

**TOWNSHIP OF BURLINGTON**

**ORDINANCE**

**2023-OR-031**

**ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BURLINGTON  
AMENDING CODE CHAPTER "FIRE PREVENTION"  
SPECIFICALLY § 275-23 "PURPOSE OF  
PENALTIES;" § 275-24B(2) FIRE SAFETY PERMIT  
FEES; AND § 275-25 FEES FOR "REQUIRED  
INSPECTIONS"**

**WHEREAS**, the Burlington Township Fire Department Bureau of Fire Prevention has requested that the Township Council raise certain fees for required inspections; and

**WHEREAS**, the schedule of inspection fees was last examined in 2015 when certain fees were revised by Ordinance No. 15-OR-009; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Council agrees to increase certain fees to provide the Bureau of Fire Prevention with sufficient financial resources to secure the public safety; and

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to amend the Code to correct mistaken references to sections of the New Jersey Administrative Code.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED and ENACTED** by the Township Council of the Township of Burlington as follows:

**SECTION ONE.** Code § 285-23 "Purpose of penalties" is amended to replace the reference "(N.J.A.C. 5:18-2)" with the reference "(N.J.A.C. 5:70-1 et seq.)."

**SECTION TWO.** Code § 275-24B(2)(a) is amended to replace the reference "N.J.A.C. 5:18-2.7" with the reference "N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.9(c)" and to increase the fees as follows: Type 1 - \$75; Type 2 - \$214; Type 3 - \$427, and Type 4 - \$641.

**SECTION THREE.** The existing annual fees in Code § 275-25 "Schedule A Non-Life Hazard Uses Classifications" are amended as follows: A-3 Assembly - \$95; A-4 Church - \$57; A-5 Stadium - \$57; B-1A Business - \$46; B-1B

Business - \$70; B-2 Business - \$117; B-2A Business - \$231; B-2B Business - \$461; B-2C Business - \$923; B-3 Business - \$461; F-1A Factory/moderate hazard - \$231; F-1B Factory/moderate hazard - \$578; F-2A Factory/low hazard - \$192; Factory F-2B Factory/low hazard - \$461; H High hazard - \$231; I-1 Institutional - \$154; M-1A Mercantile - \$46; M-1B Mercantile - \$70; M-2 Mercantile - \$117; R-2 Residential/multiple-family - \$70 per building; R-2A Residential/multiple family - \$70 per building; R-2B Residential/multiple family - \$70 per building; R-2C Residential/multiple family - \$70; S-1A Storage/moderate hazard - \$231; S-1B Storage/moderate hazard - \$577; S-2A Storage/low hazard - \$192; S-2B Storage/low hazard - \$461; U Utility - \$53; V Vacant - \$231; and all categories marked "Reserved" shall remain unchanged.

This Ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Township Council in the Township of Burlington held on August 22, 2023, and will be considered for final passage after a public hearing held at a Regular Meeting of the Township Council to be held on September 12, 2023, at the Township Municipal Building, Burlington Township, New Jersey at 7:00 p.m.

This will certify that the foregoing Ordinance was passed by a majority of the Burlington Township Council on September 12, 2023.

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Mary E. Field  
Municipal Clerk

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Robert W. Jung  
President of Council