

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-10-OA^B

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BERKELEY, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BERKELEY, SO AS TO CREATE SECTION 14-42.5A, "ROADWORK AND TRAFFIC SAFETY EXTRA-DUTY ASSIGNMENTS"

February 28, 2022

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

SECTION 1. Chapter XIV of the Township Code of the Township of Berkeley, entitled "Establishment of the Police Department and the Volunteer Fire Department" is hereby amended so as to create Section 14-42.5A, entitled "Roadwork and Traffic Safety Extra-Duty Assignments" which shall read as follows:

§14-42.5A Roadwork and Traffic Safety Extra-Duty Assignments.

1. Contractors performing work involving the construction, repair, maintenance, closing or opening of roads and streets, or any infrastructure located within, under, or along any roads and streets, which, as determined by the Chief of Police, or his designee, will affect or disrupt the normal flow of traffic thereon, must enlist at least one extra-duty assigned police officer to secure the work zone.
2. To prevent or abate any public safety hazard, the officers assigned to roadwork extra-duty assignments are authorized, with the approval of the Chief of Police or his designee, to stop work in any construction zone and to order the removal of any equipment and material.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent

jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect after second reading and

publication as required by law.

CARMEN F. AMATO, JR., Mayor

Sophia Gingrich
SOPHIA GINGRICH, Council President
JOHN BACCHIONE, Council Vice President

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Berkeley, in the County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, held on February 28, 2022, and will be considered for second reading and final passage at the regular meeting of said Governing Body to be held on the 28th day of March 2022, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as this matter can be reached, at the meeting room of the Municipal Building located at 627 Pinewald-Keswick Road, Bayville, New Jersey, at which time all persons interested shall be given an opportunity to be heard concerning this ordinance.

Beverly M. Carle
BEVERLY M. CARLE, RMC
Township Clerk, Township of Berkeley