ORDINANCE #928

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF OCEANPORT, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING CHAPTER 361 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF OCEANPORT, ENTITLED "TOWING AND STORAGE"

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Borough of Oceanport, in the County of Monmouth, in the State of New Jersey, that the following be amended:

1. §361-3. Application; fee. Section B.

Delete: "The location of the storage facility and the location where their wreckers are principally housed may not be more than five driven statute miles over roadways leading to and from the boundaries of the Borough of Oceanport."

Replace with: "The location of the storage facility and the location where their wreckers are principally housed may not be more than three driven statute miles over roadways leading to and from the boundaries of the Borough of Oceanport."

2. §361-4. Filing date; issuance of license.

Delete: "The Chief of Police shall recommend to the Mayor and Council the issuance of up to three towing licenses for their consent and approval."

Replace with: The Chief of Police shall recommend to the Mayor and Council the issuance of towing licenses for their consent and approval.

3. §361-6. Conditions of issuance of license. Section F

Delete: "The towing contractor must be able to respond to all calls for service by the Oceanport Police Department within a reasonable amount of time, preferably 10 minutes".

Replace with: "The towing contractor must be able to respond to all calls for service by the Oceanport Police Department within a reasonable amount of time, preferably 10 minutes but not more than 30 minutes".

4. §361-6. Conditions of issuance of license.

Add Section H to read as follows: There shall be no charge for any towing of any municipally owned vehicle to a location within 5 driven miles of the boundaries of the Borough of Oceanport.

5. ADD §361-22. Severability Clause. Each section, subsection, sentence, clause and Phrase of this article is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase, and the finding or holding of any such portion of this article to be unconstitutional, void or ineffective for any cause, or reason, shall not affect any other portion of this article.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all other Ordinance or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with the law.

Introduced: February 20, 2014
Approved: February 20, 2014
Adopted: March 6, 2014

ATTEST: Jeanne Smith
BOROUGH CLERK

MICHAEL J. MAHON
MAYOR