

BOROUGH OF ROSELLE



ORDINANCE NUMBER 2727-23

**AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 1 “GENERAL PROVISIONS”
TO FORMALLY ADOPT AN OFFICIAL BOROUGH SEAL**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Roselle has made use of several official Borough seals over the years since the Borough was first incorporated on December 20, 1894; and

WHEREAS, in recent years, a digitally created Borough logo has been used somewhat interchangeably with the official seal leading to an inconsistent public image for the Borough and unnecessary confusion; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council now desires to formally adopt the digitally created Borough logo, as further described herein, as the official seal of the Borough of Roselle.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Roselle as follows:

SECTION I. Chapter 1 “General Provisions” of the Code of the Borough of Roselle is hereby supplemented by the addition of Article III “Borough Seal” as follows:

Article III Borough Seal

§1-20 Description.

The official seal of the Borough of Roselle shall consist of an outer circle bearing the words “Borough of Roselle” inscribed along the top edge and “New Jersey” along the bottom edge. Within the outer circle shall be an inner circle featuring a starburst symbol in the background, a copy of the Declaration of Independence in the upper half, a depiction of Edison’s light bulb in the bottom half, and the words “Incorporated Dec. 20, 1894” inscribed along the bottom edge.

§1-21 Adoption of official seal.

The seal of the Borough of Roselle, as described in §1-20 and further represented below, is hereby adopted as the official seal of the Borough of Roselle, County of Union, State of New Jersey.



§1-22 Custody of seal.

The Borough Clerk shall have custody of the official seal of the Borough.

SECTION II. If any section, subsection, provision, clause, or portion of this ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such adjudication shall not affect the remaining sections, subsections, provisions, clauses, or portions, which shall be deemed severable therefrom.

SECTION III. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby replaced and/or repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION IV. This Ordinance shall take effect at the time and in the manner provided by law.

Recorded Vote on Introduction Ordinance No. 2727-23, November 8, 2023

| | Motion | Second | Ayes | Nays | Abstain | Absent |
|--|--------|--------|------|------|---------|--------|
| Councilman Villeda | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Johnson | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Thomas | | | X | | | |
| Councilman Fortuna | | | | | | X |
| Councilwoman Wilkerson | | X | X | | | |
| Council President Bernier | X | | X | | | |
| X Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Amended <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated <input type="checkbox"/> Tabled <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn | | | | | | |

Recorded Vote on Final Passage Ordinance No. 2727-23, December 20, 2023

| | Motion | Second | Ayes | Nays | Abstain | Absent |
|--|--------|--------|------|------|---------|--------|
| Councilman Villeda | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Johnson | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Thomas | | X | X | | | |
| Councilman Fortuna | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Wilkerson | | | X | | | |
| Council President Bernier | X | | X | | | |
| X Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Amended <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated <input type="checkbox"/> Tabled <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn | | | | | | |

Approved

Vetoed and returned to the Borough Clerk with the following statement and objections:

Donald Shaw, Mayor

DATE:

NOTICE is hereby given that Ordinance Number 2727-23 was passed and adopted on second and final reading at a Regular meeting of the Mayor and Council December 20, 2023, after 6:30 P.M., 210 Chestnut St., Roselle, NJ.

Lisette Sanchez, Borough Clerk