

**TOWNSHIP OF LOWER SOUTHAMPTON
ORDINANCE NO. 605**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER SOUTHAMPTON, COUNTY OF
BUCKS, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE 596
REGARDING COMPENSATION FOR SUPERVISORS**

WHEREAS, Lower Southampton Township is a township of the second class, organized and operated in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Second Class Township Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Board of Supervisors of Lower Southampton Township (“Board”) has the authority to enact and amend provision of the Lower Southampton Code (the “Code”) at any time it deems proper; and

WHEREAS, Section 606(a) of Second Class Township Code provides, in part, that Supervisors may receive compensation of an amount established by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Section 606(c) of the Second Class Township Code provides, in part, that Supervisors, while in office, may be eligible for inclusion in township-paid insurance plans;

WHEREAS, Section 606(c) 4 provides, in part, Supervisors and their dependents are eligible for inclusion in group life, health, hospitalization, medical service and accident insurance plans paid in whole or part by the Township. Supervisors and their dependents who are over sixty-five are eligible for inclusion in supplemental Medicare insurance coverage paid in whole or part by the Township, collectively hereinafter referred to as “Insurance Plans”; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 596 was previously adopted and is now being amended.

NOW THEREFORE, be it **ORDAINED** and **ENACTED**, by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Lower Southampton, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1.

Ordinance No. 596 Section 1 and Subsection 2 is repealed and replaced by the following: Supervisors and their dependents shall be eligible for inclusion in Township insurance plans with the cost for inclusion being paid in whole by the Township.

SECTION 2. Repealer

Any and all other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in violation or in conflict with the terms, conditions and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such irreconcilable conflict.

SECTION 3. Severability

The terms, conditions and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and, should any portion, part or provision of this Ordinance be found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, enforceable or unconstitutional, the Board of Supervisors, hereby declares its intent that the Ordinance shall have been enacted without regard to the invalid, enforceable, or unconstitutional portion, part, or provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days following enactment by the Board of Supervisors.

ORDAINED and **ENACTED** an ordinance of the Township of Lower Southampton this 13th day of December, 2023.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Attest:

Joseph Galdo, Township Manager

