

TOWNSHIP OF PENNSVILLE
SALEM COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE A-5-2018

Title: AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PENNSVILLE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 SECTION 1.7 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PENNSVILLE WHICH SECTION IS ENTITLED RETIREMENT BENEFIT AND WHICH AMENDMENT WILL AUTHORIZE RETIRING POLICE OFFICERS TO RETAIN POSSESSION OF AND BECOME THE OWNER OF THEIR SERVICE WEAPON

Date of Introduction: February 15, 2018

Anticipated Date of Adoption: March 1, 2018

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WHEREAS, it has been customary for retiring members of the Pennsville Police Department to retain possession of their service weapons; and

WHEREAS, the Township's Solicitor has advised the Mayor and members of the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsville (hereinafter Committee) that the transfer of ownership should be authorized by Ordinance; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and members of the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsville that:

1. They hereby adopt the facts and determinations as set forth in the preamble of this resolution as if the same were more fully set forth herein, and the facts and determinations shall have the same binding effect as the paragraphs set forth herein below.

2. Chapter 2 Article 1 Section 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the Township of Pennsville be amended to include subsection F, which shall read as follows:

"Members of the Township of Pennsville Police Department upon retirement shall be permitted to retain possession of their service weapon upon presentation of proof that they have complied with State Law dealing with the transfer of such weapons.

1) If any section or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not effect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof.

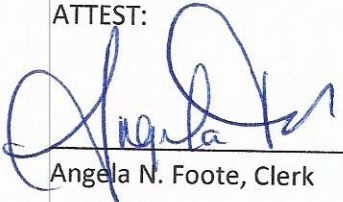
2) All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances heretofore adopted that are inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

3) This Ordinance shall be effective upon its final passage, adoption and publication in the manner prescribed by law.

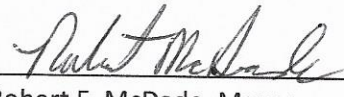
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Approved by the Township Committee
Township of Pennsville – February 15, 2018

ATTEST:



Angela N. Foote, Clerk



Robert E. McDade, Mayor

First reading – February 15, 2018

Roll call vote:

	Yes	No	Abstaining	Absent
William Biebel	X	—	—	—
Marc Chastain	X	—	—	—
Jeffrey Cook	—	—	—	X
Robert McDade	X	—	—	—
Richie Raine	—	—	—	X

Adoption – March 1, 2018

Roll call vote:

	Yes	No	Abstaining	Absent
William Biebel	X	—	—	—
Marc Chastain	X	—	—	—
Jeffrey Cook	X	—	—	—
Robert McDade	X	—	—	—
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