ORDINANCE 0-24-06

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOWELL, MONMOUTH COUNTY AMENDING SCHEDULE III OF SECTION 3.5 OF CHAPTER 7 "TRAFFIC" OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOWELL

WHEREAS, Chapter 7, Section 3 of the Howell Township Code (the "Code") regulates parking within the Township; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-3.5 of the Code provides prohibitions on stopping or standing of vehicles during certain hours, and Section 7-3.5 references Schedule III (a.k.a. "Attachment 3 – Schedule III – No Stopping or Standing"), a list of streets within the Township upon which no person may stop or stand a vehicle between the hours specified and in the locations specified on said Schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Township has received complaints regarding traffic on Taunton Drive and asked the Township Police Department to review the issue; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Safety Unit of the Township Police Department has recommended the areas of Taunton Drive in the vicinity of Taunton Elementary School be added to Section 7-3.5, Schedule III of the Code; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council agrees with the Traffic Safety Unit that a portion of Taunton Drive should be added to Schedule III to alleviate safety and traffic concerns in the area near the vehicle entrance of Taunton School; and

WHEREAS, the power of the Township Council to regulate streets is set forth in N.J.S.A. 40:67-1 et seq.; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Township Council of Howell Township, County of Monmouth, and State of New Jersey, that certain sections of the Township Code be amended as follows (additions to text indicated by <u>underlined text</u>; deletions to text indicated by strikeout.):

SECTION 1. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:67-1 et seq, Attachment 3 - Schedule III of Chapter 7 of the Code of the Township of Howell is hereby amended as follows:

TRAFFIC

7 Attachment 3

SCHEDULE III
No Stopping or Standing

In accordance with the provisions of Subsection 7-3.5, no person shall stop or stand a vehicle upon any of the following described streets or parts of streets:

Name of Street	Side	Location			
Salem Hill Road	Both	From the easterly curbline of Newbury Road to a point 100 feet northerly therefrom			
New Friendship Road	Either	. From the easterly curbline of Route U.S. 9 for its entire length			
		b. From the westerly curbline of Route U.S. 9 to a point 250 feet westerly therefrom			
Lanes Mills Road	Either	a. From the westerly curbline of Route U.S. 9 to a point 300 feet westerly therefrom			
		b. From the easterly curbline of Route U.S. 9 to a point 300 feet easterly therefrom			
Alexander Avenue	Either	a. From the easterly curbline of Route U.S. 9 to a point 250 feet easterly therefrom			
Wyckoff Mills Road	Both	Wyckoff Mills Road from N.J. Route 9 to a point 1,300 feet north of the northerly curbline of Strickland Road			
Strickland Road	Both	Strickland Road from Wyckoff Mills Road to a point 625 feet west of the westerly curbline of N.J. Route 9			
Aldrich Road	Both	Aldrich Road from U.S. Route 9 to a point 600 feet east of Spruce Road			
Glen Arden Road	Both	Starting at the intersection of Cobblestone Courand proceeding southerly to the intersection of Silversmith Court			
Monmouth County Route 547 [Added 3-16-2004 by Ord. No. 0-04-05]	Both (24 hours per day)	1,200 feet north and south of the entrance to No. 858 Rt. 547, a/k/a the New Jersey Natural Gas Plant			
Taunton Drive	Both (Between 7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Mon. through Fri.)	Starting at the intersection of Forrest Hill Drive and proceeding northerly to the intersection of Monticello Drive			

- SECTION 2. Per the Enforcement provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:5-1, the Township of Howell Police Department is hereby designated as the municipal official responsible for enforcement of the foregoing amended sections of the Township Code.
- SECTION 3. If any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged by the Courts to be invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of this ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.
- SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.
- **SECTION 5.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage, publication and as required by law.

NOTICE

The Ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed on first reading by the Township Council of the Township of Howell on February 6, 2024 and will be further considered for final passage and adoption at the Township Municipal Building on 4567 Route 9 North, Howell, New Jersey on February 20, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be reached on the Agenda, at which time and place all persons interested therein shall be given an opportunity to be heard and during the week prior thereto, and up to, and including, the date of such meeting, copies of said Ordinance will be available at the Clerk's Office in the Township of Howell Municipal Building to the members of the general public who shall request same.

Introduction:

COUNCIL	MOTION	2ND	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Councilwoman Fischer			Х			
Councilman Gasior		Х	X			
Councilwoman O'Donnell	Х		Х			
Deputy Mayor Nadel			Х			
Mayor Berger			Х			

I, Diane Festino, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Howell, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby certify this to be a true copy of the action of the Mayor and Township Council, at its Meeting held February 6, 2024. WITNESS my hand this 7th day of February 2024.

DIANE FESTINO, Municipal Clerk

Adoption:

COUNCIL	MOTION	2ND	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Councilwoman Fischer			Х			
Councilman Gasior	Х		Х			
Councilwoman O'Donnell			Х			
Deputy Mayor Nadel			Х			
Mayor Berger			Х			

This is to certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Township Council at a regular meeting of the Township of Howell held on February 20, 2024.

DIANE FESTINO, Municipal Clerk