

**THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING
COUNTY OF MERCER, NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE NO. 18-25

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Date Adopted:
9-25-18

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Approved as to Form of Legality

Effective Date:
10-18-18

Township Attorney

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First Reading

MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN	MOVE	SECOND
Baxter	X					X
Keyes-Maloney			X			
Schroth	X				X	
Steward			X			
Wollert	X					

Second Reading

MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN	MOVE	SECOND
Baxter	X					X
Keyes-Maloney	X				X	
Schroth	X					
Steward	X					
Wollert	X					

By _____ Date _____ Accepted _____ Rejected _____
Mayor

Reconsidered
By Council _____ Override Vote YEA _____ NAY _____

President of the Council

Municipal Clerk

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WHEREAS, the Township of Ewing (“Township”) is empowered to enact and amend ordinances regulating public safety; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Township of Ewing is desirous of updating the Township’s ordinances with regard to the Department of Public Safety to identify those personnel who are deemed to be “essential personnel” in the event of a Federal, State, County or Locally declared state of emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Township of Ewing, County of Mercer that the Code of the Township of Ewing be amended to add the following new §4-56, as follows:

Section 1 CHAPTER 4, Administration of Government, Article X: Department of Public Safety is hereby amended to add the following new §4-56, as follows:

Chapter 4: Administration of Government.

Article X: Department of Public Safety

§ 4-56 ESSENTIAL PERSONNEL IN EVENT OF DECLARED EMERGENCY.

Whenever there shall be a declared state of emergency by any Federal, State, County or Local authority that includes all or any part of Ewing Township, the following personnel are deemed to be essential personnel for purposes of traveling upon the roadways and shall be required to report to work in accordance with their regularly scheduled workday, or in accordance with any modified schedule as a result of the declared emergency:

- (1) Police officers
- (2) Fire fighters
- (3) Emergency Medical Technicians
- (4) Public Safety Telecommunicators
- (5) Emergency Management Coordinator
- (6) Public Works employees, by job title as warranted by the emergency
- (7) Code officials, by job title as warranted by the emergency
- (8) Mayor
- (9) Township Administrator

Section 2. Severability. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid for any reason whatsoever, such a decision shall not affect the remaining portions of the Ordinance, which shall remain in full force and effect, and for this purpose the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

Section 3 Repealer. All prior ordinances or parts of same inconsistent with any provisions of this article are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4 Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication in accordance with law.

STATEMENT

This Ordinance revises and amends Ewing Township’s ordinances to identify those personnel who are deemed to be “essential personnel” in the event of a Federal, State, County or Local declared state of emergency.

Adopted: