

ORDINANCE A-5-2020

Title: TOWNSHIP OF PENNSVILLE CALENDAR YEAR 2020 ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (NJSA 40A:4-45.14)

WHEREAS, the Local Government "CAP" Law, NJSA 40A:4-45.1, et seq, provides that in the preparation of its annual budget a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget to 2.5%, unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5%, over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exemptions; and

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-45.15a provides that a municipality may, when authorized by ordinance, appropriate the difference between the amount of its actual final appropriation and the 3.5% percentage rate as an exception to its final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsville, County of Salem, and State of New Jersey, finds it advisable and necessary to increase its calendar year 2020 budget by up to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee hereby determines that a 1.0% increase in the budget for said year, amounting to \$140,853.19 in excess of the increase in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government "CAP" Law, is advisable and necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee hereby determines that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and members of the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsville, County of Salem, and State of New Jersey, that a majority of the full authorized membership of this governing body affirmatively concurring, that, in the calendar year 2020 budget year, the final appropriations of the Township of Pennsville shall, in accordance with this Ordinance and NJSA 40A:4-45.14, be increased by 3.5%, amounting to \$492,986.17, and that the calendar year 2020 municipal budget for the Township of Pennsville be approved and adopted in accordance with this Ordinance; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a certified copy of this ordinance as introduced be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a certified copy of this ordinance upon adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon, be filed with said Director within 5 days after such adoption.

WHEREAS, if any section or provision of this ordinance shall be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, and

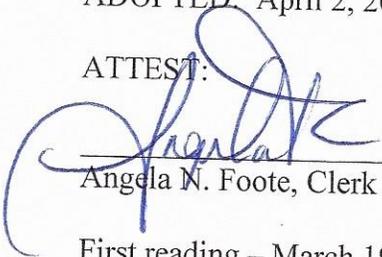
WHEREAS, all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, heretofore adopted and that are inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency, and

WHEREAS, this ordinance shall be effective upon its final passage, adoption and publication in the manner prescribed by law.

ADOPTED: April 2, 2020

Approved by the Township Committee
Township of Pennsville – March 19, 2020

ATTEST:



Angela N. Foote, Clerk



Chairman

First reading – March 19, 2020

Roll call vote:	Yes	No	Abstaining	Absent
Marc Chastain	X	—	—	—
Jeffrey Cook	X	—	—	—
Robert E. McDade	X	—	—	—
Daniel Neu	X	—	—	—
Richie G. Raine	X	—	—	—

Adoption – April 2, 2020

Roll call vote:	Yes	No	Abstaining	Absent
Marc Chastain	X	—	—	—
Jeffrey Cook	X	—	—	—
Robert E. McDade	X	—	—	—
Daniel Neu	X	—	—	—
Richie G. Raine	X	—	—	—