



NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Governing Body of the Borough of Atlantic Highlands introduced the following Ordinance at their April 14, 2010 meeting. Following a Public Hearing held on April 28, 2010, this Ordinance was finally adopted. This Ordinance is available for public inspection, and copies will be available at Borough Hall in the Municipal Clerk's office during regular business hours, 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday.

Dwayne M. Harris
Municipal Clerk

ORDINANCE 09-2010

AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING THE 1997 REVISED POLICE ORDINANCE, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE 3-2002

WHEREAS, the Borough by Ordinance 5-97, known as the Revised Police Ordinance, defined and codified certain positions and duties of Police Officers and the Police Department of the Borough, and

WHEREAS, that Ordinance was amended by Ordinance 3-2002 to establish the rank and position of Lieutenant in the Police Department and to specify the authorized maximum number of officers in other authorized ranks and positions in the Police Department, and

WHEREAS, the Borough Governing Body has determined to revise the authorized police rank structure as defined in the amendment under Ordinance 3-2002 to delete the rank/position of Lieutenant, to increase the authorized maximum number of Sergeants to five, and to change the terminology from Patrolman and define the maximum authorized number of Patrol Officer positions; these changes to be implemented by deleting Section 9(I)C that established the Lieutenant position and amending Sections 9(I)D and 9(I)E as specified hereinafter. All other provisions of the Police Ordinance as amended remain unchanged.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Governing Body of the Borough of Atlantic Highlands that the General Ordinances of the Borough of Atlantic Highlands, and specifically Ordinance 5-97, known as the 1997 Revised Police Ordinance as amended by Ordinance 3-2002, is amended to delete Paragraph 9(I)C of said Ordinance as amended that had established the rank/position of Lieutenant and said rank/position is deleted from the authorized Police Department rank structure.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that Paragraphs 9(I)D (providing for the rank/position of Sergeant) and 9(I)E (providing for the rank/position of Patrolman) are amended to read as follows (changed terms are underlined):

9(I)D. Sergeant (no more than 5). The Sergeant is responsible for supervising police work, directing and assisting in the direction of, or participating in the activities of the Police Department on an assigned shift. He performs those tasks and assignments which are delegated by his superiors.

9(I)E. Patrol Officer (no more than 9). The patrol officer is responsible for the general law enforcement work involved in the protection of life and property through the enforcement of laws and related preventative and investigative work. A patrol officer shall perform all duties which are assigned by his superior officers.