## BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE Ordinance 2012-04

REFUNDING BOND ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR THE REFUNDING OF ALL OR A PORTION OF CERTAIN GENERAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF 2001 OF THE BOROUGH, APPROPRIATING \$850,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE BY THE BOROUGH OF REFUNDING BONDS IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT EXCEEDING \$850,000 FOR FINANCING THE COST THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring) AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Borough of New Providence, in the County of Union, New Jersey (the "Borough") is hereby authorized to refund all or a portion of the \$765,000 outstanding principal amount of its General Improvement Bonds, dated July 15, 2001, originally issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$2,340,000, which amount matures on July 15 in the years 2012 through 2015, inclusive (the "Refunded Bonds"), and which are subject to redemption on or after July 15, 2011 at the option of the Borough at a redemption price of 100% of the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds to be redeemed.

Section 2. In order to finance the cost of the purpose described in Section 1 hereof and the costs of issuance associated therewith, negotiable refunding bonds are hereby authorized to be issued in one or more series in the aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$850,000 (the "Refunding Bonds") pursuant to the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey.

Section 3. An aggregate amount not exceeding \$30,000 for items of expense listed in and permitted under N.J.S.A. 40A:2-51(b) has been included in the aggregate principal amount of Refunding Bonds authorized herein.

Section 4. The Borough desires to provide for all or a portion of the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds outstanding and the interest and redemption premium, if any, thereon in order to provide for savings in debt service as a result of lower interest rates in the bond markets.

Section 5. The Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly prepared and filed in the office of the Clerk, and a complete executed duplicate thereof has been filed in the office of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey. Such statement shows that the gross debt of the Borough is increased by the authorization of the Refunding Bonds provided in this refunding bond ordinance by \$850,000, and that an amount representing the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds equal to \$765,000 will be deductible from gross debt. The obligations authorized herein will be within all debt limitations prescribed by that law.

Section 6. A certified copy of this refunding bond ordinance as adopted on first reading has been filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey prior to final adoption.

Section 7. This refunding bond ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the first publication thereof after final adoption, as provided by the Local Bond Law, provided that the consent of the Local Finance Board has been endorsed upon a certified copy of this ordinance as finally adopted.

INTRODUCTION: February 27, 2012 PUBLIC HEARING: March 12, 2012 ADOPTION: March 12, 2012

> BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE COUNTY OF UNION STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Attest:	J. Brooke Hern, Mayor
Wendi B. Barry, Borough Clerk	