.org **Phone:** 973-347-2500 x129

Year Environmental Commission was established by ordinance: October 1974

Is your Commission a member of ANJEC? YES

Title of Project: Updating and Digitizing Byram Township's Trail Map

Amount being requested:

- from ANJEC: \$1,500
- from Byram Open Space Fund: \$2,500

Project Description:

The goal of this project is to improve navigation within Byram Township's Trail System and Parks. The existing map, which was last updated in 2013 by the Land Conservancy of New Jersey, does not include many new trail routes added and is not georeferenced for use within today's digital environment.

Last year, the BTEC sponsored and participated in several well-attended trail building and maintenance events that increased the mileage of trails within the Cranberry Overlook, Tamarack Park and Allamuchy Mountain State Park. On National Trails Day, the BTEC coordinated a trail-building day on the new spur trail that connects the Tamarack Trail and new Wolf Lake Mountain Trail, and in October held a similar event on a new lollypop loop at the top of Cranberry Overlook. The Boy Scouts had an Eagle Scout Project that created the Old Indian Springs Trail on a new Open Space parcel leading to Cranberry Overlook. JORBA is also very active in Allamuchy State Park, and two of our BTEC members worked with JORBA on creating a new trail from the Tranquility side of the park.

In addition to these activities, the BTEC is currently collaborating with the Byram Recreation Committee to co-sponsor monthly hikes and interpretive walks on these trails.

Deliverables:

A mapping agency will update Byram's 2013 Trails Map using shapefiles downloaded from the Trailforks App. These shapefiles will be created by the BTEC and its volunteer group. Additional new points of interest on the map will also be communicated by this working group. The final map will be a georeferenced PDF that will be uploaded to the Avenza App for use in the field by trail walkers and hikers.

We will also print six 24"x36" laminated maps for trailhead kiosks and the town hall, and also make a small number of print maps.

Given the increased interest in, and usage of, the Byram Trail System since the Covid-19 pandemic, we anticipate that the new digital map will get significant usage and also increase awareness of the work of the BTEC and the abundant open space in Byram that it works to protect. The BTEC will use both social media and more traditional advertising to inform residents of the updating project and seek volunteers to assist with the project. By collaborating with multiple township offices and committees, including members of the Town Council, we will have the full support of Byram government.

Stakeholders:

BTEC, Open Space Committee, Byram Recreation Committee, Hudson Farm, New Jersey State Park Service

Schedule:

Upon receipt of the grant, the BTEC will coordinate a three to four month schedule for the creation of Trailforks shapefiles for all of the new trails in Byram. We anticipate that a first draft of the new map will be created by the mapping agency and delivered to the BTEC within three to four months after receipt of the shapefiles and comments, and then finalized after additional commenting and proofing. The entire process will be completed within one year.

Project Budget:

Expenditures:

Updated georeferenced PDF Map	\$3,000
Large Map Prints 24x36 for Kiosks and Town Hall Quantity 6 @ \$50 each	\$300
Printed Maps	\$700
Total Project Expenditures:	\$4,000

Funding Requested: Grant Request @ \$1,500

In-Kind Labor from BTEC, Resident Volunteers, and Township Staff:

76 hours—Environmental Commission and Volunteers:

meetings to plan project, discuss status and review shapefiles and map drafts (30 minutes per meeting, 5 meetings @ average of 6 members per meeting): 15 hours

Hikers creating shapefiles (in pairs): 55 hours

Review of and processing of shapefiles: 5 hours

Advertise project using social media: 1 hour

16 hours—EC Secretary to work with BTEC, OS, Township Staff. Participate in project meetings, prepare status reports and updates to Mayor/Council members

Total Estimate: 92 hours – approximately 76 from EC volunteers and 16 from Township Staff

PARTICIPANT’S RESOLUTION NO. 076-2024
LEAP IMPLEMENTATION GRANT

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey has appropriated \$7.5 million for Shared Services and School District Consolidation Study and Implementation Grants to assist local units with the study, development, and implementation of new shared and regional services; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services (DLGS) is tasked with administering these grant funds through the Local Efficiency Achievement Program (LEAP); and

WHEREAS, LEAP Implementation Grants exist to support costs associated with shared service implementation to ensure that meaningful, efficiency generating initiatives are not hindered by short term transitional expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Hopatcong, Borough of Netcong, Borough of Mount Arlington, Township of Byram, and Township of Sparta propose to enter into a shared services agreement, but face certain expenses associated with implementation that present a burden to the local units; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this shared services agreement is to implement shared services for animal control and shelter, which will benefit the residents of all participating local units; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Hopatcong has agreed to be the lead agency in this program and will submit the application to DLGS on behalf of all participating units; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Township of Byram, that the Township of Byram does hereby join with Borough of Hopatcong in applying for a LEAP Implementation Grant in the amount of \$200,000.00 to support implementation of this shared service.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

CERTIFICATION

I, Cindy Church, Clerk of the Township of Byram in the County of Sussex, and the State of New Jersey do hereby Certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Township of Byram at its meeting of April 17, 2024.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
RESOLUTION NO. 077-2024

RESOLUTION OF APPROVAL ALLOWING THE LENAPE BLAZERS SOFTBALL
TEAM TO INSTALL BACKSTOP COVERS AT NEIL GYLLING PARK DURING
THEIR 2024 SEASON.

WHEREAS, the Township of Byram has recently received a request from Josh Bradley, Lenape Blazers Softball Commissioner and to put in place the dugout and backstop covers at Neil Gylling Park by the Lenape Blazers during their 2024 playing season with the Township’s Approval; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 182 of the Township Code titled Parks and Recreation Areas establishes that the Township Council by resolution may establish a sign policy, and same may be amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council adopted Resolution No. 68-2007 establishing a sign policy in accordance with the provisions of local ordinance 7-2007; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 182 of the Township Code states no person in a public park, public recreation area or public open space area shall construct or erect any building or structure of whatever kind, whether permanent or temporary, or run or string any public service utility into, upon, or across such lands, except on special written permit issued hereunder and with the express written authorization of the Township Manager and the Township Council; and

WHEREAS, at 30’ x 9’, the backstop covers (Fields 1 and 2) substantially exceed the allowable dimensions outlined in Resolution 68-2007 and are not constructed with mesh or wind vents to minimize the potential for damage to the structures to which they are attached, and

WHEREAS, the signs may be installed up to one week prior to the opening day of the sport season as recorded in the facility application, but are not to be installed prior to April 15 and signs must be removed within one week following the sport season they are supporting but no later than November 25; and

WHEREAS, starting with the 2024 playing season the Department of Public Works will install the dugout covers that were purchased by the Township that meet the recommendations of the contractor that installed the fencing; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council supports this request and gives permission to Lenape Blazers Softball to display the backstop covers during their 2024 playing season with the understanding that any damage to Township facilities as a result of this approval will be the responsibility of the Lenape Blazers Softball sports organization and will be removed in accordance with Resolution No. 68-2007; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Township of Byram, County of Sussex and the State of New Jersey hereby grants permission to Lenape Blazers Softball to display the dugout and backstop covers at Neil Gylling Park.

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwomen Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Byram Township Council at a meeting held on April 17, 2024

Cynthia Church, Municipal Clerk

List of Bills - (All Funds)

Meeting Date: 04/17/2024 For bills from 03/29/2024 to 04/12/2024

Vendor	Description	Payment	Check Total
Claims Account			
2435 - AGRA ENVIRONMENTAL & LAB	PO 28634 2024 Blanket For Water Testing	96.00	96.00
40 - ALLIED OIL, LLC	PO 28195 1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	5,834.64	5,834.64
86 - APPROVED AUTO ELECTRIC, INC	PO 28129 2024 Blanket For Parts and Supplies	129.80	129.80
3239 - AQUA NJ	PO 28100 LEE HILL WATER SERVICE 2024-ACCT#0022918	150.46	150.46
3191 - BRAEN STONE OF SPARTA	PO 28133 2024 Blanket For Supplies	760.82	760.82
215 - BYRAM TWP SENIOR CITIZEN CLUB	PO 28590 2024 BUDGET APPROPRIATION	8,500.00	8,500.00
217 - BYRAM TWP SEWER OPERATING UTIL	PO 28103 1st-2nd Qtr 2024 Sewer Billing	1,460.42	1,460.42
3329 - CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	PO 28484 Tender 5 Pump Repair Parts - Quote #Q112	1,050.14	
	PO 28526 Tender 5 Pump Repair - MCCPC #13-B	672.09	
	PO 28547 Tender 5 Pump Repair	5,770.00	7,492.23
3789 - CHRISTIANA T C/F CE1/FIRSTRUST	PO 28642 Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-003 - Block	102,973.80	
	PO 28642 Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-003 - Block	71,900.00	174,873.80
3433 - COUNTRY CLASSIC AUTO BODY, LLC	PO 28581 FB-2 Alignment	250.00	250.00
3821 - CREATIVE MANAGEMENT, INC.	PO 28196 1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	4,624.77	4,624.77
3564 - DEJANA TRUCK & UTILITY EQUIPMENT CO	PO 28509 Replacment Backup Camera	134.62	134.62
373 - DELSEA TERMITE & PEST CONTROL	PO 28142 2024 Blanket - Pest Control Services	32.00	32.00
2104 - DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	PO 28124 2024 Blanket For Parts and Supplies	493.79	493.79
3802 - ELIZABETHTOWN GAS	PO 28681 MONTHLY SERVICE	155.23	155.23
2760 - EXTEL COMMUNICATIONS	PO 28450 POLICE - MOVING INTERNAL EXTENSIONS & CL	622.00	622.00
515 - FAMILY FORD, INC.	PO 28530 P-4 Repairs	774.80	774.80
520 - FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.	PO 28102 1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	7,295.51	7,295.51
3658 - FIRST ARRIVING IO, INC.	PO 28579 FIRE DEPT - 2024 DASHBOARD RENEWAL	1,334.82	1,334.82
3832 - FRANCHINO, VINCENT J.	PO 28498 PLUMBING SUBCODE SUB	236.25	236.25
3700 - FRED BEANS FORD OF WASHINGTON	PO 28122 2024 Blanket For Parts	385.79	385.79
1166 - GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	PO 28421 2024 RABIES CLINIC AD	5.27	
	PO 28578 MONTHLY ADVERTISING	350.51	355.78
3118 - GRASS ROOTS TURF PRODUCTS, INC.	PO 28580 Goose Stopper for Neil Gyling Fields	450.00	450.00
649 - HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PO 28226 HIGHLANDS - STORMWATER MGMT PLANNING: MS	13,624.01	
	PO 28571 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TILCON	71.00	
	PO 28572 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TESTA	359.00	
	PO 28573 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - NJ NAT	131.25	
	PO 28574 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - NORTH	56.25	
	PO 28597 ESCROW - OCTOBER 2023 SERVICES - LANDSCA	75.00	14,316.51
649 - HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PO 28598 ESCROW - SEPTEMBER 2023 SERVICES - LANDS	75.00	
	PO 28599 ESCROW - NOVEMBER 2023 SERVICES - LANDSC	75.00	
	PO 28600 ESCROW - DECEMBER 2023 SERVICES - LANDSC	131.25	
	PO 28663 PLANNING BOARD - JANUARY 2024 SERVICES	71.00	
	PO 28664 ESCROW - JANUARY 2024 SERVICES - PANTHER	213.00	
	PO 28665 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - KRASS	71.00	
	PO 28666 ESCROW - JANUARY 2024 SERVICES - TOMAHAW	284.00	920.25
649 - HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PO 28667 ESCROW - JANUARY 2024 SERVICES - TRADER	275.00	
	PO 28669 ESCROW - JANUARY 2024 SERVICES - MAIDA	327.25	
	PO 28670 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - LANDSC	150.00	
	PO 28671 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - RAIMO	321.13	
	PO 28672 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - PCV, L	396.50	1,469.88
649 - HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PO 28673 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - PRINCE	35.50	
	PO 28674 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - PIRNOS	71.00	
	PO 28675 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - ELICC	35.50	
	PO 28676 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - KEARNS	142.00	
	PO 28677 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - CIRELL	71.00	
	PO 28678 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - VEOLIA	112.50	
	PO 28679 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - CHAMBE	232.00	699.50
751 - JCP&L	PO 28552 MONTHLY SERVICES	316.37	316.37
3139 - JCP&L	PO 28563 Holiday Lights 2023/2024	2,627.52	2,627.52
751 - JCP&L	PO 28627 MONTHLY SERVICE	428.14	428.14
751 - JCP&L	PO 28628 MONTHLY SERVICE	313.49	313.49
751 - JCP&L	PO 28629 MONTHLY SERVICES	40.61	40.61
751 - JCP&L	PO 28630 MONTHLY SERVICE	134.41	134.41
751 - JCP&L	PO 28631 MONTHLY SERVICES	61.56	61.56

