#### REGULAR MEETING MINUTES CITY COMMISSION – MARGATE CITY

#### **DECEMBER 19, 2019**

#### MARGATE CITY, NEW JERSEY

THE ATLANTIC CITY PRESS AND THE STAR LEDGER WERE NOTIFIED OF THIS MEETING AND A COPY OF THE SAME WAS POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD AND THE MUNICIPAL WEBSITE.

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners was held on the above date at 4:35 p.m. at the Margate City Hall, 1 South Washington Avenue, Margate, NJ 08402. The meeting began with a flag salute and roll call: Mayor Michael Becker and Commissioner John Amodeo were present. Commissioner Maury Blumberg was absent. Johanna Casey, Rich Deaney, and Scott Abbott were also present. The minutes from the last meeting of December 5, 2019 Capital, Workshop and Regular Meetings were approved as read on motion by Commissioner Amodeo, seconded by Mayor Becker, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **Public Comment:**

**John Sewell,** 22 West Drive: Speaks on the lack of fiscal responsibility by the commission on matters of the school system.

**Art Cantilli,** 114 N. Lancaster Avenue: Speaks on the positive effect of smaller class sizes. Plan now for smaller enrollment of students in the Margate school system.

Seeing that there were no additional comments, a motion to close Public Comments was put forth by Commissioner Amodeo, seconded by Mayor Becker, with a vote of two ayes.

#### Public Comment on Resolutions and Ordinances:

Seeing that there were no additional comments, a motion to close Public Comments on Resolutions and Ordinances was put forth by Commissioner Amodeo, seconded by Mayor Becker, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **ORDINANCES: Introduction**

A motion to introduce Ordinance #12-2019 was put forth by Mayor Becker, seconded by Commissioner Amodeo, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **ORDINANCE #12 – 2019**

### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING, CHAPTER 175 – LAND USE, Article I, Definitions

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Commissioners of the City of Margate, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

#### SECTION 1. BUILDING COVERAGE

#### Remove the following:

The ratio of the horizontal area of all principal buildings measured from the exterior surface of the exterior walls of the ground floor on a lot to the total lot area.

#### Add the following:

That percentage of a lot covered by the principal building. All projections attached to the principal building covered by a permanent roof other than decks and porches shall be considered part and parcel of said principal building

SECTION 2. STORY, HALF

Keep the following:

The area under a hip gable or gambrel roof where the roof-to-ceiling height in excess of five feet is less than 50% of the floor area of the floor immediately below. Where the floor area with a floor-to-ceiling height in excess of five feet is more than 50% of the floor immediately below, it shall count as a full story.

Add the following:

The half story shall be fully contained within the roof of the second floor and having the permitted dormers and exceptions for elevators and stairways where applicable.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with any terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**SECTION 4:** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage and publication as required by law.

A motion to introduce Ordinance #13-2019 was put forth by Mayor Becker, seconded by Commissioner Amodeo, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **ORDINANCE #13 – 2019**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING, CHAPTER 175 – LAND USE, Schedule B-1 City of Margate Schedule of standards, Residential Standards, 175 Attachment 4:1

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Commissioners of the City of Margate, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

**SECTION 1. MF - Multi Family** Margate City Buildings, Schedule B-1, shall be amended as follows (see attached schedule):

Remove Asterick (\*) next the MF zone designation column.

Remove footnote "\* Regardless of zone; the table to the left shall apply to the development of any single family or two family home in the City of Margate."

Under minimum front yard (porches and buildings), remove "For blocks southwest of Ventnor Avenue where only 2 lots exist all setbacks shall be a minimum of 5 feet."

Add condition for Maximum height for 2.5 stories over parking to lots only 40 feet wide or more.

Add side yard setback requirements for lots less than 40 feet wide to be more in line with single family or two family development but maintains MF standards for lots 40 feet wide or greater. Increases minimum setback to 12 feet with driveway.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with any terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**SECTION 3:** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage and publication as required by law.

#### Land Use Schedule B-1 City of Margate Schedule of Standard: Residential Standard: [Amended 9-24-2006 by Ord. No. 06-26; 43-2008 by Ord. No. 12-2008; 1-31-2013 by Ord. No. 01-2013; 8-15-2013 by Ord. No. 17-2014; 5-5-2016 by Ord. No. 08-2016]

