

**BOROUGH OF RAMSEY
ORDINANCE 13-2014**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 10 OF THE CODE OF
THE BOROUGH OF RAMSEY, BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY AND
MORE PARTICULARLY SECTION 10-21 THEREOF ENTITLED
PAYMENT OF SALARY AND WAGES**

WHEREAS, P.L. 2013 c. 28, authorizes local governments to mandate direct deposit for certain governmental employees effective after July 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, P.L. 2013 c. 28 permits governing bodies to grant exemptions on such terms and conditions as they deem necessary.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Ramsey, Bergen County, New Jersey that Chapter 10 of the code of the Borough of Ramsey and more particularly section 10-21 thereof entitled payment of salary and wages be and hereby is amended and supplemented as follows:

Section 1. 10-21 Payment of Salary and Wages

e. Direct Deposit

i) All full time employees and elected public officials who receive compensation from the Borough of Ramsey are mandated to have direct deposit of their compensation as of [July 1, 2014] in accordance with Chapter 28 P.L. 2013, as defined under C.52:14-15f (b).

ii) Municipal employees may request, in writing, an exemption from the direct deposit mandate to the Borough Administrator. Such requests will be presented to the governing body within thirty (30) days. The Mayor and Council may grant such an exemption by resolution and only for good cause.

Section 2. If any Section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the Section, paragraph subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with the Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect after final passage, adoption and publication according to law.

Introduced: June 11, 2014

Adopted: June 25, 2014

Meredith Bendian, Borough Clerk

Christopher C. Botta, Mayor