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751 - JCP&L	PO 28682 MONTHLY SERVICE	3,309.40	3,309.40
3498 - KIRA WILLEY PRODUCTIONS, LLC	PO 28551 MAC GRANT - ROCKIN' YOGA ASSEMBLY	1,450.00	1,450.00
3412 - KONICA MINOLTA PREMIER FINANCE	PO 28224 JAN-APRIL 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER -	111.70	111.70
3412 - KONICA MINOLTA PREMIER FINANCE	PO 28225 JAN-APRIL 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER -	130.19	130.19
860 - LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	PO 28513 LABOR & EMPLOYMENT COUNSEL - JANUARY 202	2,926.56	
	PO 28514 JANUARY 2024 SERVICES - OPRA	175.50	3,102.06
878 - LAWREN SUPPLY COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY	PO 27529 POLICE - AMMO - QUOTE #QT20	1,738.69	1,738.69
934 - LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PO 28233 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	1,103.78	1,103.78
3699 - MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	PO 28601 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - HRS DR	17.50	
	PO 28645 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - BRANCA	210.00	
	PO 28646 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - FONARU	105.00	
	PO 28647 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TURCIO	105.00	
	PO 28654 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TRADER	227.50	665.00
3699 - MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	PO 28655 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - JALBOU	525.00	
	PO 28656 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - MAIDA	192.50	
	PO 28657 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - R & G	315.00	
	PO 28658 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - KRASSN	262.50	1,295.00
3699 - MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	PO 28659 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - RUBENS	105.00	
	PO 28660 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TIERNA	17.50	
	PO 28661 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TOMAHA	35.00	
	PO 28662 PLANNING BOARD - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES	612.50	770.00
1009 - MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	PO 28538 POLICE - BUSINESS CARDS	74.00	74.00
3822 - MOBILE WELLNESS TRAINING, LLC	PO 28531 JAN-MARCH 2024 SENIOR EXERCISE CLASSES	750.00	750.00
1059 - MORRIS COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY	PO 28535 POLICE - TRAINING CLASS	100.00	100.00
1135 - MUSCONETCONG SEWERAGE AUTHORIT	PO 28680 2nd Qtr 2024 Sewer Fees	17,157.64	
	PO 28680 2nd Qtr 2024 Sewer Fees	11,438.43	28,596.07
2437 - NAVITEND	PO 28589 2ND-4TH QUARTER 2024 - COMPUTER SERVICES	3,614.45	3,614.45
1160 - NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	PO 28121 2024 Blanket For Supplies	77.82	77.82
1179 - NISIVOCCIA, LLP	PO 28557 2023 PROFESSIONAL AUDITING/ACCOUNTING SE	14,250.00	14,250.00
1191 - NJ STATE DEPT OF HEALTH	PO 28652 March 2024 Dog License Fees Due to State	73.80	73.80
2280 - ONE CALL CONCEPTS, INC.	PO 28310 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER - CALL BEFOR	12.87	12.87
3590 - OPTIMUM	PO 28112 EQUIPMENT CHARGES - CABLE BOXES - 2024 B	10.00	10.00
1263 - PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	PO 28482 Beam Clay for Fields - Quote #2024-Q3359	1,505.50	1,505.50
3604 - PIONEER MANUFACTURING COMPANY	PO 28525 Paint Machine Part	36.00	36.00
1327 - POWERCO, INC.	PO 28556 Blade for Case Bucket	329.68	329.68
3828 - REUTHER MATERIAL COMPANY	PO 28355 2024 Blanket For Drainage Supplies	999.60	999.60
1390 - RHOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC	PO 28465 Truck Wash & Rust Inhibitor - Quote #167	3,162.49	3,162.49
3257 - RICOH USA, INC.	PO 28623 2ND-4TH QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE OR	225.35	225.35
3652 - ROYALTY CLEANING SERVICES, LLC	PO 28228 1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	550.80	550.80
1446 - RUTGERS UNIVERSITY	PO 28582 Continuing Education Courses - M. Orgera	285.00	285.00
1970 - SABATINI, JOSEPH	PO 28639 REIMBURSEMENT - CONFERENCE PHONE BRIDGE	191.93	191.93
1468 - SCMUA	PO 28116 JAN - MARCH 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	11,976.51	
	PO 28131 2024 Blanket for Street Sweeping	121.70	
	PO 28132 2024 Blanket Bulky Waste	31.25	12,129.46
1487 - SGT. GUY MARIANI	PO 28560 POLICE - REIMBURSEMENT - 2024 MEMBERSHIP	50.00	50.00
1712 - SK OFFICE SUPPLY, INC.	PO 28529 DOCUMENT DESTRUCTION	80.00	80.00
3835 - SMYRNA GROUP, LLC	PO 28668 Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-007 - Block	228.31	228.31
1554 - STATE OF NEW JERSEY	PO 28688 2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION	17,064.09	
	PO 28688 2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION	100.00	
	PO 28688 2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION	790,041.91	807,206.00
3834 - SWCEO	PO 28576 CODE WORKSHOP	35.00	35.00
2151 - THE STANDARD INSURANCE CO.	PO 28596 2ND-4TH QUARTER 2024 LIFE INSURANCE PREM	1,721.14	1,721.14
1815 - TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	PO 28537 SUPPLIES - QUOTE #Q027767	532.50	532.50
2101 - TRI-STATE RENTALS, INC.	PO 28510 Sod Cutter Rental	109.25	109.25
1889 - VERIZON WIRELESS	PO 28415 POLICE - CELL PHONE UPGRADE - ORDER #329	264.92	
	PO 28553 MONTHLY SERVICE	188.08	
	PO 28561 MONTHLY SERVICE	38.01	
	PO 28562 MONTHLY SERVICE	82.60	
	PO 28575 MONTHLY SERVICE	114.03	687.64
1902 - VOGEL, CHAIT, COLLINS AND SCHNEIDER	PO 28243 1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	3,587.50	
	PO 28504 ESCROW - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - RAIMO	437.50	4,025.00
1926 - WB MASON CO., INC.	PO 28541 ADMIN - OFFICE SUPPLIES - ORDER #S142321	344.38	

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1930 - WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC 2626 - XTEL COMMUNICATIONS	PO 28545 ADMIN - OFFICE SUPPLIES - ORDER #S142532	13.62	358.00
	PO 28384 2024 Blanket for Stone and Aggregate	5,882.38	5,882.38
	PO 28640 2ND-4TH QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE OR	417.77	417.77
TOTAL			1,139,755.40

Summary By Account

ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT YR	APPROP. YEAR	NON-BUDGETARY	CREDIT

01-201-20-100-020	GENERAL ADMIN OE	4,865.22			
01-201-20-130-020	FINANCE ADMINISTRATION OE	111.70			
01-201-20-155-020	LEGAL SERVICES	6,689.56			
01-201-21-180-020	PLANNING BD OE	724.54			
01-201-21-185-020	ZONING COMMISSION OE	38.01			
01-201-23-220-020	GROUP INSURANCE	1,721.14			
01-201-25-240-020	POLICE OE	1,348.98			
01-201-25-250-020	POLICE RADIO & COMM & 911	114.03			
01-201-25-265-020	FIRE OE	1,334.82			
01-201-26-290-020	ROAD REPAIR & MAINT OE	10,713.06			
01-201-26-292-020	FLEET MAINTENANCE	13,249.27			
01-201-26-310-020	PUBLIC BLDGS & GROUNDS OE	1,506.07			
01-201-26-335-030	GARBAGE CONTRACT	11,640.72			
01-201-28-375-020	PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS OE	23.21			
01-201-31-430-020	ELECTRICITY	3,566.30			
01-201-31-435-020	STREET LIGHTING	121.03			
01-201-31-440-020	TELEPHONE	417.77			
01-201-31-446-020	NATURAL GAS	155.23			
01-201-31-447-020	HEATING OIL	7,295.51			
01-201-31-455-020	MUNICIPAL SEWER CHARGES	1,460.42			
01-201-31-460-020	GASOLINE	5,834.64			
01-201-32-465-000	RECYCLING TAX APPROP.	335.79			
01-201-36-471-020	PERS	215,539.91			
01-201-36-475-020	PFRS	574,502.00			
01-201-37-360-020	SENIOR CITIZENS OE	8,500.00			
01-201-43-496-020	Musconetcong Sewer Fees	11,438.43			
01-203-20-135-020	(2023) AUDIT		14,250.00		
01-203-25-240-020	(2023) POLICE OE		1,738.69		
01-203-31-435-020	(2023) STREET LIGHTING		2,627.52		
01-213-07-000-000	RESERVE - FEDERAL/STATE GRANTS			1,923.24	
01-213-07-740-001	Highlands Grant			13,624.01	
01-216-55-000-000	Third Party Liens			103,202.11	
01-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	1,020,612.93

TOTALS FOR	Current fund	883,247.36	18,616.21	118,749.36	1,020,612.93
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03-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	71.00
03-286-56-000-000	Developer's Escrow			71.00	

TOTALS FOR	Developers Escrow (TD Bank)	0.00	0.00	71.00	71.00
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05-201-55-502-020	OPERATING OE	929.52			
05-201-55-503-000	MSA Fees	17,157.64			
05-201-55-540-000	PERS	100.00			
05-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	18,187.16

TOTALS FOR	Sewer	18,187.16	0.00	0.00	18,187.16
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ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT YR	APPROP. YEAR	NON-BUDGETARY	CREDIT

12-205-55-000-000	Due to State			73.80	
12-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	79.07
12-286-56-000-001	Reserve - Dog Trust			5.27	

TOTALS FOR	Animal Trust	0.00	0.00	79.07	79.07
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18-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	319.00
18-280-56-000	Reserve For Developers Deposits			319.00	

TOTALS FOR	Developers Escrow Fund Fulton Bank	0.00	0.00	319.00	319.00
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19-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	93,860.11
19-286-56-000-001	Reserve - Diesel/Gasoline			4,624.77	
19-286-56-000-015	Reserve - Tax Sale Premiums			71,900.00	
19-286-56-000-400	Reserve - Uniform Construction Code			17,335.34	

TOTALS FOR	Other Trust	0.00	0.00	93,860.11	93,860.11
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20-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	750.00
20-286-56-009-000	Recreation Programs OLD			750.00	

TOTALS FOR	Recreation Trust	0.00	0.00	750.00	750.00
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24-260-05-100	Due to Claims			0.00	5,876.13
24-280-56-000	Reserve for Developers Escrow Deposits			5,876.13	

TOTALS FOR	Developers Escrow - VNB	0.00	0.00	5,876.13	5,876.13
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Total to be paid from Fund 01 Current fund	1,020,612.93
Total to be paid from Fund 03 Developers Escrow (TD Bank)	71.00
Total to be paid from Fund 05 Sewer	18,187.16
Total to be paid from Fund 12 Animal Trust	79.07
Total to be paid from Fund 18 Developers Escrow Fund Fulton Bank	319.00
Total to be paid from Fund 19 Other Trust	93,860.11
Total to be paid from Fund 20 Recreation Trust	750.00
Total to be paid from Fund 24 Developers Escrow - VNB	5,876.13

	1,139,755.40

Checks Previously Disbursed

9041524	BYRAM TWP PAYROLL ACCT	04/15/2024 PAYROLL	199,867.85	4/11/2024

			199,867.85	

Totals by fund	Previous Checks/Voids	Current Payments	Total

Fund 01 Current fund	199,867.85	1,020,612.93	1,220,480.78
Fund 03 Developers Escrow (TD Bank)		71.00	71.00
Fund 05 Sewer		18,187.16	18,187.16
Fund 12 Animal Trust		79.07	79.07
Fund 18 Developers Escrow Fund Fulton Bank		319.00	319.00
Fund 19 Other Trust		93,860.11	93,860.11
Fund 20 Recreation Trust		750.00	750.00
Fund 24 Developers Escrow - VNB		5,876.13	5,876.13

BILLS LIST TOTALS	199,867.85	1,139,755.40	1,339,623.25
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Current fund					
DEPARTMENT 000					
01-216-55-000-001		28668 SMYRNA GROUP, LLC	Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-007 - Block	159.22	
		28642 CHRISTIANA T C/F CE1/FIRSTRUST	Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-003 - Block	96,418.15	
		Principal	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		96,577.37
01-216-55-000-002		28668 SMYRNA GROUP, LLC	Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-007 - Block	69.09	
		28642 CHRISTIANA T C/F CE1/FIRSTRUST	Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-003 - Block	6,555.65	
		Interest & Costs	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		6,624.74
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 000					=====103,202.11
DEPARTMENT 100					
01-201-20-100-200		28541 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #WBM12113 - FILE FOLDERS, 1/3 CUT A	62.52	
		28529 SK OFFICE SUPPLY, INC.	64 GALLON SECURITY CONTAINER OF DOCUMENT	80.00	
		28541 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #SAN86601 - LOW-ODOR DRY-ERASE MARK	6.60	
		28541 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #UBR581U0416 - CLASSIC RECTANGULAR	3.79	
		28541 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #UBRIM130809 - BOARD MAGNETS, CIRCL	8.69	
		28541 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #QRTSM537 - CLASSIC MAGNETIC WHITEB	262.78	
		28545 WB MASON CO., INC.	ITEM #UNV08100 - UNIVERSAL RECYCLED PLAS	13.62	
		Office Supplies	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		438.00
01-201-20-100-208		28578 GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/10/24-03/13/24 - RESOLUTION #050-2024	176.26	
		28578 GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/19/24 - 2024 BUDGET ADVERTISEMENT	90.00	
		28578 GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/24/24 - NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION - ORDI	24.55	
		28578 GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/24/24 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT	18.66	
		Advertising	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		309.47
01-201-20-100-209		28623 RICOH USA, INC.	APRIL 2024 COPIER LEASE	225.35	
		Copy Machine	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		225.35
01-201-20-100-216		28112 OPTIMUM	APRIL 2024 EQUIPMENT CHARGES - PD - CABL	5.00	
		28112 OPTIMUM	APRIL 2024 EQUIPMENT CHARGES - DPW - CAB	5.00	
		28589 NAVITEND	APRIL 2024 COMPUTER SERVICES	3,614.45	
		Computer Services	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		3,624.45
01-201-20-100-250		28553 VERIZON WIRELESS	Administration - iPad - Acct #282179761-	38.01	
		28553 VERIZON WIRELESS	Community Relations - iPad - Acct #28217	38.01	
		Cell Phone -Administration	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		76.02
01-201-20-100-272		28639 SABATINI, JOSEPH	REIMBURSEMENT - DIALPAD MEETINGS: PHONE	191.93	
		Miscellaneous	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		191.93
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 100					=====4,865.22

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DEPARTMENT 130					
01-201-20-130-209	28224	KONICA MINOLTA PREMIER FINANCE Copy Machine	APRIL 2024 FINANCE COPY MACHINE LEASE	111.70	111.70
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 130					111.70
DEPARTMENT 135					
01-203-20-135-020	28557	NISIVOCCIA, LLP (2023) AUDIT	PROFESSIONAL FEES ON ACCOUNT FOR AUDITIN	14,250.00	14,250.00
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 135					14,250.00
DEPARTMENT 155					
01-201-20-155-808	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF FNDA & RELATED DOCUM	420.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	PREPARE FOR CALL - LEGAL RESEARCH & FURT	693.00	
	28514	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	REVIEW & ANALYZE INQUIRY; REVISE & DRAFT	78.00	
	28514	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF OPRA & CORRESPONDENC	58.50	
	28514	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF EMAIL & OPRA REQUEST	39.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	DOCUMENT REPRODUCTION EXPENSE, POSTAGE,	112.56	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	REVIEW NOTES CONCERNING POLICE CHIEF PRO	315.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	REVIEW ISSUES FOR CALL; CONFERENCE CALL	273.00	
	28243	VOGEL, CHAIT, COLLINS AND SCHNEIDER	MARCH 2024 TWP ATTORNEY SERVICES	3,587.50	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS RE: PERSON	252.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	REVIEW DOCUMENTS FROM CLIENT FOR POSSIBL	231.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	FURTHER REVIEW OF PERSONNEL MATTER & REP	252.00	
	28513	LADDEY, CLARK & RYAN, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF RECORDS RE: DISCIPLI	378.00	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		6,689.56
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 155					6,689.56
DEPARTMENT 180					
01-201-21-180-208	28578	GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/13/24 - LUB 03/07/2024 MEETING BUSINE	15.25	
	28578	GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	03/22/24 - LUB 03/21/2024 MEETING CANCEL	25.79	
		Advertising	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		41.04
01-201-21-180-215	28662	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	FEBRUARY 2024 PLANNING BOARD ATTORNEY SE	612.50	
		Legal Services	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		612.50
01-201-21-180-218	28663	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	01/04/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT MEETING	71.00	
		Engineering Fees	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		71.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 180					724.54

