

ORDINANCE 15-2022

BOROUGH OF EATONTOWN
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 158 OF THE BOROUGH CODE ENTITLED "FIRE HYDRANTS" CREATING A NEW SECTION 158-4 ENTITLED "OBSTRUCTION OF FIRE HYDRANTS"

WHEREAS, the Borough's Code Enforcement Division is recommending that the Borough Council amend the Borough Code to prevent the obstruction of fire hydrants and Fire Department connections; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council believes it is in the best interest of its residents and taxpayers to adopt the recommendation of Code Enforcement for public health, safety and welfare reasons.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Eatontown, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that Chapter 158 of the Borough Code is hereby amended to create a new Section 158-4 entitled "Obstruction of Fire Hydrants:" as follows:

Section 158-4 of the Borough Code is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

Obstruction of Fire Hydrants. No one shall obstruct or block the Fire Department's connections as defined by the National Fire Protection Association standards #s 1, 13 and 25 and/or fire hydrants at any time.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the existing Section 158-4 of the Code entitled "Violations and penalties" shall now set forth in and codified as Section 158-5 of the Borough Code.


BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that

- A. All other Ordinances or provisions of the Code of the Borough of Eatontown or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with any provisions in this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.
- B. If any provision or portion of this Chapter is held to be unconstitutional, preempted by Federal or State Law or otherwise invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this chapter shall not be invalidated.
- C. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication as required by law.

DATE INTRODUCED: AUGUST 10, 2022

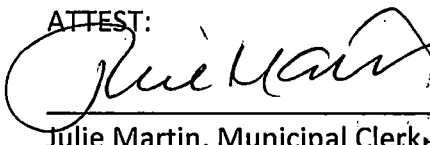
PUBLIC HEARING: AUGUST 24, 2022

APPROVED:



Anthony Talerico, Jr. Mayor
Date: 8/25/2022

ATTEST:



Julie Martin, Municipal Clerk
Date: 8/25/2022

