

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-07

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 5 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE
TO ADJUST THE FEES FOR POLICE EXTRA ASSIGNMENT DUTIES**

WHEREAS, the Township of Springfield (the “Township”) receives requests for extra assignment duties for the services of police officers which are beyond the police services typically obligated and provided; and

WHEREAS, the Township, in accordance with Township Code 5-91, offers and allows the services of police officers upon arrangement for extra assignment duties; and

WHEREAS, the Township charges a fee for these extra assignment duties; and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to update their fees for extra assignment duties to better reflect current economic considerations for off-duty police services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED, by the Township Council of the Township of Springfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey that Chapter 5-91 of the Code of the Township of Springfield is amended to read as follows:

“D. ...

- (1) Per officer, per hour or any part thereof, in a Township which is a party to interlocal services agreement: \$80.
- (2) Police vehicle, per day or part thereof, outside Springfield Township which is a party to interlocal services agreement: \$90.
- (3) Administrative fee per hour, per officer, paid to the Township: \$20.
- (4) If any police officer provides such services in another municipality with different rates, the officer shall be entitled to the higher rate and the vehicle shall be charged at the highest rate. The administrative shall remain consistent with this Chapter.

Repealer, Severability and Effective Date.

A. Repealer. Any and all Ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistencies.

B. Severability. In the event that any clause, section, paragraph or sentence of this Ordinance is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the Township Council hereby declares its intent that the balance of the Ordinance not affected by said invalidity shall remain in full force and effect to the extent that it allows the Township to meet the goals of the Ordinance.

C. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication according to law.

1st Reading: May 08, 2024

Council	Motion	2 nd	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Mr. Eaton			X			
Mr. Hermesmann						X
Mr. McDaniel	X		X			
Mr. Sobotka		X	X			
Mayor Frank			X			

Public Notice :

2 Reading: Public Hearing: June 12, 2024

Council	Motion	2 nd	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Mr. Eaton		X	X			
Mr. Hermesmann						X
Mr. McDaniel			X			
Mr. Sobotka	X		X			
Mayor Frank			X			

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of the ordinance that was introduced after first reading at a meeting of the Springfield Township Council held on May 08, 2024 and adopted after a public hearing at a meeting of the Springfield Township Council held on June 12, 2024.

Brandy C. Boyington, Township Clerk