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DEPARTMENT 185					
01-201-21-185-272	28553	VERIZON WIRELESS	Zoning - iPad - Acct #282179761-0002	38.01	
		<i>Miscellaneous</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		38.01
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 185					38.01
DEPARTMENT 220					
01-201-23-220-230	28596	THE STANDARD INSURANCE CO.	APRIL 2024 LIFE INSURANCE PREMIUMS - POL	1,721.14	
		<i>Group Plans</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,721.14
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 220					1,721.14
DEPARTMENT 240					
01-201-25-240-202	28560	SGT. GUY MARIANI	2024 REID INSTITUTE MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL W	50.00	
		<i>Dues & Memberships</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		50.00
01-201-25-240-207	28538	MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	SHIPPING	12.00	
	28538	MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	QTY: 250 - B109-19A BUSINESS CARDS - CHI	62.00	
		<i>Printing</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		74.00
01-201-25-240-209	28225	KONICA MINOLTA PREMIER FINANCE	APRIL 2024 PD COPY MACHINE LEASE	130.19	
		<i>Copy Machine</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		130.19
01-201-25-240-211	28450	EXTEL COMMUNICATIONS	12 BUTTON NEC DIGITAL TELEPHONE	412.00	
	28450	EXTEL COMMUNICATIONS	LABOR FOR PROGRAMMING	210.00	
		<i>Service/Maintenance</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		622.00
01-201-25-240-220	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	100PK 1" SPLIT KEY RING	0.35	
	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	KEY RING TAG	1.05	
	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	4PK LARGE DRING HANGERS	2.69	
	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	M1 KEY BLANKS	12.56	
	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	KEY BLANK	8.62	
		<i>Operating Maintenance</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		25.27
01-201-25-240-250	28562	VERIZON WIRELESS	Detective Phone - Acct #282179761-00001	82.60	
		<i>Cell Phone - Police</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		82.60
01-201-25-240-271	28535	MORRIS COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY	METHODS OF INSTRUCTION - SGT. KEVIN PERR	100.00	
		<i>Police & Fire Training</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		100.00
01-201-25-240-283	28415	VERIZON WIRELESS	PD CELL PHONE UPGRADE - APPLE IPHONE 13	59.98	
	28415	VERIZON WIRELESS	OTTERBOX DEFENDER SERIES PRO CASE	90.98	
	28415	VERIZON WIRELESS	ZAGG INVISIBLESHIELD GLASS XTR2 SCREEN P	83.98	
	28415	VERIZON WIRELESS	APPLE 20W USB-C POWER ADAPTER	29.98	
		<i>New Equipment</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		264.92
01-203-25-240-268	27529	LAWMEN SUPPLY COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY	ITEM #LE12700 - 9 PLTS - 00 BUCK FEDERAL	1,000.00	
	27529	LAWMEN SUPPLY COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY	ITEM #AE223 - 55GR FMJ BOAT-TAIL/SPEER	738.69	
		<i>(2023) Firearms & Ammo</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,738.69

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DEPARTMENT 240						
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 240					=====	
					3,087.67	
DEPARTMENT 250						
01-201-25-250-020	28575	VERIZON WIRELESS	FIRE DEPT IPADS - ACCT #742195349-00001	114.03	114.03	
		POLICE RADIO & COMM & 911	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT			
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 250					=====	
					114.03	
DEPARTMENT 265						
01-201-25-265-211	28579	FIRST ARRIVING IO, INC.	DIGITAL DASHBOARD RENEWAL - ANNUAL STAND	1,334.82	1,334.82	
		Service/Maintenance	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT			
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 265					=====	
					1,334.82	
DEPARTMENT 290						
01-201-26-290-220	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	TP 60IN THREADED UTILITY	18.96	59.70	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	ROUND UP SPRAYER PARTS KIT	9.49		
	28132	SCMUA	03/27/224 - BULKY WASTE	31.25		
		Operating Maintenance	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT			
01-201-26-290-248	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	CM 20IN PLASTIC TOOLBOX	20.88	96.79	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS 6QT CLEAR SNAP LID	4.70		
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	JORG 24IN MD 300LB TRIGGR	36.09		
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	KB SPEED RELEASE UTILITY	11.39		
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	DW 21PC TITANIUM DRILL BI	23.73		
	Minor Equip	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT				
01-201-26-290-250	28553	VERIZON WIRELESS	DPW - Assistant Supervisor Acct #2821797	50.84	88.85	
	28561	VERIZON WIRELESS	DPW IPAD - ACCT #642119479-00001	38.01		
		Cell Phone - DPW	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT			
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/13/2024 - I-2 STAB BASE	198.12		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/15/2024 - I-5 FABC	141.55		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/12/2024 - 1/4" TOP MIX	237.18		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/08/2024 - 1/4" TOP MIX	317.03		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/07/2024 - 1/4" TOP MIX	317.03		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/01/2024 - RAP SINGLE AXLE	725.00		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/01/2024 - RAP SINGLE AXLE	725.00		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/19/2024 - I-5 FABC	401.13		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/20/2024 - RAP SINGLE AXLE	725.00		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/14/2024 - I-2 STAB BASE	264.16		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/21/2024 - I-5 FABC	552.40		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/26/2024 - I-5 FABC	276.89		
	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/22/2024 - I-5 FABC	276.89		

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DEPARTMENT 290					
01-201-26-290-253	28384	WELDON QUARRY CO., LLC	03/27/2024 - RAP SINGLE AXLE	725.00	
	Black Top		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		5,882.38
01-201-26-290-254	28133	BRAEN STONE OF SPARTA	04/05/24 - 3/4" CRUSHED STONE - 19.74 TO	375.46	
	28133	BRAEN STONE OF SPARTA	3/22/24 - LIMESTONE - 12.02 TONS	146.40	
	28355	REUTHER MATERIAL COMPANY	CATCH BASIN BLOCK (STRETCHERS & CORNERS)	945.60	
	28355	REUTHER MATERIAL COMPANY	WOOD PALLET DEPOSIT	54.00	
	28133	BRAEN STONE OF SPARTA	04/05/24 - LIMESTONE - 19.70 TONS	238.96	
	Drainage Supplies		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,760.42
01-201-26-290-255	28537	TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	ITEM #PPM-MMM3101103 - E-A-R CLASSIC SMA	44.00	
	Road Safety		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		44.00
01-201-26-290-272	28582	RUTGERS UNIVERSITY	Effective Emergency/Crisis Communication	285.00	
	Seminars/Training		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		285.00
01-201-26-290-283	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	KB 4AMP 05C MULTI TOOL	94.05	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	ARW TWISTER RIVET TOOL	47.46	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	MIL 800 LBS DUAL HNDL STA	122.55	
	New Equipment		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		264.06
01-201-26-290-461	28510	TRI-STATE RENTALS, INC.	Damage Waiver	14.25	
	28482	PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	BEAM CLAY MEDIUM INFIELD MIX #MED-BULK	744.97	
	28510	TRI-STATE RENTALS, INC.	LG-SODCUTTER-2 - Sod Cutter	95.00	
	28482	PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	LESS 5% AS PER NEW JERSEY STATE APPROVED	-41.99	
	28482	PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	BEAM CLAY MEDIUM INFIELD MIX #MED-BULK	839.77	
	28482	PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	LESS 5% AS PER NEW JERSEY STATE APPROVED	-37.25	
	Park Maintenance		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,614.75
01-201-26-290-491	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	BH 4FT 14GA U POST	68.16	
	28580	GRASS ROOTS TURF PRODUCTS, INC.	Item #GS-C-320 - Goose Stopper Gallon Co	450.00	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	BH 3FTX50FT 14GA 1INX	47.48	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS ORANGE FLAGGING TAPE	3.78	
	28121	NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	30Z AERO LOCK EASE	11.69	
	Park Operating		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		581.11
01-201-26-290-492	28525	PIONEER MANUFACTURING COMPANY	Item #G17R749 - Graco Wiring Harness w/S	36.00	
	Park Vehicle Repair		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		36.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 290					10,713.06

DEPARTMENT 292

01-201-26-292-260	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	HM5/16 18X1 1/255 SCKCAPS	8.88	
	28526	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Fire Pump Issue - Labor	362.50	
	28526	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Item #112R/388965 Valve 2.5 Body Style-8	309.59	
	28547	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Labor to repair pump	5,220.00	
	28547	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Shop Supplies	425.00	
	28484	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Item #112H/296-5210-50-0 - Mechanical Se	1,050.14	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	SP 6CT 1/4 20X1 1/2 PNPB	8.49	
	28547	CAMPBELL SUPPLY CO., LLC	Misc Parts/Hardware	125.00	
	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	5/16 18X11/2HXDRSCR GR8C	7.62	
	Fire Department		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		7,517.22
	28509	DEJANA TRUCK & UTILITY EQUIPMENT CO	Shipping & Handling	11.00	
	28509	DEJANA TRUCK & UTILITY EQUIPMENT CO	Part #RVS 659 - Flush Mount Backup Camer	123.62	

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DEPARTMENT 292					
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	3/8IN ID BRAIDED TUBING	22.78	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	1/2IN ID CLEAR VINYL 20	10.92	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	3/8IN BARB X MIP ADAPTOR	4.83	
		28581 COUNTRY CLASSIC AUTO BODY, LLC	Wheel Alignment	250.00	
		28556 POWERCO, INC.	Plow Bolt	20.48	
		28556 POWERCO, INC.	Washer Lock	1.84	
		28556 POWERCO, INC.	C. Edge	249.00	
		28556 POWERCO, INC.	Nut	2.96	
		28556 POWERCO, INC.	Shipping	55.40	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	3/8IN BARB X FID ADAPTOR	5.21	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	BERNZ 14.10Z MAPPRO GAS	14.23	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	1/2IN ID BASS BARD SPLI	5.20	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	2PIN RIGHT ANGLE CM PLUG 6" LEADS	3.30	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	3PIN RIGHT ANGLE STT PLUG 10"	3.96	
		28530 FAMILY FORD, INC.	CYFS-12-FPX-SP-526-X - SP526X Spark Plug	224.80	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	2 1/2" ROUND RED	17.50	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	2 1/2" ROUND AMBER	17.50	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	55/GAL DEF	270.29	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	SEAL KIT FOR CM SERIES	39.36	
		28122 FRED BEANS FORD OF WASHINGTON	236D2 END-SP	170.45	
		28122 FRED BEANS FORD OF WASHINGTON	EUANP SNS MODULE	-403.75	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	6" OVAL RED STOP/TURN/TAIL	63.16	
		28530 FAMILY FORD, INC.	Program PCM and Diagnostic No Start	550.00	
		28124 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO., INC.	SEAL KIT FOR CM SERIES	78.72	
01-201-26-292-270	DPW Fleet		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,812.76
		28122 FRED BEANS FORD OF WASHINGTON	042B ALTERNAT	544.09	
		28122 FRED BEANS FORD OF WASHINGTON	CORE DEPOSIT	75.00	
01-201-26-292-280	Police Dept. Fleet		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		619.09
		28465 RHOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC	SHIPPING	309.34	
		28129 APPROVED AUTO ELECTRIC, INC	DEUTCHE PRC WIRED CONNECTOR	80.00	
		28465 RHOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC	ITEM #RH-353-06 - LUBRA-SEAL (6-GALLON P	635.40	
		28121 NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	6ML MED BLUTHREAD LOCKER	7.91	
		28129 APPROVED AUTO ELECTRIC, INC	20 SP AUTO RESET TOTADLY ENCAPSULATED	49.80	
		28465 RHOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC	ITEM #RH-017-55 - NEUTRO-WASH (55-GALLON	2,032.25	
		28465 RHOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC	ITEM #RH-400P - PUBLIC WORKS APPLICATOR	185.50	
01-201-26-292-290	SR Van Fleet		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		3,300.20
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 292					=====
					13,249.27
DEPARTMENT 310					
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	3FTX4FT IMPRESSION GR	23.73	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	ETN 1G DUP RECEPT PLATE B	1.92	
		28100 AQUA NJ	APRIL 2024 LEE HILL WATER SERVICE	150.46	
		28634 AGRA ENVIRONMENTAL & LAB	03/25/24 Water Testing - Coliform	96.00	
		28228 ROYALTY CLEANING SERVICES, LLC	1ST QUARTER 2024 BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER	138.50	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS 40IN TRCKSMRT TOP RAI	-28.46	
		28228 ROYALTY CLEANING SERVICES, LLC	To Cancel Balance.	-138.50	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	QLT 3PC PLASTIC PUTTY RN	7.94	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	APOC 365 1GAL RBRZD FLSH	25.63	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	2X4 LAY-IN PANEL LED 3CCT	75.99	
		28228 ROYALTY CLEANING SERVICES, LLC	MARCH 2024 JANITORIAL SERVICES	550.80	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	VALSPAR 4 3/8IN TRIM ROL	5.21	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS BETTER 1.5IN SASH POL	7.58	

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DEPARTMENT 310					
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS BETTER 3IN FLAT POLY	11.67	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	SCOTCH BLUE 1.88 SHARP LI	24.20	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	IG SHOWCASE SEMI UW BASE	52.24	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	ETN 1G DECO PLATE BK	2.64	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	4IN EXPOSED WORK COVER I	2.96	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	VALSPAR 9 3/8IN KNIT ROL	20.86	
		28121 NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	ENER A23 WATCH BATTERY	4.49	
		28121 NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	MACHINE SCREWS	26.57	
		28142 DELSEA TERMITE & PEST CONTROL	04/04/24 - MONTHLY PEST CONTROL - LEE HI	32.00	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	PS .7MIL 9X12 3 PLSTC DC	7.11	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	VALSPAR 9IN HEAVY DUTY	5.68	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	IG SHOWCASE SEMI UW BASE	52.23	
		28121 NETCONG HARDWARE CO., INC.	MACHINE SCREWS	1.89	
		28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT	IG SHOWCASE SEMI UW BASE	52.23	
01-201-26-310-220		Operating Maintenance	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,213.57
		28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	ITEM #MPB-TK-BLK - POLY BAG 15X9X30 BLAC	64.50	
		28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	ITEM #MCS-WES150 - UNIVERSAL URINAL CART	70.00	
		28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	ITEM #PPM-CLO60276CT - CLOROX PRO ECOCLE	49.50	
		28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	ITEM #SRI-FG00010 - BOUNTY EQUIVALENT 2P	104.00	
		28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC.	FUEL CHARGE	4.50	
01-201-26-310-244		Janitorial Supplies	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		292.50
					=====
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 310					1,506.07
DEPARTMENT 335					
		28116 SCMUA	03/26/2024 - GARBAGE TIPPING FEES	5,629.52	
		28116 SCMUA	03/19/2024 - GARBAGE TIPPING FEES	6,011.20	
01-201-26-335-030		GARBAGE CONTRACT	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		11,640.72
					=====
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 335					11,640.72
DEPARTMENT 360					
		28590 BYRAM TWP SENIOR CITIZEN CLUB	2024 BUDGET APPROPRIATION	8,500.00	
01-201-37-360-227		Aid/Senior Citizen Club	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		8,500.00
					=====
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 360					8,500.00
DEPARTMENT 375					
		28553 VERIZON WIRELESS	Senior Van Driver - Acct #282179761-0000	23.21	
01-201-28-375-251		Cell Phone - Senior Van	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		23.21
					=====
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 375					23.21

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DEPARTMENT 430					
	28682	JCP&L	ROSEVILLE ROAD	340.26	
	28682	JCP&L	STREET LIGHTING - FLASHING LIGHT	4.09	
	28682	JCP&L	RESCUE SQUAD	58.58	
01-201-31-430-619		Rescue Squad	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		402.93
	28631	JCP&L	NEIL GYLING - ACCT #100030508426	61.56	
01-201-31-430-661		P & R Utilities	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		61.56
	28682	JCP&L	SCHOOL MUSEUM	4.09	
	28682	JCP&L	DPW GARAGE	897.23	
	28682	JCP&L	ANIMAL SHELTER	239.92	
	28682	JCP&L	MUNICIPAL COMPLEX	1,644.20	
01-201-31-430-663		Publ Bldgs/Grounds Utilities	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		2,785.44
	28552	JCP&L	FIRE DEPT - ACCT #200000053062	316.37	
01-201-31-430-675		Fire Dept Utilities	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		316.37
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 430					3,566.30
DEPARTMENT 435					
	28682	JCP&L	STREET LIGHTING - RTE 206 & WATERLOO RD	71.48	
	28682	JCP&L	STREET LIGHTING - FOREST LAKES	18.30	
	28682	JCP&L	STREET LIGHTING - ASCOT MANOR	31.25	
01-201-31-435-020		STREET LIGHTING	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		121.03
	28563	JCP&L	2023/2024 - Holiday Lights - 23 Units fo	2,627.52	
01-203-31-435-020		(2023) STREET LIGHTING	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		2,627.52
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 435					2,748.55
DEPARTMENT 440					
	28640	XTEL COMMUNICATIONS	APRIL 2024 LONG DISTANCE CHARGES	417.77	
01-201-31-440-601		A&E Utilities	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		417.77
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 440					417.77
DEPARTMENT 446					
	28681	ELIZABETHTOWN GAS	34 LEE HILL RD - ACCT #5628595432	155.23	
01-201-31-446-675		Fire Dept Utilities	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		155.23
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 446					155.23

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DEPARTMENT 447					
01-201-31-447-619	28102 FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.		03/06/2024 - #2 FUEL OIL DELIVERY - 286.	796.69	
	Rescue Squad		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		796.69
01-201-31-447-661	28102 FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.		03/06/2024 - #2 FUEL OIL DELIVERY - 1100	3,064.16	
	28102 FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.		03/06/2024 - #2 FUEL OIL DELIVERY - 97.0	270.21	
	P & R Utilities		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		3,334.37
01-201-31-447-670	28102 FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.		03/06/2024 - #2 FUEL OIL DELIVERY - 1050	2,924.88	
	DPW Utilities		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		2,924.88
01-201-31-447-675	28102 FINCH FUEL OIL CO, INC.		03/06/2024 - #2 FUEL OIL DELIVERY - 86.0	239.57	
	Fire Dept Utilities		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		239.57
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 447					7,295.51
DEPARTMENT 455					
01-201-31-455-020	28103 BYRAM TWP SEWER OPERATING UTIL		2nd Qtr 2024 Sewer Charges for Municipal	1,460.42	
	MUNICIPAL SEWER CHARGES		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		1,460.42
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 455					1,460.42
DEPARTMENT 460					
01-201-31-460-670	28195 ALLIED OIL, LLC		03/21/24 - GASOLINE DELIVERY - 1998.3 GA	5,834.64	
	DPW Utilities		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		5,834.64
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 460					5,834.64
DEPARTMENT 465					
01-201-32-465-000	28116 SCMUA		03/19/2024 - RECYCLING TAX TIPPING FEES	173.40	
	28116 SCMUA		03/26/2024 - RECYCLING TAX TIPPING FEES	162.39	
	RECYCLING TAX APPROP.		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		335.79
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 465					335.79
DEPARTMENT 471					
01-201-36-471-020	28688 STATE OF NEW JERSEY		2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION - PER	215,539.91	
	PERS		TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		215,539.91

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DEPARTMENT 471					
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 471					=====215,539.91
DEPARTMENT 475					
01-201-36-475-020	28688	STATE OF NEW JERSEY PFRS	2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION - PFR	574,502.00	
TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT					574,502.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 475					=====574,502.00
DEPARTMENT 496					
01-201-43-496-020	28680	MUSCONETCONG SEWERAGE AUTHORIT Musconetcong Sewer Fees	2nd Qtr 2024 Sewerage Fees	11,438.43	
TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT					11,438.43
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 496					=====11,438.43
DEPARTMENT 740					
01-213-07-740-001004	28226	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, 28226 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, 28226 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, 28226 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, 28226 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, 28226 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #2 & #3 - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #5 - STORM FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #6 & #7 - FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #9 - MUNIC FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #11 - MS4 FEBRUARY 2024 SERVICES - TASK #13 - WATE	71.00 2,706.75 234.38 574.00 9,895.88 142.00	
TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT					13,624.01
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 740					=====13,624.01
DEPARTMENT 776					
01-214-23-776-004	28233	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT 28233 LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCOUNT 28537 TOMAR INDUSTRIES, INC. 28131 SCMUA	HI VIS GRNDAY NHESAFEVST PS COTTON KNITTED GLOVES ITEM #MPB-58-3XHD - POLYBAG 22X16X58 BLA 03/28/24 - STREET SWEEPING	136.56 18.98 196.00 121.70	
TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT					473.24
01-214-23-776-005	28551	KIRA WILLEY PRODUCTIONS, LLC 2023-2024 - MAC Grant	04/24/2024 ROCKIN YOGA ASSEMBLY	1,450.00	
TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT					1,450.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 776					=====1,923.24

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Developers Escrow (TD Bank)					
DEPARTMENT 000					
03-286-56-000-021	28571	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, Tilcon Quarry, Inc. - #72000-89433	PREPRARE REPORTS/MEMOS	71.00	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		71.00
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 000					71.00
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DEPARTMENT 502					
05-201-55-502-220	28310	ONE CALL CONCEPTS, INC. Maintenance	MARCH 2024 CALL BEFORE U DIG SERVICES	12.87	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		12.87
05-201-55-502-687	28629	JCP&L	SEWER STATION - ACCT #100000072452	40.61	
	28630	JCP&L	SEWER STATION - ACCT #100000072254	134.41	
	28627	JCP&L	SEWER STATION - ACCT #100000101160	428.14	
	28628	JCP&L	SEWER STATION - ACCT #100000100212	313.49	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		916.65
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 502					929.52
DEPARTMENT 503					
05-201-55-503-000	28680	MUSCONETCONG SEWERAGE AUTHORIT MSA Fees	2nd Qtr 2024 Sewerage Fees	17,157.64	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		17,157.64
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 503					17,157.64
DEPARTMENT 540					
05-201-55-540-000	28688	STATE OF NEW JERSEY PERS	2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION - PER	100.00	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		100.00
				=====	
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 540					100.00
Animal Trust					
DEPARTMENT 000					
12-205-55-000-000	28652	NJ STATE DEPT OF HEALTH	1 Year - Licenses	34.20	
	28652	NJ STATE DEPT OF HEALTH	3 Year - Licenses	39.60	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		73.80
	28421	GANNETT NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY LOCALIQ	2024 RABIES CLINIC AD	5.27	

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Animal Trust					
DEPARTMENT 000					
12-286-56-000-001		Reserve - Dog Trust	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		5.27
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 000					79.07
Developers Escrow Fund Fulton Bank					
DEPARTMENT 069					
18-280-56-069	28666	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PREPARE REPORTS/MEMOS	284.00	
	28661	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	RECEIPT & REVIEW OF REVISE SITE PLAN FOR	35.00	
		Tomahawk Lake, Inc. - #1101206130	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		319.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 069					319.00
Other Trust					
DEPARTMENT 000					
19-286-56-000-001	28196	CREATIVE MANAGEMENT, INC.	03/27/24 DIESEL DELIVERY - 1,600.10 GALL	4,624.77	
		Reserve - Diesel/Gasoline	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		4,624.77
19-286-56-000-015	28642	CHRISTIANA T C/F CE1/FIRSTTRUST	Lien Redemption - TSC #2023-003 - Block	71,900.00	
		Reserve - Tax Sale Premiums	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		71,900.00
19-286-56-000-421	28498	FRANCHINO, VINCENT J.	PLUMBING SUBCODE SUB	123.75	
	28498	FRANCHINO, VINCENT J.	PLUMBING SUBCODE SUB	112.50	
	28576	SWCEO	CODE WORKSHOP FOR CONTRACTORS - 04/27/20	35.00	
		Uniform Construction Code - Other Expenses	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		271.25
19-286-56-000-422	28688	STATE OF NEW JERSEY	2024 ANNUAL EMPLOYER APPROPRIATION - PER	17,064.09	
		Uniform Construction Code - Fringe Benefits	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		17,064.09
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 000					93,860.11
Recreation Trust					
DEPARTMENT 700					
20-286-56-700-000	28531	MOBILE WELLNESS TRAINING, LLC	CHAIR YOGA CLASSES (1/22/24, 2/5/24, 2/2	375.00	
	28531	MOBILE WELLNESS TRAINING, LLC	BALANCE, STRENGTH AND STRETCH CLASSSES (	375.00	
		FITNESS	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		750.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 700					750.00

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Developers Escrow - VNB					
DEPARTMENT 048					
		28672 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PHONE CONFERENCES	71.00	
		28672 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING	112.50	
		28672 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	02/27/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT MEETING	213.00	
24-280-56-048		Paramount Carter Venture, LLC - #9707755047	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		396.50
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 048					396.50
DEPARTMENT 055					
		28671 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	87.00	
		28504 VOGEL, CHAIT, COLLINS AND SCHNEIDER	REVIEW OF E-MAIL & DESCRIPTIONS	175.00	
		28504 VOGEL, CHAIT, COLLINS AND SCHNEIDER	REVIEW OF E-MAIL & DRAFTING OF E-MAIL	87.50	
		28671 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PREPRARE REPORTS/MEMOS	71.00	
		28504 VOGEL, CHAIT, COLLINS AND SCHNEIDER	REVIEW OF E-MAIL REGARDING ORDINANCE OF	175.00	
		28671 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	DRAINAGE REVIEW/REPORT	50.63	
		28671 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	112.50	
24-280-56-055		Raimo of Stanhope, Inc - #9707755749	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		758.63
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 055					758.63
DEPARTMENT 078					
		28670 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	150.00	
		28599 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	75.00	
		28598 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/ SUBDIVISION	75.00	
		28597 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	75.00	
		28600 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	131.25	
24-280-56-078		Landscapes By Lou, LLC - #9707758364	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		506.25
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 078					506.25
DEPARTMENT 079					
		28657 MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW APPLICATION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENT	35.00	
		28657 MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW BYRAM CAR WASH APPLICATION IN PRE	35.00	
		28657 MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	02/15/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC HEARIN	245.00	
24-280-56-079		R & G Carwash, Inc - #9707758723	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		315.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 079					315.00

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DEPARTMENT 112					
	28646	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/C. STONER REGARDING REL	17.50	
	28646	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW EMAIL CORRESPONDENCE FROM C. STON	17.50	
	28646	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW APPLICATION, ZONING ORDINANCE & S	70.00	
24-280-56-112		Dennis Fornarucci - #8964620700	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		105.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 112					105.00
DEPARTMENT 116					
	28673	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	ONSITE FIELD CHECK	35.50	
24-280-56-116		Princeton Property Mgmt - #9707754358	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		35.50
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 116					35.50
DEPARTMENT 118					
	28674	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	71.00	
24-280-56-118		Chad Pirnos - #9707754679	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		71.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 118					71.00
DEPARTMENT 142					
	28664	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	01/18/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT MEETING	142.00	
	28664	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PREPRARE FOR MEETING	71.00	
24-280-56-142		Panther Lake RV, LLC - #9707753771	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		213.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 142					213.00
DEPARTMENT 143					
	28601	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW REPORT FROM C. STONER REGARDING C	17.50	
	28675	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	ONSITE FIELD CHECK	35.50	
24-280-56-143		ELICC Americas Corporation - #6461826902	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		53.00
TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 143					53.00

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DEPARTMENT 144					
24-280-56-144	28678	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, Veolia Water NJ (8 Mountain Ave) - 9778	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	112.50	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		112.50
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 144					112.50
DEPARTMENT 175					
24-280-56-175	28574	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, North Shore Water Assoc. - #9707758682	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	56.25	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		56.25
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 175					56.25
DEPARTMENT 182					
24-280-56-182	28573	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES, NJ Natural Gas Company - #9707751680	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	131.25	
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		131.25
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 182					131.25
DEPARTMENT 200					
24-280-56-200	28658	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	DRAFT, REVIEW & REVISE RESOLUTION FOR KR	157.50	
	28665	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	02/01/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT MEETING	71.00	
	28658	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	02/01/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC HEARIN	52.50	
	28658	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVISE KRASSNER RESOLUTION PER COMMENTS	35.00	
	28658	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/C. STONER REGARDING REV	17.50	
		Barbara Krassner - #9707750726	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		333.50
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 200					333.50
DEPARTMENT 205					
24-280-56-205	28659	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW & REVISED LEGAL NOTICE FOR RUBENS	17.50	
	28659	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/E. WILSON REGARDING PRO	17.50	
	28659	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW COMMENTS FROM E. WILSON & PROPOSE	70.00	
		Alexander Rubenstein - #9707758059	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		105.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 205					105.00

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DEPARTMENT 213					
24-280-56-213	28660	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW APPLICATION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENT	17.50	
		<i>L&A Construction Mgmt, LLC - #3649389900</i>			
			TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		17.50
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 213					17.50
DEPARTMENT 216					
24-280-56-216	28645	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW CORRESPNDENCE & SURVEY REGARDING	35.00	
	28645	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW ENGINEERING REPORT & COMMUNICATIO	52.50	
	28645	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW COMMUNICATIONS, NOTICE OF VIOLATI	87.50	
	28645	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW ZONING PERMITS & DOCUMENTS FROM Z	35.00	
		<i>Nicco Brancaccio - #2693858800</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		210.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 216					210.00
DEPARTMENT 217					
24-280-56-217	28655	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	DRAFT RESOLUTION FOR JALBOUT APPLICATION	280.00	
	28655	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW & REVISE RESOLUTION FOR JALBOUT A	52.50	
	28655	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW DOCUMENTS FROM APPLICANT REQUESTE	52.50	
	28655	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	02/01/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC HEARIN	140.00	
		<i>Ziad Jalbout - #4928400248</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		525.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 217					525.00
DEPARTMENT 218					
24-280-56-218	28656	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	02/01/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC HEARIN	35.00	
	28669	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	02/01/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT MEETING	71.00	
	28669	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PREPARE REPORTS/MEMOS	142.00	
	28669	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	58.00	
	28669	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	56.25	
	28656	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	DRAFT RESOLUTION FOR MAIDA APPROVAL	157.50	
		<i>David M. Maida, Jr. - #3973134075</i>	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		519.75
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 218					519.75
DEPARTMENT 220					
	28654	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/C. STONER, C. PHILLIPS	70.00	
	28654	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/N. CUTRONE & C. STONER	52.50	
	28667	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	58.00	
	28667	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	PREPARE REPORTS/MEMOS	142.00	

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DEPARTMENT 220					
24-280-56-220	28667	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	75.00	
	28654	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	02/15/2024 - ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC HEARIN	105.00	
		Catherine Trader - #7439576900	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		502.50
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 220					502.50
DEPARTMENT 221					
24-280-56-221	28679	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	232.00	
		Tom Chamberlin - #1756160401	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		232.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 221					232.00
DEPARTMENT 222					
24-280-56-222	28677	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	71.00	
		Charles Cirella - #2177568000	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		71.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 222					71.00
DEPARTMENT 223					
24-280-56-223	28647	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW NOTICE OF VIOLATION FOR TURCIOS A	17.50	
	28647	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW ENGINEERING REVIEW LETTER FOR TUR	17.50	
	28647	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	COMMUNICATIONS W/C. STONER & C. PHILLIPS	17.50	
	28647	MARAZITI FALCON, LLP	REVIEW LEGAL NOTICE, PLANS & APPLICATION	52.50	
		Christine Turcios - #8942136140	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		105.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 223					105.00
DEPARTMENT 224					
24-280-56-224	28676	HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	APPLICATION & PLAN REVIEW	142.00	
		Brian Kearns - #3934414200	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		142.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 224					142.00

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DEPARTMENT 226					
		28572 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	ONSITE FIELD CHECK	284.00	
		28572 HAROLD E. PELLOW & ASSOCIATES,	INSPECT SITE PLAN/SUBDIVISION	75.00	
24-280-56-226		Robbie Testa - #3730824601	TOTAL FOR ACCOUNT		359.00
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TOTAL for DEPARTMENT 226					359.00

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
ORDINANCE NO. 005-2024

AMENDED ORDINANCE FOR ADMINISTRATION & HOURLY POSITIONS
SALARY AND WAGES
FOR THE YEAR 2021-2026

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Township Council, Township of Byram, County of Sussex, State of New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1: The salary for each elected and appointed official and employee of the Township of Byram who is engaged on an annual salary basis shall be hereby fixed as follows:

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>MINIMUM</u>	<u>MAXIMUM</u>
Mayor and Council Member	3,500	3,500
Municipal Manager	115,000	180,000
Deputy Municipal Manager	10,000	95,000
Chief of Police	115,000	181,000
Township Clerk/Registrar	50,000	88,000
Deputy Clerk	10,000	53,000
Chief Financial Officer/Municipal Treasurer	55,000	136,000
Assistant Municipal Treasurer	15,000	45,000
Municipal Tax Collector	15,000	81,000
Assistant Municipal Tax Collector	10,000	45,000
Tax Assessor	30,000	72,000
Public Works Superintendent	60,000	116,000
Director of Planning	50,000	75,000
Recreation Director	30,000	85,000
Recreation Leader	15,000	50,000
Construction Code Official	5,000	105,000
Plumbing Inspector	5,000	55,000
Electrical Inspector	5,000	55,000
Fire Inspector	2,000	55,500
Fire Official	2,000	2,500
Zoning Officer	15,000	68,000
Land Use Technical Assistant	30,000	65,000
Sanitary Sewer License Operator	5,500	15,000
Deputy Registrar Vital Statistics Stipend	1,000	1,000
Planning Board Secretary Stipend	1,000	1,000
Pumping Station Attendant Stipend	1,000	6,000
Emergency Management Coordinator Stipend	1,500	1,500
Deputy Emergency Management Coordinator Stipend	1,500	1,500

SECTION 2: The maximum hourly rate of pay for each appointed hourly employee shall be hereby fixed as follows:

<u>POSITION HOURLY</u>	<u>MINIMUM</u>	<u>MAXIMUM</u>
Senior Transportation Driver	12.00	24.00
Recycling Aide	12.00	18.00
Animal Attendant	12.00	18.00
Seasonal / Temporary Staff	12.00	22.00

SECTION 3: The authorized number of positions shall be established by the Annual Budget adopted by the Township Council or as otherwise provided by statute or official action of the Township Council.

SECTION 4: The Manager of the Township of Byram may establish rates of compensation for all employees and may hire any new employee at an hourly or annual rate which does not exceed the maximum salary provided for such office or position without specific authorization of the Township Council.

SECTION 5: Personnel covered by the existing labor contracts or an individual contract with the Township shall be entitled to benefits as per contract, if applicable. Full time annual salaried employees not covered by contracts shall be entitled to the benefits as referenced in the Township’s Employee Handbook but not including longevity, education or overtime payments.

SECTION 6: All existing ordinances or parts of existing ordinances which are inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance are to the extent of such inconsistency repealed.

SECTION 7: This Ordinance shall take effect after publication and passage according to law and shall be effective until revised.

Introduced: April 2, 2024 Adopted: April 17, 2024

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

Alexander Rubenstein
Mayor

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

NOTICE is hereby given that Ordinance 005-2024 was introduced and passed first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Byram, held at the Byram Township Municipal Building, Mansfield Drive, Byram Township, New Jersey, on the 2nd day of April 2024. The said ordinance was further considered for final adoption at a meeting of the Township Council of The Township of Byram, held at the Byram Municipal Building, 10 Mansfield Drive, Byram Township, New Jersey, on the 17th day of April at 7:30 p.m. at which time all persons were given the opportunity to be heard. It was finally passed and adopted and will be in full force in the Township according to law.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

**TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
ORDINANCE NO. 006 – 2024**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE A CAPITAL EXPENDITURE FOR
IMPROVEMENTS OF VARIOUS STREETS AND LOCATIONS IN AND BY
THE TOWNSHIP AND TO PROVIDE FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO
EXCEED \$100,000.00**

Purpose Statement: Reconstruction and Resurfacing of Various Streets and Locations in and by the Township including without limitation, Stonehedge Lane, Manor Drive, Birch Parkway, Mayfair Lane, Bridge Lane, Sandra Lane, Catalina Drive, & Camelot Drive and other streets and roads in the Township to be determined including reconstruction of culverts and headwalls and all curbing, drainage facilities/inlets, landscaping, reclamation, milling, structures, roadway surfaces including milling and paving, oil and stone, cape sealing or similar application, materials, equipment, site work and engineering costs.

WHEREAS, the Township of Byram is planning to complete improvements of various streets and locations in and by the Township including without limitation, Stonehedge Lane, Manor Drive, Birch Parkway, Mayfair Lane, Bridge Lane, Sandra Lane, Catalina Drive, & Camelot Drive and other streets and roads in the Township to be determined; and

WHEREAS, these improvements may include reconstruction of culverts and headwalls and all curbing, drainage facilities/inlets, landscaping, reclamation, milling, structures, roadway surfaces including paving, oil and stone, cape sealing or similar application all materials, equipment, site work and engineering costs; and

WHEREAS, the 2024 Municipal Budget included \$100,000 as a Capital Improvement Appropriation as a Supplement to the Road Improvement Program, \$225,500 as an Appropriation for Improvements to Streets and Roads and \$142,524 for the 2024 Municipal Aid Program (NJDOT Grant); and

WHEREAS, the Township appropriated funds through past Capital Ordinances in prior years that have been unspent due to the ongoing installation of natural gas; and

WHEREAS, the total cost for these projects amount to \$1,041,000, \$225,500 to be funded from the 2024 Municipal Budget Appropriation for Improvements to Streets and Roads, \$139,730 to be funded from the 2023 Municipal Aid Program (NJDOT Grant), \$142,524 to be funded from the 2024 Municipal Aid Program (NJDOT Grant), \$433,246 to be funded from prior year ordinances, \$100,000 to be funded as stipulated below.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED and enacted by the Council of the Township of Byram, County of Sussex, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1 – The Manager and Municipal Clerk are authorized to execute road improvements as set forth in plans prepared by the Municipal Engineer. All actions shall be taken in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law and other applicable regulations.

Section 2 – This ordinance shall be funded as follows:

\$100,000.00 Capital Fund – Reserve for Road Resurfacing

Section 3 – This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after final adoption and publication as required by law.

Introduced: April 2, 2024 Adopted: April 17, 2024

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

Alexander Rubenstein
Mayor

BYRAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

	Councilwoman Franco	Councilman Gallagher	Councilman Proctor	Councilman Roseff	Mayor Rubenstein
Motion					
2nd					
Yes					
No					
Abstain					
Absent					

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

NOTICE is hereby given that Ordinance 006-2024 was introduced and passed first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Byram, held at the Byram Township Municipal Building, Mansfield Drive, Byram Township, New Jersey, on the 2nd day of April 2024. The said ordinance was further considered for final adoption at a meeting of the Township Council of The Township of Byram, held at the Byram Municipal Building, 10 Mansfield Drive, Byram Township, New Jersey, on the 17th day of April at 7:30 p.m. at which time all persons were given the opportunity to be heard. It was finally passed and adopted and will be in full force in the Township according to law.

Cynthia Church, RMC
Township Clerk

From: Joseph Sabatini
To: Alex Rubenstein; Cindy Church; Chris Franco; Harvey Roseff; John Gallagher; Phil Crosson; Ricky Proctor; T Collins
Cc: Dan DeWald; Zoning Officer
Subject: FW: Nuisance noise ordinance
Date: Thursday, April 4, 2024 11:01:11 AM
Attachments: Borough of Hopatcong, NJ Peace and Good Order.pdf
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Microsoft Word - Difference betw nuisance code and model.docx.pdf
Public Health Nuisance Code (1953), related law and suggested ordinance, 1968.pdf

All,

I have attached copy of the Hopatcong ordinance highlighting the sections that address noise violations.

I have included Chapter 266. Nuisances, Public Health below from the Township's Code. This section of the code references prohibiting certain noises or sounds and references the Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953) (see attached). If you search on the Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey many towns have this reference in their code. The Township's ordinance generally references certain noises or sounds as public nuisances and enforcing officials include regular and special patrolmen of the police department.

Title 26: Health and Vital Statistics – 26:3-45: Power to Define Nuisance - The local board may pass, alter or amend ordinances and make rules and regulations to declare and define what shall constitute a nuisance in lots, streets, docks, wharves, vessels and piers, and all public or private places within its jurisdiction. Sections 26:3-45-53 talk about nuisance on private/public properties and abatement.

I have located the attached document regarding the difference of a Noise Ordinance versus Nuisance Code which was published by the NJDEP-Office of Local Environmental Management in August 2008.

Please feel to give me a call with any questions.

Thanks - Joe

Chapter 266. Nuisances, Public Health

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Health of the Township of Byram 8-17-1971 as Ch. BH-V of the Revised General Ordinances. Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Noise — See Ch. **171**.

Housing — See Ch. **148**.

Property maintenance — See Ch. **186**.

General penalty — see Ch. **245**, § **245-14**.

§ 266-1. Adoption of standards.

A code defining and prohibiting certain matters, things, conditions or acts and each of them as a nuisance, prohibiting certain noises or sounds, requiring the proper heating of apartments; prohibiting the lease or rental of certain buildings; prohibiting spitting in or upon public buildings, conveyances or sidewalks; authorizing the inspection of premises by an enforcing official; providing for the removal or abatement of certain nuisances and the recovery of expenses incurred by the Board of Health in removing or abating such nuisances, and prescribing penalties for violations is hereby established pursuant to **N.J.S.A. 26:3-69.1 et seq.** A copy of the code is annexed to this chapter and made a part hereof without the inclusion of the text.

§ 266-2. Title.

The code established and adopted by this chapter is described and commonly known as the "Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953)."

§ 266-3. Copies on file.

Three copies of the Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953) have been placed on file in the offices of the Secretary of the Board of Health and the Township Clerk for the use and examination of the public.

§ 266-4. Modifications to standards.

[Amended 12-30-1976]

The code is amended in Section 1.1 to read as follows:

1.1: "Enforcing officials" shall mean and include regular and special patrolmen and superior officers of the Police Department, the Construction Official, the Plumbing Inspector, the Health Officer or any other official authorized by the Board of Health to enforce this code and chapter.



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Subject: FW: Nuisance noise ordinance

After the last meeting, I asked Chief DeWald to ask around to his peers to see if any other towns had had success with some sort of qualitative code. He responded with the below.

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Subject: Nuisance noise ordinance

Good morning,

I spoke with a few other towns and many only have the model noise ordinances which reference decibel readings. One example of a broader ordinance that has been used by Hopatcong is linked below. Hopatcong has an ordinance regarding decibel readings as well as this one that is used for nuisance complaints. This ordinance has been used for boaters on Lake Hopatcong as well as residential noise complaints. I believe Tony Arbore is still the prosecutor in Hopatcong, so he would be familiar with the ordinance. The only unknown is how our current judge would interpret the wording of the ordinance if the matter were to go to trial.

<https://ecode360.com/9569489>

Thank you,



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Chapter 167. Peace and Good Order

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hopatcong as indicated in article histories. Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Alcoholic beverages — See Ch. **63**.

Fraudulent checks — See Ch. **87**.

Curfew — See Ch. **97**.

Firearms — See Ch. **112**.

Games of chance — See Ch. **129**.

Peddling and soliciting — See Ch. **171**.

Pool and billiard halls — See Ch. **175**.

