

TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM  
ORDINANCE NO. 5-2-2026

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM  
AMENDING CHAPTER 26 OF THE CODE OF THE  
TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM ENTITLED "POLICE DEPARTMENT"

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Evesham, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey that Chapter 26 of the Code of the Township of Evesham is amended as follows:

SECTION I. The following sections are amended and revised with the following language:

§26-3. Composition.

(A) The Police Department shall consist of a police force and such other non-sworn or civilian personnel as the Township Manager shall appoint. The police force shall consist of one Chief of Police, one Deputy Chief, two Captains, five Lieutenants, thirteen Sergeants, and seventy-two (72) patrolmen. Such employees shall carry out and obey all orders and instructions of the Chief of Police or, in his absence, his designee. In the event of an officer in any of these positions being on leave immediately preceding an announced retirement or a suspension with intent to dismiss, the Township Manager may, for the efficiency of the Department, appoint a replacement to serve in the vacant position. The Township Manager may also choose to leave a position vacant to undertake a review of whether the current table of organization is still beneficial to the police mission. The Township Manager shall have up to one year from the effective date of retirement or resignation to appoint/promote a replacement in order to conduct a thorough, fair and competitive search and selection process.

§ 26-7. Promotions.

(H). Candidates who achieve an overall score of 70% shall be placed on a two-year promotional list.

SECTION II. INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES:

All Ordinances and provisions thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION III. DECLARATION OF INVALIDITY:

If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision and the remainder of this ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

SECTION IV. EFFECTIVE DATE

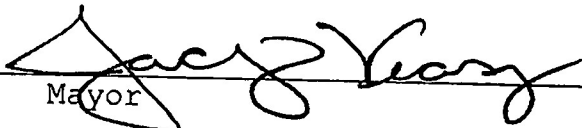
This Ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication in accordance with the law.

ROLL CALL VOTE Upon Introduction 1/21/2026						
COUNCIL MEMBER	INTRODUCED	SECONDED	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COOPER			✓			
FISICARO		✓	✓			
HUNTER	✓		✓			
SMITH			✓			
MAYOR VEASY			✓			

ROLL CALL VOTE Upon Adoption 2/11/2026						
COUNCIL MEMBER	INTRODUCED	SECONDED	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COOPER	✓		✓			
FISICARO			✓			
HUNTER			✓			
SMITH		✓	✓			
MAYOR VEASY			✓			

Adopted on second and final reading on

February 11, 2026

  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Township Clerk