

ORDINANCE NO. 16-2013

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING SECTION 53-35. ENTITLED "RESPONSIBILITIES." UNDER CHAPTER 53 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP ENTITLED POLICE DEPARTMENT WITH THE INCLUSION OF A NEW PROVISION CLARIFYING THE CHAIN OF COMMAND IN THE ISSUANCE OF ORDERS

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has requested that Section 53-35. Entitled "Responsibilities." Under Chapter 53 of the Code of the Township entitled Police Department be amended and supplemented to clarify the chain of command in the issuance of orders to the Detective Bureau.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

Section 1. Section 53-35. Entitled "Responsibilities." under Chapter 53 of the Code of the Township entitled Police Department is hereby deleted and a new Section 53-35. Is hereby added in its place and stead:

"Section 53-35. The Detective Bureau shall be responsible for all such investigative activities of the Police Department as outlined and authorized by the Chief of Police and shall be responsible to, and receive orders only from the Police Chief or his/her designee, or, in his/her absence or incapacity, the Officer in charge of the Police Department."

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are, to the extent of such inconsistency, hereby repealed.

Section 3. In case, for any reason, any section or provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, the same shall not affect any other section or provision of this Ordinance, except so far as the section or provision so declared unconstitutional or invalid shall be severed from the remainder or any portion thereof.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the law.

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE
TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER
COUNTY OF MORRIS
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: MAY 9, 2013
DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 23, 2013

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the foregoing Ordinance was submitted in writing at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, held on the 9th day of May, 2013, introduced and read by title and passed on first reading and the Governing Body will further consider the same for second reading and final passage thereof at a meeting to be held on the 23th day of May, 2013, at 8:30 o'clock in the evening prevailing time, at the Municipal Building, 1000 Route 10, Whippany, in said Township of Hanover, at which time and place a public hearing will be held thereon by the Governing Body and all persons and citizens in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard concerning same.

JOSEPH A. GIORGIO, TOWNSHIP CLERK
TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER
COUNTY OF MORRIS
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: May 16, 2013