Board of Health Nuisance Code — See Ch. **259**.

Article I. General Provisions

[Adopted 6-12-1926 (Ch. 49 of the 1967 Code)]

§ 167-1. Disorderly houses; use of buildings by certain persons.

No person shall keep or maintain a disorderly house or a house of ill fame or allow or permit any house, shop, store or other building owned or occupied by him or her to be used as a disorderly house or house of ill fame or to be frequented or resorted to by riotous or disorderly persons, prostitutes, gamblers or vagrants.

§ 167-2. Gambling devices; games of chance; prize contests.

No person shall set up, keep or maintain or permit to be set up, kept or maintained in any house or premises any faro table, faro bank, roulette wheel or other device or game of chance for the purpose of gaming or any boxing ring, cockpit or other place for men or animals to fight, nor shall any person hold or permit to be held in any house or premises any dogfight, cockfight, prizefight or any sparring contest for a purse or money prize.

§ 167-3. Dealing, playing or engaging in games of chance.

No person shall deal, play or engage in faro, roulette or other games of chance, either as banker, player, dealer or otherwise, for the purpose of gaming.

§ 167-4. Loitering; improper language; interfering with passersby.

No person shall loiter on the streets and utter loud and offensive or indecent language or make offensive remarks to or upon any person passing along such streets or obstruct or interfere with any person lawfully being in or upon such streets.

§ 167-5. Begging or gathering alms.

No person shall go about from door to door or place himself or herself in the streets to beg or gather alms.

§ 167-6. Lewdness and indecency.

No person shall appear in any street or public place in a state of nudity or in a dress not belonging to his or her sex or in an indecent or lewd dress or shall make any indecent exposure of his or her person or be guilty of any lewd or indecent act or behavior or shall exhibit, sell or offer to sell any indecent or lewd book, picture or thing or shall exhibit or perform any indecent, immoral or lewd play or other representation.^[1]

[1] *Editor's Note: Original § 49-7, Attire in public, which immediately followed this section, was repealed 5-3-1984 by Ord. No. 12-84.*

§ 167-7. Display of obscene material in retail establishments.

[Added 2-6-2002 by Ord. No. 1-2002]

A. For the purpose of this section, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

OBSCENE MATERIAL

Any description, narrative account, display, depiction of a specified anatomical area or specified sexual activity contained in, or consisting of, a picture or other representation, publication, sound recording, live performance or film, which by means of posing, composition, format or animated sensual details, emits sensuality with sufficient impact to concentrate prurient interest on the area or activity.

RETAILER

Any person who operates a store, newsstand, booth, concession or similar business with unimpeded access for persons under 18 years old, who is in the business of making sales of periodicals or other publications at retail containing pictures, drawings or photographs.

SPECIFIED ANATOMICAL AREA

Less than completely and opaquely covered human genitals, pubic region, buttock, or female breasts below a point immediately above the top of the areola; or human male genitals in a discernibly turgid state, even if covered.

SPECIFIED SEXUAL ACTIVITY

Human genitals in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal; or any act of human masturbation, sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse; or fondling or other erotic touching of covered or uncovered human genitals, pubic region, buttock or female breast.

B. Any retailer who displays or permits to be displayed at his business premises any obscene material, as defined herein, at a height of less than five feet or without a binder or other covering placed or printed on the front of the material displayed shall be guilty of a petty disorderly persons offense.

C. The public display of any obscene material shall constitute presumptive evidence that the retailer knowingly made or permitted the display of the obscene material.^[1]

[1] *Editor's Note: Original § 49-8, Intoxicated persons, which immediately followed this section, was repealed 4-2-1992 by Ord. No. 10-92.*

§ 167-8. Interfering with persons lawfully in street, public place or building.

No person or persons shall obstruct or interfere with any person or persons lawfully being in or upon any street, public place or building.

§ 167-9. Interference with police.

No person shall resist or in any way interfere with or hinder or obstruct the Chief of Police or Marshal or any policeman or any member of the Police Department in the discharge of his duty as such officer or assist any person, while in his or their custody, to escape or attempt to escape from such custody.

§ 167-10. Diversion of water into Borough facilities or upon rights-of-way.

[Added 3-2-1978]

- A. The pumping of any basement water or well water or the diversion of surface or other water to or upon Borough roads, rights-of-way, drains, catch basins, gutters and culverts is hereby prohibited in the Borough of Hopatcong, except as provided in § **167-10B**.
- B. Relief may be sought from portions of § **167-10A** by owners of homes or commercial buildings constructed before March 10, 1978, whereby permission may be sought to divert springs or surface water into catch basins or storm drains. Application shall be made in triplicate to the Construction Official, who shall forward copies to the Borough Engineer and the Superintendent of Public Works. Upon review and favorable recommendation by the Borough Engineer and Superintendent of Public Works and agreement on the construction to be done and by what party, the Construction Official may issue a permit.
- C. Enforcement of § **167-10A** against all violators shall be by the Borough Engineer and the Superintendent of Public Works. In addition, enforcement against violations by water companies shall be by Borough police also.

§ 167-11. Placement of snow on roads and other facilities.

[Added 3-1-1990 by Ord. No. 7-90]

No person shall place, shove, push, throw or otherwise place snow, ice or other precipitation upon Borough roads, rights-of-way or other facilities.

§ 167-12. Unlawful noise.

[Added 6-6-1958]

It shall be unlawful for any person in a public or private place to make, continue or cause to be made or continued any loud, unnecessary or unusual noise or any noise which either annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, repose, health, peace or safety of others within the limits of the Borough.

§ 167-13. Persons to be held responsible.

[Added 6-6-1958]

The owner, lessee, tenant or occupant of any house, shop, store or other building shall be held responsible for any unusual or unnecessary noise, disturbance or other violation of this chapter coming from said house, shop, store or other building or property.

§ 167-14. Sound-producing devices; restrictions on use.

[Added 6-6-1958]

- A. The using or operating, or permitting to be played, used or operated, of any radio receiving set, musical instrument, phonograph or other machine or device for the producing or reproducing of sound in such manner as to disturb the peace, quiet and comfort of the neighboring inhabitants or at any time with louder volume than is necessary for convenient hearing for the person or persons who are in the room, vehicle or chamber in which such machine or device is operated is prohibited. The operation of any such set, instrument, phonograph, machine or device between the hours of 1:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on all days except Saturdays, when the time is 2:30 a.m., and New Year's Eve, Decoration Day Eve, Fourth of July Eve and Labor Day Eve, when the time is 3:00 a.m., in such manner as to be plainly audible at a distance of 50 feet from the building, structure or vehicle in which it is located, shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this section.
- B. The operation of any such set, instrument, phonograph, machine or device in a public area or place between the hours of 1:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on all days except Saturdays, when the time is 2:30 a.m., and New Year's Eve, Decoration Day Eve, Fourth of July Eve and Labor Day Eve, when the time is 3:00 a.m., is prohibited.

§ 167-15. Outside loudspeakers and amplifiers.

[Added 6-6-1958; amended 9-7-1995 by Ord. No. 17-95]

The use of outside loudspeakers and amplifiers is prohibited in accordance with the following schedules, excepting police, fire or other emergency equipment or except as approved by resolution of the Mayor and Council:

- A. Sunday through Thursday: 10:00 p.m. through 7:00 a.m. of the following day.
- B. Friday, Saturday and the eve of Memorial Day, July 4, Labor Day and New Year's: 11:59 p.m. through 7:00 a.m. of the following day.

§ 167-16. River Styx Bridge.

[Added 10-5-1972]

No person while on or upon the River Styx Bridge shall fish, swim or dive therefrom or cause to be dropped or thrown any article or thing from said bridge.

§ 167-17. Violations and penalties.

[Added 6-6-1958; amended 8-16-2023 by Ord. No. 18-2023]

Each and every person violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, be punishable by a fine of \$100 for a first offense; \$200 for a second offense; a fine at the discretion of the judge not less than \$300 nor exceeding \$2,000 for a third or more offenses, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 90 days or a period of community service not exceeding 90 days, or any combination thereof, and the judge before whom any such person may be brought may impose such punishment by fine or imprisonment or community service as he may see fit, not exceeding the maximum herein fixed. Each violation of any of the provisions of this article and each day that such offense shall continue shall be deemed to be a separate and distinct offense.

§ 167-18. Graffiti.

[Added 12-3-1981; amended 3-4-1982 by Ord. No. 6-82]

No person shall write, print or place with ink, paint, chalk or any other substance or substances or otherwise mark, scratch, carve or etch graffiti on the real or personal property of another, whether said personal or real property is publicly or privately owned, unless the owner of said property shall have, prior to the writing, printing or placing of graffiti, specifically consented to the same. For purposes of this section, "graffiti" shall mean any letters, numbers, word or words, writing, inscription, symbol, drawing, carving, etching or any other marking of any nature whatsoever which defaces, obliterates, covers, alters, damages or destroys the real or personal property of another.

§ 167-19. Consumption and possession of alcoholic beverages; violations and penalties.

[Added 9-1-1983 by Ord. No. 29-83]

A. Definitions. As used in this section, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

BOROUGH

All lands within the physical boundaries of the Borough of Hopatcong.

PUBLIC PLACES

Any street, road, park, building or parking lot or any land dedicated to or owned by the Borough of Hopatcong or the County of Sussex or State of New Jersey or any of their departments or agencies, including any lands or buildings owned by the Board of Education of the Borough of Hopatcong, or any parking area open to the public, playground or recreation area within the boundaries of the Borough of Hopatcong. Specifically excluded from said definition of public places are the following:

[Amended 10-6-1983 by Ord. No. 34-83; 4-5-1984 by Ord. No. 7-84]

- (1) Bodies of water.
 - (2) Firehouses.
 - (3) Public parks and recreation areas, provided that a valid permit has been issued under § **163-18** of the Code of the Borough of Hopatcong.
 - (4) Other municipal buildings, provided that written permission has been obtained from the Borough Council Buildings and Grounds Committee and the Mayor. This provision does not apply to the Hopatcong Civic Center (Block 10001, Lot 5).
- B. Consumption of alcoholic beverages of any type on or in any of the public places defined herein is prohibited.
- C. Consumption of alcoholic beverages of any type in a private motor vehicle while the same is in motion or parked in any public street, lane or parking lot or in any of the public places defined herein is prohibited.
- D. Consumption of alcoholic beverages of any type on or in any private property without the express permission of the owner or other person with authority to grant such permission is prohibited.
- E. The provisions of this section shall not apply to any places licensed by the Borough or by the State of New Jersey for the sale, possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages thereon.
- F. No person shall carry about in his hand or on his person or while in any parked or moving vehicle any glass, tumbler or open bottle or any open can containing alcoholic beverages or beverages of

which alcoholic beverages are a part, whether said glass, bottle or can is clearly exposed or contained in a bag, in any public place as defined herein.

- G. Upon investigation by any person or officer to determine whether violation of any of the above provisions has been made, any person who shall empty a glass or other container in order to prevent the inspecting or arresting officer or person from being able to make a determination as to the alcoholic content of the beverage in the container shall be presumed to have had a container having a beverage with an alcoholic content, which presumption shall be rebuttable by competent evidence.
- H. Any person who shall violate any subsection of this section shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$200 for each violation or to imprisonment for a period of not more than 90 days for each offense, or both.

§ 167-20. Removal of brush and hedges near street intersections.

[Added 4-5-1984 by Ord. No. 8-84]

- A. Findings. Pursuant to the authority of N.J.S.A. 40:48-2.26 and 48-2.27, the presence upon lands of brush, hedges and other plant life greater than 2 1/2 feet in height above the established grade of the street at the property line growing within 25 feet of the intersection of roadways is decreed to be detrimental to the safety and general welfare of the residents of the Borough of Hopatcong.
- B. Duties of owners or tenants. The owner or tenant of lands lying within the Borough shall be required to remove or cause to be removed from such lands any brush, hedges and other plant life greater than 2 1/2 feet in height above the established grade of the street at the property line growing within 25 feet of the intersection of roadways.
- C. Service of notice. Notice to the owner or tenant to cause the removal of the substances referred to in Subsection **B** may be served on him either personally or by certified mail at the address to which tax bills are sent; and if by certified mail, the ten-day period within which the removal shall be accomplished shall be deemed to have commenced from the date of the return receipt obtained by the postal authority for the delivery of the notice. Every notice, in addition to requiring removal, shall warn the owner or tenant of the lands to which the notice refers that failure to accomplish the removal within the times stated shall result in removal by or under the direction of the Construction Official, and the cost of such removal shall be charged to the owner or tenant of the lands and shall be payable to the Borough within 30 days after the date of submission of the charges. Unless the charges are paid within the thirty-day period, the costs shall become a lien upon the lands and be collected as provided by N.J.S.A. 40:48-2.27 and enforced by the same officers and in the same manner as taxes.
- D. Removal by Borough; costs established as a lien. Whenever the owner or tenant of lands within the Borough, after receiving notice as aforesaid, fails and neglects within the time prescribed to effect removal of such substances, the removal shall be accomplished by or under the direction of the Construction Official. An accurate record of the cost of removal to the Borough shall be determined by the Construction Official, who shall certify the cost to the Borough Council, which shall examine the certificate and, if found correct, shall cause the cost as shown to be charged against the lands. Such amount shall become a lien upon the lands and shall be added to and become and form part of the taxes next to be assessed and levied upon the lands, the same to bear interest at the same rate as taxes, and shall be collected and enforced by the same officers and in the same manner as taxes.

§ 167-21. Fissionable source materials; violations and penalties.

[Added 12-6-1984 by Ord. No. 37-84]

- A. Findings and purpose. The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hopatcong hereby find and declare that the exploration, mining or milling of fissionable source materials poses a significant danger to the public health, safety and welfare; that the hazards associated with these activities cannot now be prevented or satisfactorily minimized; that, therefore, unprecedented caution is needed in the exploration, mining and milling of fissionable source materials; and that the prohibition of these activities is necessary at this time to ensure the protection of the public health, safety and welfare.
- B. Definitions. As used in this section, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

FISSIONABLE SOURCE MATERIAL

- (1) Mineral ore which is extracted or processed with the intention of permitting the product to become or to be further processed into fuel for nuclear fission reactors or weapons; or
 - (2) Mineral ore which contains uranium or thorium in concentrations which might reasonably be expected to permit economically profitable conversion or processing into fuel for nuclear fission reactors or weapons.
- C. Prohibition and exception.
- (1) No person shall explore for, extract, mine, mill or process any fissionable source material within the Borough of Hopatcong.
 - (2) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or impair any authority of the Department of Environmental Protection or the Federal Environmental Protection Agency to provide for the containment, cleanup or removal of any fissionable source material which poses an immediate or imminent danger to the public health, safety and welfare.
- D. Penalties. Any person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$500 and/or imprisoned for not more than 90 days. If the violation is of a continuing nature, each day during which it continues shall constitute an additional, separate and distinct offense.

