#### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, SECTION 5.1 OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE (MAXIMUM PENALTY)

### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF

WEST ORANGE, NEW JERSEY that Chapter 1, Section 5.1 of the Revised General

Ordinances of the Township of West Orange be and are hereby amended as follows:

### I. <u>PURPOSE</u>

The purpose of this ordinance is to modify the fines set forth in Chapter 1 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange to be amendable by Resolution such that they are easily amendable in the future by approval in an everchanging socioeconomic climate.

## II. <u>CHAPTER 1, SECTION 5.1 SHALL BE AND HEREBY IS AMENDED AND</u> <u>SUPPLEMENTED TO INCORPORATE THE FOLLOWING:</u>

## **§1-5.1 BE AND HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:**

• The portion entitled "Maximum Penalty" which specifies the maximum penalty for violations under any Chapter of the Township of West Orange Municipal Code shall be repealed and replaced by the following language:

For violation of any provision of this chapter, and any other chapter of this revision, or any other ordinance of the Township where no specific penalty is provided regarding the section violated, the maximum penalty shall, on conviction of a violation, be: a fine prescribed by Resolution stating the maximum fine for violations of the Township of West Orange Municipal Code where no specific fine or penalty is provided regarding the specific section of the West Orange Municipal Code violated.

## III. <u>REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES</u>

Any Ordinances of the Township which are in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

### IV. <u>SEVERABILITY</u>

If any part of this Ordinance shall be deemed invalid, such parts shall be severed and the invalidity thereof shall not affect the remaining parts of this Ordinance.

### V. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>

This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with the law.

# SUSAN MCCARTNEY, MAYOR

## TAMMY WILLIAMS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

KAREN J. CARNEVALE, R.M.C. MUNICIPAL CLERK

**INTRODUCED:** March 21, 2023

ADOPTED: April 4, 2023

## **Legislative History**

The purpose of this ordinance is to modify the fines set forth in Chapter 1 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange to be subject to adjustment by Resolution.