

ORDINANCE NO. 2143-15

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT CHAPTER 25 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, ARTICLE II, POLICE DEPARTMENT, SECTION 25-12.1, AUXILIARY POLICE, REPEALING THE SAME AND ENACTING ARTICLE II (A), OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, PROVIDING THEREIN FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A DIRECTOR AND APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL OFFICERS TO THE COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM OF THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE, PASSAIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Hawthorne, in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 25, Police Department, of the Code of the Borough of Hawthorne is hereby amended and revised by the repeal of Section 25-12.1, Auxiliary Police, in its entirety.

Section 2. Chapter 25, Department of Public Safety, of the Code of the Borough of Hawthorne, is further amended and supplemented by the creation of Article II A, Office of Emergency Management, the same to read as follows:

Chapter 25
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

ARTICLE II A
Office of Emergency Management

Section 25-12.1 Establishment and Authority

- A. There is hereby established within the Department of Public Safety an Office of Emergency Management. The Mayor, as appropriate authority, shall have the authority to appoint a Director of the Office of Emergency Management. The Director shall have all authority provided for at law.
- B. The appropriate authority shall also have the authority to appoint such persons as may be deemed necessary or appropriate to serve as Special Officers within the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), under the supervision of the Director of the Office of Emergency Management. The duties and authority of such Special Officers shall be as provided for at law and as assigned and designated by the Director.

Section 3. If any part or parts of this Ordinance are for any reason held to be invalid, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances which are inconsistent herewith are repealed, but only to the extent of such inconsistency. All other parts of Chapter 25, Department of Public Safety, not inconsistent herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect after final adoption and publication as provided by law.

John Bertollo
Council President

ATTEST:
Lori DiBella, R.M.C.
Borough Clerk

NOTICE OF PENDING ORDINANCE

The Ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Borough of Hawthorne, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey, held on July 8, 2015. It will be further considered for final passage after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of said Municipal Council to be held in the Municipal Building, 445 Lafayette Avenue, in said Borough on August 12, 2015, at 7:00 p.m., at which time and place all interested members of the public who desire will be given an opportunity to be heard in connection with said Ordinance, and during the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of said Ordinance will be made available on the Borough of Hawthorne website, www.hawthornenj.org and at no cost at the Clerk's Office in said Municipal Building to the members of the general public who shall request the same.

Lori DiBella, R.M.C.
Borough Clerk

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF ORDINANCE NO. 2143-15 ADOPTED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE AT A REGULAR MEETING ON AUGUST 12, 2015.

ATTEST:

Lori DiBella, RMC
Borough Clerk

John N. Bertollo
Council President

APPROVED:

Richard S. Goldberg
Mayor