§ 167-22. Migratory waterfowl; violations and penalties.

[Added 12-19-1989 by Ord. No. 47-89]

- A. Statement of purpose. It has been determined that the presence of large numbers of migratory waterfowl on and around ponds and lakes in the Borough of Hopatcong causes a public health nuisance in and around said ponds and lakes, including the surrounding beaches and properties, which is inimical to the health and general welfare of the public. The purpose of this section is to prevent such conduct that may attract such migratory waterfowl to properties in the Borough.
- B. Definitions. As used in this section, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

MIGRATORY WATERFOWL

Includes those nondomesticated species of birds commonly known as "swans," "geese," "brant," "river and sea ducks" and any other waterfowl that generally follow a seasonal migration pattern.

- C. Feeding of migratory waterfowl prohibited. No person shall feed, cause to be fed or provide food for migratory waterfowl in the Borough of Hopatcong on lands either publicly or privately owned.
- D. Exceptions. This section shall not be construed to prohibit humane acts towards migratory waterfowl in individual cases, such as the temporary nurturing of a wounded bird on one's own premises.
- E. Other acts prohibited. No person shall create or foster any condition or allow any condition to exist or continue which results in a congregation or congestion of migratory waterfowl or in an accumulation of waterfowl feces or droppings or in damage to flora, fauna or public or private

property or in a public health nuisance or in a threat to the health, safety and welfare of the public or the waterfowl.

- F. Enforcement. The Police Department and the Department of Health of the Borough of Hopatcong are hereby authorized and directed to enforce this section.
- G. Violations and penalties. Any person convicted of a violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by imposition of a fine not to exceed \$500.

§ 167-23. Bonfires on Lake Hopatcong and Boar Pond.

[Added 3-5-1992 by Ord. No. 5-92]

- A. Purpose. The purposes of this section are to provide regulations for the control of bonfires on the frozen waters of Lake Hopatcong and Bear Pond and to provide for coordination between the various enforcement agencies having jurisdiction over the frozen waters of the lakes. These regulations shall supplement and not supersede any existing state and/or local controls over such bonfires.
- B. Definitions. As used in this section, the following words shall be defined as follows:

BONFIRE

The open burning of combustible materials, whose products of combustion are emitted directly into the open air and are not directed through a stack or chimney.

- C. Applicability. Except as hereinafter provided, no person within the municipal limits of the Borough of Hopatcong shall set, cause to be set, ignite, build, light, fuel, feed, maintain or otherwise participate in the setting, ignition, building, lighting, fueling, feeding or maintenance of any bonfire on the frozen waters of Lake Hopatcong or Bear Pond.
- D. Exclusions. The following activities are excluded from the prohibitions of this section:
 - (1) Bonfires for which a specific written permit has been issued by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy, Division of Parks and Forests. Said permit shall include a provision requiring the removal of all materials or other debris from the frozen waters within 24 hours after the fire is extinguished.
 - (2) Other open fires for which a specific permit has been issued by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:27-2 et seq., Open Burning.
 - (3) Small, contained and controlled warming fires, using a fuel source consisting only of wood, charcoal or propane and occurring only during daylight hours, and further provided that any such warming fire is located a minimum distance of at least 50 feet from the shore, as well as from any dock, home or other structure. Any person who ignites such a warming fire shall remove any and all materials and debris from the frozen ice within 24 hours of the conclusion of the fire.
- E. Enforcement. This section shall be enforced by the Municipal Police Department of the Borough of Hopatcong. Said Police Department is hereby directed to cooperate in the enforcement of this section with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy (NJDEPE), Division of Parks and Forests, and the New Jersey Bureau of Marine Law Enforcement (Marine Police) or their duly delegated successors.

§ 167-24. Removal of ice and snow from sidewalks.

[Added 12-17-1992 by Ord. No. 38-92]

The owner and/or occupant of any property located upon any public street or right-of-way which features a sidewalk or other public walkway shall arrange for the removal of ice and snow from said

sidewalk or walkway so as to permit public passage by no later than 12:00 noon on the next day following the termination of the snowfall or precipitation event which caused the accumulation of said ice and/or snow.

§ 167-25. Bonfires/open burning and outdoor fires.

[Added 12-16-1998 by Ord. No. 37-98]

- A. Burning of rubbish shall be prohibited except in approved incinerators.
- B. The burning of herbaceous or infested plant life, the burning of orchard prunings and cuttings, prescribed burnings and the clearing of agricultural land by burning are prohibited, unless in accordance with a permit issued under the provision of N.J.A.C. 7:27-2, administered by the State Forest Fire Service in the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP).
- C. A person shall not kindle or maintain any bonfire, or other outdoor fire, or authorize any such fire to be kindled or maintained unless:
 - (1) The location is approved by the Borough Fire Official and is not less than 50 feet from any structure, and adequate provision is made to prevent fire from spreading to within 50 feet of any structure; or
 - (2) The fire is contained in an approved burner located safely not less than 15 feet from any structure.
- D. Fuel for bonfires or other outdoor fires shall consist of seasoned dry wood only and shall be ignited with a small quantity of paper only. Bonfires shall not contain rubbish, garbage, trash, any material made of or coated with rubber, plastic, leather or petroleum-based materials and shall not contain any flammable or combustible liquids. The allowable quantity of wood to be burned shall be determined by the Borough Fire Official and shall be based upon the fire-safety requirements of the situation and the desirable duration of burn.
- E. Bonfires shall be constantly attended by a competent person until such fire is extinguished. This person shall have fire-extinguishing equipment readily available for use as deemed necessary by the Borough Fire Official.
- F. The Borough Fire Official may prohibit any or all bonfires that are or could be offensive or objectionable due to smoke or odor emissions when atmospheric conditions or local circumstances make such fires hazardous. The Fire Official shall order the extinguishment, by the permit holder or the Fire Department, of any bonfire that creates or adds to a hazardous or objectionable situation.
- G. Open burning shall be allowed without prior notice to the Fire Official for cooking fires, highway safety flares, smudge pots and similar occupational needs.

§ 167-26. Bicycles, skateboards and roller skates.

[Added 10-2-2002 by Ord. No. 30-2002]

- A. Definitions. For purposes of this section, the following terms shall have the definitions provided for herein:

A PLACE TO WHICH THE PUBLIC IS INVITED

All sidewalks and parking lots for any private business establishment, including but not limited to, shopping centers, stores, offices or any other places of business.

BICYCLE

A vehicle with two wheels propelled solely by human power and having pedals, handlebars and a saddle-like seat. The term shall include a bicycle for two or more persons having seats and

corresponding sets of pedals arranged in tandem.

MUNICIPAL PARKING LOT

Any and all parking lots owned or controlled by the Borough of Hopatcong or any agency thereof.

ROLLER SKATES

A device or devices worn on the feet with a set of wheels attached, regardless of the number or placement of those wheels and used to glide or propel the user over the ground.

SKATEBOARD

A platform or board with roller-skate wheels or other similar wheels affixed to the underside, designed to be ridden by a person or persons, which has no steering device or mechanism to steer or control the direction thereof while being used or ridden, even though the direction may be controlled to some degree by shifting the feet or weight of the rider during such use.

- B. Operation prohibited. No person shall use, operate or ride any skateboard, roller skate or bicycle in any municipal parking lot or in any place to which the public is invited as defined herein. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to prohibit the use of bicycles as a means of transportation to or from any municipal parking lot or any place to which the public is invited, as defined herein, nor shall this chapter be construed to prohibit the walking or parking of bicycles by the operator thereof within any municipal parking lot or in any place to which the public is invited, as defined herein.
- C. Enforcement. The provisions of this chapter may be enforced by any Borough Police Officer and by any owner or tenant of any business establishment with a parking lot or sidewalk or municipal parking lot to which the public is invited; provided, however, that the provisions of this chapter shall not be enforceable on any private or municipal property until such time as the owner or tenant thereof conspicuously posts a sign stating that the use of skateboards, roller skates or bicycles on this property is prohibited by Ordinance No. 30-2002.

Article II. Animal and Yard Waste, Litter Control and Feeding of Wildlife

[Adopted 4-20-2005 by Ord. No. 13-2005]

§ 167-27. Pet waste.

The purpose of this section is to establish requirements for the proper disposal of pet solid waste in the Borough of Hopatcong, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for failure to comply.

- A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated unless their use in the text of this section clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

IMMEDIATE

The pet solid waste is removed at once, without delay.

OWNER/KEEPER

Any person who shall possess, maintain, house or harbor any pet or otherwise have custody of any pet, whether or not the owner of such pet.

PERSON

Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

PET

A domesticated animal (other than a disability assistance animal) kept for amusement or companionship.

PET SOLID WASTE

Waste matter expelled from the bowels of the pet; excrement.

PROPER DISPOSAL

Placement in a designated waste receptacle, or other suitable container, and discarding in a refuse container which is regularly emptied by the municipality or some other refuse collector; or disposal into a system designated to convey domestic sewage for proper treatment and disposal.

- B. Requirement for disposal. All pet owners and keepers are required to immediately and properly dispose of their pets' solid waste deposited on any property, public or private, not owned or possessed by that person.
- C. Exemptions. Any owner or keeper who requires the use of a disability assistance animal shall be exempt from the provisions of this section while such animal is being used for that purpose.

§ 167-28. Litter control.

The purpose of this section is to establish requirements to control littering in the Borough of Hopatcong, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for the failure to comply.

- A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

LITTER

Any used or unconsumed substance or waste material which has been discarded, whether made of aluminum, glass, plastic, rubber, paper, or other natural or synthetic material, or any combination thereof, including, but not limited to, any bottle, jar or can, or any top, cap or detachable tab of any bottle, jar or can, any unlighted cigarette, cigar, match or any flaming or glowing material or any garbage, trash, refuse, debris, rubbish, grass clippings or other lawn or garden waste, newspaper, magazines, glass, metal, plastic or paper containers or other packaging or construction material, but does not include the waste of the primary processes of mining or other extraction processes, logging, sawmilling, farming or manufacturing.

LITTER RECEPTACLE

A container suitable for the depositing of litter.

PERSON

Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

- B. Prohibited acts and regulated activities.
 - (1) It shall be unlawful for any person to throw, drop, discard or otherwise place any litter of any nature upon public or private property other than in a litter receptacle, or having done so, to allow such litter to remain.

- (2) Whenever any litter is thrown or discarded or allowed to fall from a vehicle or boat in violation of this section, the operator or owner, or both, of the motor vehicle or boat shall also be deemed to have violated this section.

§ 167-29. (Reserved)

[1] *Editor's Note: Former § 167-29, Improper disposal of waste, was repealed 7-6-2011 by Ord. No. 17-2011.*

§ 167-30. Wildlife feeding.

The purpose of this section is to prohibit the feeding of unconfined wildlife in any public park or on any other property owned or operated by the Borough of Hopatcong, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for failure to comply.

- A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this Chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

FEED

To give, place, expose, deposit, distribute or scatter any edible material with the intention of feeding, attracting or enticing wildlife. Feeding does not include baiting in the legal taking of fish and/or game.

PERSON

Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

WILDLIFE

All animals that are neither human nor domesticated.

- B. Prohibited conduct. No person shall feed, in any public park or on any other property owned or operated by the Borough of Hopatcong, any wildlife, excluding confined wildlife (for example, wildlife confined in zoos, parks or rehabilitation centers, or unconfined wildlife at environmental education centers).

§ 167-31. Containerized yard waste.

The purpose of this section is to establish requirements for the proper handling of yard waste in the Borough of Hopatcong, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for the failure to comply.

- A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

CONTAINERIZED

The placement of yard waste in a trash can, bucket, bag or other vessel, such as to prevent the yard waste from spilling or blowing out into the street and coming into contact with stormwater.

PERSON

Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

STREET

Any street, avenue, boulevard, road, parkway, viaduct, drive, or other way, which is an existing state, county, or municipal roadway, and includes the land between the street lines, whether improved or unimproved, and may comprise pavement, shoulders, gutters, curbs, sidewalks, parking areas, and other areas within the street lines.

YARD WASTE

Leaves and grass clippings.

- B. Prohibited conduct. The owner or occupant of any property, or any employee or contractor of such owner or occupant engaged to provide lawn care or landscaping services, shall not sweep, rake, blow or otherwise place yard waste, unless the yard waste is containerized, in the street. If yard waste that is not containerized is placed in the street, the party responsible for placement of yard waste must remove the yard waste from the street or said party shall be deemed in violation of this section.

§ 167-32. Yard waste collection program.

The purpose of this section is to establish a yard waste collection and disposal program in the Borough of Hopatcong, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for the failure to comply.

- A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

CONTAINERIZED

The placement of yard waste in a trash can, bucket, bag or other vessel, such as to prevent the yard waste from spilling or blowing out into the street and coming into contact with stormwater.

PERSON

Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

STREET

Any street, avenue, boulevard, road, parkway, viaduct, drive, or other way, which is an existing state, county, or municipal roadway, and includes the land between the street lines, whether improved or unimproved, and may comprise pavement, shoulders, gutters, curbs, sidewalks, parking areas, and other areas within the street lines.

YARD WASTE

Leaves and grass clippings.

- B. Yard waste collection. Sweeping, raking, blowing or otherwise placing yard waste that is not containerized at the curb or along the street is only allowed during seven days prior to a scheduled and announced collection, and shall not be placed closer than 10 feet to any storm drain inlet. Placement of such yard waste at the curb or along the street at any other time or in any other manner is a violation of this section. If such placement of yard waste occurs, the party responsible

for placement of the yard waste must remove the yard waste from the street or said party shall be deemed in violation of this section.

§ 167-33. (Reserved)

[1] *Editor's Note: Former § 167-33, Illicit connection, was repealed 7-6-2011 by Ord. No. 17-2011.*

§ 167-34. Enforcement.

The provisions of this article shall be enforced by the Zoning Officer, Animal Control Officer, Police Department and Health Department of the Borough of Hopatcong.

§ 167-35. Violations and penalties.

Any person violating any provision of this article shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$1,250 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 90 days or a period of community service not exceeding 90 days, or any combination thereof. Each violation of any of the provisions of this article and each day that such offense shall continue shall be deemed to be a separate and distinct offense.

§ 167-36. Severability.

Each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase of this article is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase, and the finding or holding of any such portion of this article to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause, or reason, shall not affect any other portion of this article.

