

TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE  
NOTICE OF FINAL ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE  
ORDINANCE NO. 19-15

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND VOLUME I, CHAPTER VII OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE BY ADDING A RESIDENT ONLY HANDICAPPED PARKING ZONE ON LAWRENCE AVENUE, CONVERTING AN EXISTING HANDICAPPED ZONE TO A RESIDENT ONLY HANDICAPPED ZONE ON EMBURY AVENUE AND REMOVING A RESIDENT ONLY HANDICAPPED PARKING ZONE ON PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE

Approved on First Reading: May 23, 2019

Approved, passed and adopted on final reading: June 10, 2019

NOTICE  
ORDINANCE NO. 19-16  
Township of Neptune  
County of Monmouth

NOTICE is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Neptune on the 10th day of June, 2019, the following Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading.

Said Township Committee will meet on Monday, the 24th day of June, 2019, at the Neptune Municipal Complex, Township Committee Meeting Room – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 25 Neptune Blvd. Neptune, New Jersey at 7:00 p.m. to further consider this ordinance for final passage and to give all interested persons an opportunity to be heard concerning this ordinance. Copies of the full text of the ordinance published herewith are available for inspection by the members of the general public who shall request same at the office of the Township Clerk located at the above address. The ordinance is also posted on the Township web site at [www.neptunetownship.org](http://www.neptunetownship.org).

ORDINANCE NO. 19-16

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND VOLUME I, CHAPTER VII OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE BY ADDING A RESIDENT ONLY HANDICAPPED PARKING ZONE ON ASBURY AVENUE

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Neptune that the Code of the Township of Neptune is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 1

Volume I, Chapter VII, Section 7-21.7 – Resident Handicapped On-Street Parking, is hereby amended by adding the following:

<u>Name of Street</u>	<u>No. of Spaces</u>	<u>Location</u>
Asbury Avenue	1	North side of Asbury Avenue beginning 150 feet west of the northwest intersection of Asbury Avenue and Pilgrim Pathway (valid through November 30, 2019)

## SECTION 2

This ordinance shall take effect upon publication in accordance with law.

Richard J. Cuttrell,  
Municipal Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO. 19-17

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND VOLUME I, CHAPTER V, SECTION 5-2 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE, ENTITLED “APPOINTMENT OF POUND MASTER OR ANIMAL CONTROL CONTRACTOR; IMPOUNDING DOGS”

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Neptune of the County of Monmouth in the State of New Jersey that the general ordinances of the Neptune Township, and in particular, Chapter V, entitled, “Animal Control” Section 5-2, entitled, “Appointment of Pound Master or Animal Control Contractor; Impounding Dogs” shall be amended as follows:

§5-2 Title change. Designation of Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer and

## Enforcement of all Animal Welfare and Cruelty Laws.

### §5-2.1 Designation of Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer.

The Township Committee shall submit a least one application for designation as the Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer pursuant to N.J.S.A. 4:22-14.2, who shall be responsible for animal welfare within the jurisdiction of the Township of Neptune and who shall enforce and abide by the provisions of Chapter 22 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes, and shall be authorized to investigate and sign complaints, arrest violators and otherwise act as an officer for detection, apprehension and arrest of offenders against the animal welfare and animal cruelty laws of the State and Ordinances of Neptune Township.

- a. The Township Committee may designate a Police Officer who may serve concurrently as the Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer, as long as the Police Officer is able to effectively carry out the duties and responsibilities required for each position held, and is qualified as the Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer as set for the by State Statute. The Township Committee in using a full-time Municipal Police Officer as a Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer may authorize the Police Officer to possess, carry and use a firearm while enforcing the laws and Ordinances enacted for the protection of animals, if the Police Officer satisfies all of the conditions of N.J.S.A. 4:22-14.1 and 4:22-14.2.

### §5-2.2 Impoundment of Dogs.

- a. The Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer or Animal Control Officer or contractor may take into custody and impound or cause to be taken into custody and impounded and thereafter destroyed or disposed of as provided in this subsection:
  1. Any dog for which the officer has reasonable cause to believe has attacked a person and caused death or serious bodily injury as defined by N.J.S.A 2C:11-1(b);
  2. Any dog causing bodily injury as defined by N.J.S.A. 2C:11-1(a) to a person enduring an unprovoked attack and possesses a serious threat of harm to persons or domestic animals;
  3. Any dog engaged in dog fighting activities as described in N.J.S.A. 4:22-24 and N.J.S.A. 4:22-26;
  4. Any dog that has been trained, tormented, badgered, abated or encouraged to engage in unprovoked attacks upon persons or domestic animals;
  5. Any dog off the premises of the owner or the person keeping or harboring the dog which the official or his or her agents have reason to believe is a stray dog;
  6. Any dog off the premises of the owner or the person keeping or harboring the dog without a current registration on his or her collar; and
  7. Any female dog in season off the premises of the owner or the person keeping or harboring the dog.

- b. If any dog so seized wears a collar or harness having inscribed therein or attached thereto the name and address of any person or registration tag or the owner or the person keeping or harboring the dog is known whose address is given on the collar or of the owner or the person or is keeping or harboring the dog, if known, a notice in writing stating that the dog has been seized and will be liable to be disposed of or destroyed if not claimed within seven days after the service of notice.
- c. A notice under this subsection may be served either by delivering it to the person to whom it is to be served or by leaving it at the person's usual or last know place of abode, or at the address given on the collar or by forwarding it by mail addressed to that person at his or her usual or last known place of abode, or to the address given on the collar.

#### §5-2.3 Authority to Seize for Impounding.

Any officer or agent authorized or empowered to perform any duty under the chapters hereby authorized to go upon any premises to seize for impounding any dog or dogs which he or she may lawfully seize and impound when the officer is in immediate pursuit of the dog or dogs, except upon the premises of the owner of the dog if the owner is present and forbids the same.

#### §5-2.4 Interference with Authorized Personnel.

No person shall hinder, molest or interfere with anyone authorized with the power to perform any duty under this Chapter.

#### §5-2.5 Enforcement and Penalties.

All enforcement action with regard to this Section 5-2 for violations of said Section brought by the Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer shall be in the Municipal Court of Neptune Township and all fines, penalties and monies collected shall be paid to the municipality in which the violation occurred pursuant to N.J.S.A. 4:22-55. Fines and penalties shall be in the amount to the extent allowed by Statute.

BE IT FUTHER ORDAINED, that all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances which are inconsistent herewith are repealed, but only to the extent of such inconsistency.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the amended Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its final passage and publication as required by law.

Richard J. Cuttrell,  
Municipal Clerk