

TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON  
ORDINANCE NO. 2011

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 1, ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNMENT, PART 6, PENSIONS, ARTICLE A, MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM, TO AMEND ITS NON-UNIFORM PENSION PLAN ADMINISTERED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT LAW; AGREEING TO BE BOUND BY ALL PROVISIONS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT LAW AS AMENDED AND AS APPLICABLE TO MEMBER MUNICIPALITIES.

SECTION I. The Board of Commissioners of the Township of Harrison hereby ordains that Chapter 1, Administration, Part 6, Pensions, Article A, Municipal Employees Retirement System, of the Township Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read in its entirety, as follows:

**§ 601. Election to Amend Plan.** Harrison Township (the Township), having established a non-uniform pension plan administered by the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement System (the System), hereby elects to amend its Non-Uniform Pension Plan administered by the System in accordance with Article IV of the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Law, 53 P.S. §881.101 et seq. (Retirement Law), and does hereby agree to be bound by all the requirements and provisions of the Retirement Law and the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act, 53 P.S. §895.101 et seq., and to assume all obligations, financial and otherwise, placed upon member municipalities.

**§ 602. Administration of Benefits.** As part of this Part, the Township agrees that the System shall administer and provide the benefits set forth in the amended Non-Uniform Pension Plan Document entered into between the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Board and the Township effective as of the date specified in the adoption agreement (the Contract).

**§ 603. Acceptance of Contract.** The Township acknowledges that by passage and adoption of this Part, the Township officially accepts the Contract and the financial obligations resulting from the administration of the Contract.

**§ 604. Payments.** Payment for any obligation established by the adoption of this Part and the Contract shall be made by the Township in accordance with the Retirement Law and the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act. The Township hereby assumes all liability for any unfundedness created due to the benefit structure set forth in the Contract.

**§ 605. Authorization; Repealer.** The Township intends this Part to be the complete authorization of the Contract, as amended, and it shall become effective and specifically repeal Ordinance Number 1957 either immediately or as of the date specified in the adoption agreement, which is the effective date of the Contract, as amended, whichever is later.

§ 606. Copies of File. A duly certified copy of this Part and an executed Contract shall be filed with the System.

This Ordinance adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Harrison Township at a duly assembled public meeting held on JUNE 22, 2020.

ATTEST:

HARRISON TOWNSHIP

Susan K Motosicky  
Township Secretary

By: Mark M. Heasley  
President, Board of Commissioners

Certification of Recording. This Ordinance recorded in the Township Ordinance book on June 23, 2020 by the undersigned.

Susan K Motosicky  
Township Secretary