Noise Ordinance versus Nuisance Code

Introduction

This is an overview of the New Jersey laws governing noise control, with an emphasis on which laws may be enforced by county and municipal agencies. This summary should not be construed as legal advice, but rather serve as guidance to understand the extent of authority provided to local governments.

Noise Ordinance

The Noise Control Act of 1971, N.J.S.A. 13:1G-1 et seq. authorizes the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) to establish sound level standards, which are codified in the Noise Regulations at N.J.A.C. 7:29. These regulations apply to stationary commercial and industrial properties. The statewide sound level standards are 50 decibels during nighttime (10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.) and 65 decibels during daytime, which applies to sources of noise specified in N.J.A.C. 7:29-1.2. A noise ordinance adopted by a county or municipality must be approved by NJDEP to verify that the ordinance is consistent with the statewide strategy for noise control and that the ordinance is more stringent than the State's noise regulations. A noise ordinance establishes standards that are measurable by a certified noise investigator using a calibrated sound meter.

NJDEP has developed a model noise ordinance for use by municipalities to address nonresidential and residential sources of noise; however, there is no requirement that a municipality uses the model. A municipality must submit the adopted noise ordinance to NJDEP for approval prior to its use.

Nuisance Code

Nuisances may be addressed as a public health nuisance under authority provides by the statute known as Health and Vital Statistics (N.J.S.A. 26:3-45 et seq.), which is enforced by the local health agency, or under the Code of Criminal Justice as a disorderly persons offense (N.J.S.A. 2C: 33-12), which is enforced by the local police. Anything injurious to public health may be considered a nuisance, and in the case of noise, this means sounds that are "unreasonably or unnecessarily loud." A nuisance code cannot establish measurable noise standards, since such standards are governed by the Noise Control Act and thus, trigger a review by NJDEP.

If there are any questions about whether a municipality should adopt a noise ordinance or nuisance code, please contact NJDEP's Office of Local Environmental Management at (609) 292-1305.

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**MODEL HEALTH CODES
APPROVED FOR ADOPTION
BY REFERENCE**

New Jersey State
Department of Health
John Fitch Plaza, P. O. Box 1540
Trenton, New Jersey 08625

**PUBLIC HEALTH NUISANCE CODE (1953)
RELATED LAW AND SUGGESTED ORDINANCE**

Codes for adoption by the municipal governing body:

- Housing Code (1962) • Private Campgrounds Code (1964)

Codes available for adoption by the municipal Board of Health:

- Coin-Operated Dry Cleaning Establishment Code (1962)
- Food and Beverage Vending Machine Code (1961)
- Individual Sewage Disposal System Code (1963)
- Maintenance of Swine Code (1957)
- Retail Food Establishment Code (1965)
- Public Health Nuisance Code (1953)
- Plumbing Code - Revised 1964
- Smoke Control Code (1953)
- Solid Waste Code (1955)
- Swimming Pool Code (1955)
- Water Supply Code (1959)
- Weed Control Code (1953)

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND SANITATION CODES
ADOPTION BY REFERENCE ACT**

Chapter 188 P.L. 1950 (R.S. 26:3-69.1 to 69.6)

26:3-69.1 Definitions

As used in this act, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Local board of health" shall mean a county or municipal board of health, or the board of health of any regional local or special health district, having power to regulate, by ordinance, public health or sanitation.

(2) "Code" means printed code regulations or set of regulations, standards or set of standards concerning, affecting or relating to the subject matter of any such ordinance of substantially uniform character, approved by the State Department of Health.

(3) "Related document" means any printed document or part thereof adopted by reference in a code directly, or by successive adoptions by reference through other printed documents.

(4) "Printed" includes lithographing and any other method of duplicating.

26:3-69.2 Adopting certain codes and related documents by reference

Any local board of health may enact, amend, supplement ordinances establishing, amending or supplementing a code or any parts thereof by reference to such code in any such ordinance and without inclusion of the text thereof in such ordinance if the code to be adopted and any related documents are printed in book form and a copy of such printed code and related documents so marked as to indicate plainly what portion thereof, if less than the whole, is intended to be adopted, is annexed to such ordinance and if such code and related documents or such portion thereof as is intended to be adopted is so described in said ordinance as to identify them and there is indicated in said description the common or trade name, if any, of such code and related documents and it is stated in the ordinance that three copies of said code and said related documents, similarly marked, have been placed on file in the office of the secretary, clerk or other similar officer of said local board of health, upon the introduction of said ordinance and will remain on file there until final action is taken on said ordinance, for the use and examination of the public.

26:3-69.3 Publication of adopted codes or related documents unnecessary

It shall not be necessary to publish any such code or

related documents, so to be adopted, as part of any such ordinance notwithstanding that printed copies thereof are annexed thereto, either before or after the final passage of such ordinance, if said printed copies are filed as aforesaid.

26:3-69.4 Copies of adopted code and related ordinances to remain on file

In event that any such ordinance is adopted, the said copies of said code and related documents shall remain on file in said office, so long as said ordinance is in effect, and three copies shall be placed on file and shall remain on file in the office of any board, body or officer having in charge the enforcement of said ordinance, for the use and examination of the public so long as said ordinance is in effect and printed copies of said ordinance and said code and related documents shall be made available to citizens on request and for which a nominal fee may be charged.

26:3-69.5 Copy of adopted code and related documents construed as part of ordinance

For the purpose of proof of any such ordinance or receipt thereof in evidence in all courts and places, such copy of such code and related documents, so marked and annexed to such ordinance, shall be construed to be part of said ordinance, as fully as though it had been set forth at length therein.

26:3-69.6 Short title

This act may be cited as the Public Health and Sanitation Codes Adoption by Reference Act.

**SUGGESTED ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE
ADOPTION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NUISANCE
CODE OF NEW JERSEY (1953)**

This suggested ordinance indicating the manner in which the "Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953)" may be adopted should be reviewed by counsel for the local board of health for possible changes that he or the board may desire to make.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a code defining and prohibiting certain matters, things, conditions or acts and each of them as a nuisance, prohibiting certain noises or sounds, requiring the proper heating of apartments, prohibiting lease or rental of certain buildings, prohibiting spitting in or upon public buildings, conveyances or sidewalks, authorizing the inspection of premises by an Enforcing Official, providing for removal or abatement of certain nuisances and recovery of expenses incurred by the Board of Health in removing or abating such nuisances and prescribing penalties for violations.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF
IN THE COUNTY OF
AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY:

**PUBLIC HEALTH NUISANCE CODE OF
NEW JERSEY (1953)
APPROVED BY THE NEW JERSEY STATE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, SEPTEMBER 16, 1953**

Section 1. A code defining and prohibiting certain matters, things, conditions or acts and each of them as a nuisance, prohibiting certain noises or sounds, requiring the proper heating of apartments, prohibiting lease or rental of certain buildings, prohibiting spitting in or upon public buildings, conveyances or sidewalks, authorizing the inspection of premises by an Enforcing Official, providing for the removal or abatement of certain nuisances and recovery of expenses incurred by the Board of Health in removing or abating such nuisances and prescribing penalties for violations is hereby established pursuant to Chapter 188, Laws of 1950. A copy of said code is annexed hereto and made a part hereof without the inclusion of the text thereof herein.

Section 2. The said code established and adopted by this ordinance is described and commonly known as the "Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953)."

Section 3. Three copies of the said "Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953)" have been placed on file in the office of the (Health Officer) (secretary) (clerk) (or other similar officer) of this local Board of Health upon the introduction of this ordinance and will remain on file there for the use and examination of the public.

Section 4. Any person who violates, or neglects to comply with any provision of this ordinance or code established herein or notice issued pursuant thereto, shall upon conviction thereof, be liable to a penalty of not less than two dollars (\$2.00) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each violation.

Section 5. All ordinances, codes or parts of same inconsistent with any of the provisions of this ordinance and the code established hereunder are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 6. In the event that any section, sentence or clause of this ordinance or code shall be declared unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction such declaration shall not in any manner prejudice the enforcement of the remaining provisions.

Section 7. This ordinance and the code herein established shall take effect 30 days after first publication.

**PUBLIC HEALTH NUISANCE CODE OF
NEW JERSEY (1953)**

The Code entitled "Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953)" set forth below, was approved September 16, 1953 by the State Department of Health for adoption by reference by local boards of health. It may be adopted without alteration, or if so desired, any numbered section or paragraph may be deleted therefrom, but no substitute section or paragraph may be added as part of the Code being adopted by reference under Chapter 188, P.L. 1950 (R.S. 26:69.1 to 69.6)

It is recommended that this Code be adopted in full.

This Public Health Nuisance Code is a general code. More detailed and specific codes in special sanitation fields have been approved for adoption by reference by local boards of health. Specific codes may prove more suitable for local adoption in municipalities having the necessary enforcement facilities. These factors should be considered in adopting the Public Health Nuisance Code of New Jersey (1953).

SECTION I

Definitions as Used in This Code and Ordinance

- 1.1 Enforcing Officials shall mean and include the Health Officer or other official authorized by the Board of Health to enforce this Code and Ordinance.
- 1.2 Person shall mean and include an individual, firm, corporation, association, society, partnership, and their agents or employees.

SECTION II

Nuisances Defined and Prohibited

- 2.1 The following matters, things, conditions or acts and each of them are hereby declared to be a nuisance and injurious to the health of the inhabitants of this municipality:
 - (a) Any matter, thing, condition or act which is or may become detrimental or a menace to the health of the inhabitants of this municipality.
 - (b) Any matter, thing, condition or act which is or may become an annoyance, or interfere with the comfort or general well-being of the inhabitants of this municipality.
 - (c) Pollution, or existence of a condition or conditions which cause or threaten pollution, of any waters in this municipality in such manner as to cause or threaten injury to any of the inhabitants of this municipality either in their health, comfort or property.
 - (d) The escape into the open air from any stack, vent, chimney or any entrance to the open air, or from any fire into the open air of such quantities of smoke, flyash, dust, fumes, vapors, mists, or gases as to cause injury, detriment, or annoyance to the inhabitants of this municipality or endanger their comfort, repose, health or safety.
 - (e) The growth, existence or presence of ragweed on any plot of land, lot, highway, right-of-way or any other public or private place.
 - (f) The growth, existence or presence of poison ivy within twenty feet of any property line.
 - (g) The existence or presence of any water or other liquid in which mosquito larvae breed or exist.
 - (h) The existence or presence of any accumulation of garbage, refuse, manure, or animal or vegetable matter which may attract flies and to which flies may have access, or in which fly larvae or pupae breed or exist.
 - (i) Depositing, accumulating, or maintaining any matter or thing which serves as food for insects or rodents and to which they may have access or which serves or constitutes a breeding place or harborage for insects or rodents in or on any land, premises, building or other place.
- 2.2 It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to commit, maintain or allow any nuisance, as declared and described in this section.

SECTION III

Proper Heating of Apartments

- 3.1 It shall be unlawful for the owner or owners who have agreed to supply heat to any building designed to be occupied or occupied as a residence by more than two families to fail to supply heat from the first day of October in each year to the first day of May of the succeeding year in such manner that the temperature of said building where one or more persons reside shall always be kept at sixty-eight degrees Fahrenheit or above between the hours of six ante meridian and ten post meridian.

SECTION IV

Prohibition of Certain Noises or Sounds

- 4.1 It shall be unlawful for any person to make, cause or suffer or permit to be made or caused upon any premises owned, occupied or controlled by him or it, or upon any public street, alley or thoroughfare in this municipality, any unnecessary noises or sounds by means of the human voice, or by any other means or methods which are physically annoying to persons, or which are so harsh, or so prolonged or unnatural, or unusual in their use, time and place as to occasion physical discomfort, or which are injurious to the lives, health, peace and comfort of the inhabitants of this municipality or any number thereof.

SECTION V

Prohibited Lease or Rental of Certain Buildings

- 5.1 It shall be unlawful for any person to rent, lease or otherwise permit the occupancy of any building as a residence, or for any person to reside in any building as its owner which:
- (a) is not adequately and properly ventilated, or
 - (b) fails to provide potable water at sufficient pressure and quantity for each family unit from a public supply approved by the State Department of Health or a private supply approved by the Enforcing Official, or
 - (c) does not have plumbing fixtures consisting of a kitchen sink, bathtub or shower, lavatory and flush toilet, connected to the potable water supply, or
 - (d) does not have facilities for the discharge of all household liquid wastes into a public sewerage system approved by the State Department of Health, or into a private sewerage system approved by the Enforcing Official.

SECTION VI

Spitting Prohibited

- 6.1 It shall be unlawful for any person to spit upon any public sidewalk or upon any part of the interior or exterior of any public building or public conveyance.

SECTION VII

Inspection of Premises

- 7.1 All places and premises in this municipality shall be subject to inspection by the Board of Health or the Enforcing Official if the Board or that Official has reason to believe that any Section of this Code is being violated.

- 7.2 It shall be unlawful for any person to hinder, obstruct, delay, resist or prevent the Board of Health or the Enforcing Official from having full access to any place or premises upon which a violation of this code is believed to exist.

SECTION VIII

Abatement of Nuisances

- 8.1 Whenever a nuisance as declared by Section II of this Code is found on any plot of land, lot, right-of-way or any other private premises or place, notice in writing shall be given to the owner thereof to remove or abate the same within such time as shall be specified therein but not less than five days from the date of service thereof. A duplicate of the notice shall be left with one or more of the tenants or occupants of the premises or place.
If the owner resides out of the state or cannot be so notified speedily, such notice shall be left at that place or premises with the tenant or occupant thereof, or posted on the premises and such action shall be considered proper notification to the owner, tenant or occupant thereof.
- 8.2 Whenever a nuisance as declared by Section II of this Code is found on any public property or on any highway or any other public premises or place, notice in writing shall be given to the person in charge thereof to remove or abate the same within such time as shall be specified therein. If such person fails to comply with such notice within the time specified therein, the Board of Health may remove or abate such nuisance in the manner as hereinafter provided in the case of a like condition existing on a private premises or place.
- 8.3 If the owner, tenant or occupant upon being notified as provided by this Section shall not comply with such notice within the time specified therein and fails to remove or abate such nuisance, the Board of Health shall proceed to abate the nuisance or may cause it to be removed or abated in a summary manner by such means as said Board shall deem proper.

SECTION IX

Recovery of Costs by Board of Health

- 9.1 The Board of Health may institute an action at law to recover costs incurred by it in the removal or abatement of any nuisance as declared by Section II of this Code from any person who shall have caused or allowed such nuisance to exist, or from any owner, tenant, or occupant of premises who, after notice and notification as herein provided, shall fail to remove and abate the same within the time specified in such notice.

SECTION X

- 10.1 The provisions of this Code shall be enforced by the Board of Health or its Enforcing Official.



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