

ORDINANCE # 2026-002
AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE BOROUGH OF
WALLINGTON ENTITLED
“AN ORDINANCE AMENDING BOROUGH SANITARY CODE SECTION 396,
SANITATION”

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE BOROUGH OF
WALLINGTON, BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY THAT:

WHEREAS, the Board of Health has determined that in the interest of preserving public health, there is a need to amend the Sanitary Code of the Borough of Wallington to require all landlords of developments consisting of 5 or more residential units to provide lists of dogs and cats residing in their premises; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Health of the Borough of Wallington, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, that a new article, entitled “Annual Landlord Reports on Dogs and Cats” shall be added to the Borough of Wallington’s Sanitation Code which shall read as follows:

1. Within 60 days of the passage of this ordinance and by January 31st of each calendar year thereafter, the owners of residential developments in the Borough of Wallington consisting of 5 or more housing units shall provide to the Borough of Wallington’s Board of Health a list of all known dogs and cats residing in said units. Said list shall contain the type of dog or cat, the name of the animal’s owner, the license number of the animal and the address of the owner of said animal.
2. In the event a landlord subject to Section 1 above becomes aware of a new dog or cat residing in in one of their housing units, said landlord shall provide the Board of Health with an updated list of cats and dogs residing

in the housing units within 30 days of learning of said dog or cat's presence.

3. Any person or entity who violates, or neglects to comply with, any provision of this ordinance shall, upon a first conviction thereof, be liable to a penalty of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00). Any person or entity convicted of violating any provision of this article for a second or subsequent offense shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each violation.

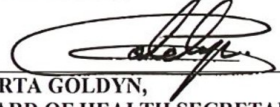
IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of the Sanitary Code of the Borough of Wallington shall remain in full force and effect.

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED that if any parts, sections, provisions, or the total of any of the above provisions are held to be invalid or unenforceable in any court, the findings or judgments of which court are applicable to the State of New Jersey, the balance and remainder of such provisions shall remain in full force and effect as an Ordinance of the Borough of Wallington's Sanitary Code; and

THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE AFTER
PASSAGE AND PUBLICATION AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

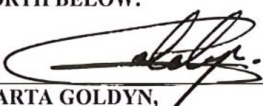
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FIRST READING / INTRODUCTION BY TITLE

MEMBER	MOTION	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	CERTIFIED AS A TRUE COPY OF AN ORDINANCE INTRODUCED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE BOROUGH OF WALLINGTON AT A MEETING HELD ON THE DATE SET FORTH BELOW.  MARTA GOLDYN, BOARD OF HEALTH SECRETARY
TOMKO			X				
BARNAS			X				
PINTO	X		X				
SANDOR		X	X				
MAJCHRZAK						X	

ADOPTED THIS 15th DAY OF APRIL, 2026


DONNA TOMKO, CHAIRWOMAN

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SECOND READING / ADOPTION BY TITLE

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TOMKO			X				
BARNAS	X		X				
PINTO			X				
SANDOR		X	X				
MAJCHRZAK			X				

ADOPTED THIS 20th DAY OF MAY, 2026


DONNA TOMKO, CHAIRWOMAN