	5-60	S-50	5-40	S-30	S-25	TF	S-25 (HD	S-60-WF	S-40-WF	MF	WAPC
Minimum lot area (square feet)	6,000	5,000	4,000	3,000	2,500	3,200	2,500	6,000 (excluding riparian)	2,750 (excluding riparian	4,400	Multi- Family/Townhouse/Garden Apartment Buildings: 4,400 All other uses: 3,200
Minimum lot width (feet)	50	50	50	40	40	40	40	60	50	40	50
Maximum principal building coverage**, ***	Lots between the 30% by a		r of square feet le			be increased on a sliding the result into a percenta		40%	50%	45%	50%
Minimum front yard	3 houses. Re 6-feet. For front of porches. Re	gardless of the averag	e, minimum setba ack of front walls e, minimum setba	ck of at least 5 feet: of porches within 20 ck of at least 5' shal	shall be provided. F 10° in the same block I be provided. Porch	me block. Eliminate the least blocks southwest of the Eliminate the high an hea or decks behind the test or decks behind	Ventuor Avenue	where only 2 lots exist the average is calcul-	t all setbacks shall sted, unless there are	fewer than 3	For front wall of building 10% of the lot depth with a 10° minimum. For front wall of porch 5% of the lot depth with a 5' minimum
Minimum rear yard			20 % of	lot depth or 10 feet.	whichever is greater			10 feet from bulk!	ead	20 feet, with minimum 10 foot Landscape Buffer	Multi-Family / Townhouse / Garden Apartment Buildings: 20 feet, with minimum 10 feet Landscape Buffer All other uses: The greater of 20% of Lot Denth or 10 feet
Minimum side yard	Lots with les	feet or more of fronts a than 50 feet to 59 30 a than 50 feet of front flot width, the maxin	feet of frontage: age: total side yar	total side yards: 37% ds: 37% of total lot	of total lot width, width: 5 feet minim	minimum: S feet um				Lott with less than 40 feet of width: 5 feet minimum, 12 feet with driveway on side. Lott with width: 40 feet or greater: 8 feet or 40 12 feet with driveway	Multi-Family / Townhouse / Garden Apartment Buildings: 5 feet each 20 feet overall All other uses:10° each
Maximum height	area; maxim Any third flo	um height 30' above I	BFE+4 or FF if par	king below is provi	ded	of floor habitable floor	2 habitable floors, 2 stories total, lowest structural member is at elevation 12'	2.5 habitable floor maximum height: floor elevation or: Any third floor liv the ceiling height: feet shall be less ti	28' above the first BFE+4. ing space where is in excess of 5	2 habitable floors over parking or 2 h habitable floors without parking and 30 feet	Multi-Family / Townhouse / Garden Apartment Buildings: 2 habitable floors over parking or 2% habitable floors without parking

17E Attachment 4:1

12-11-2019

		(NAVD) -3' in Zone AE (El 9) and elevation 13' (NAVD) - 3' in Zone AE (El 10). Height to measured from BFE-4. Hubitable attice, as per NIUCC 2006. International Residential Code, NI Edition, thall not be permitted	floor area of the floor immediately below.	above lowest floor for lost floor for lost flest than 40 feet wide. For lost 40 feet wide or greater 2.5 took have been shown parking is permitted. 2.5 habitable floors, 2.5 stories total. Domest are permitted but are permitted but are floors, 2.5 stories total. Domest are permitted but and the floor area; maximum height 30° above BFE-4 or Ff if parking below is provided. Any that floor	and 30 feet above lowest floor or BFE-4. All other uses: Any third floor space where the ceiling height is in excess of 5° shall be less than 50% of the largest floor area numediately below and 30° feet above the lowest floor
				living space where the ceiling height is in excess of 5 feet shall be less than 50% of the floor area of the floor immediately	
Minimum roof	5 on 12 required for roofs above first floor level	N/A	5 on 12 required for roofs above first	floor level	
pitch		100KGY	The second secon	1001	Multi-Family / Townhouse
Maximum density	N/A			19.8 du/ac	Muin-Family / Townhouse / Garden Apartment Buildings: 19.8 du/ac All other uses: N/A
Maximum FAR	N/A			1.0	Multi-Family / Townhouse / Garden Apartment Buildings: 1.0 All other uses: N/A
Landscaping		-			
Front yard landscape requirements	No less than 60% of the floor yard extending to the side property lines shall be landscaped with grass or other veget and any other nonvegetating the state of the property of the floor access statis necessary than 50% of the floor yard. Until such a time as this chapter is amended to conform with final FIEM mapping and the state of the floor yard. Until such a time as this chapter is amended to conform with final FIEM mapping and the state of the floor yard.	y to conform with le	west floor elevation requirement. In no termination of "the extent required" sha	case, however, shall ll be made by the Pla	I such percentage be lower nning Board
Minimum total landscaping coverage****	No less than 35% any residential lot shall be covered by grass or other vegetative ground cover, sharbs and teas.  Such 35% landscaping minimum may be reduced to the extend required to accommodate front access others.	reas under building juirements	projections, and cantilevers, except 100	f overhangs, shall no	t be counted toward meeting

than 30% of the lot. Until such a time as this chapter is amended to conform with final FIRM mapping and related regulations, determination of "the extent required" shall be mad	e by the Planning Bo	ard. Areas under					
projections permitted by § 175-30C(4) and (6) shall not be counted toward meeting the landscape requirements.							

NOTES

A motion to introduce Ordinance #14-2019 was put forth by Commissioner Amodeo, seconded by Mayor Becker, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **ORDINANCE #14-2019**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING, CHAPTER 175 - LAND USE, Article V, Zoning, **Supplementary Regulations** 

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of Margate, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1. § 175-30 Supplementary regulations.

- Driveways. [Added 9-24-2006 by Ord. No. 2006-26; amended 10-4-2018 by Ord. No. 24-2018]
- (1) On corner lots: Driveways shall be required to be located on north-south streets (i.e., generally parallel to Jerome Avenue) and a minimum of 10 feet from the corner and one foot from any side lot line.

Add the following exceptions to requiring driveways to be located on North-South Streets:

Exceptions to driveways being on north-south streets:

**Burk Avenue** Marshall Avenue Lagoon Drive at Jerome Avenue Harbor Lane Wellington Avenue Amherst Avenue from North Argyle

Avenue to Fredericksburg Avenue

Oak Grove Avenue **Dolphin Drive** Salem Road

Fremont Avenue from North Exeter

Avenue to Fredericksburg Avenue Fremont Avenue from North Wilson

Avenue to North Thurlow Avenue

Fremont Avenue from North

Rumson Avenue to North Pembroke Avenue
Fulton Avenue from North Union Avenue to North Thurlow Avenue
Fulton Avenue from North Rumson
Avenue to North Pembroke Avenue
All Streets that are 1 block or less in
length (i.e. Brunswick Drive, Colmar Circle)

#### The following remains:

- (2) Other than corner lots: Driveways shall be set back a minimum of one foot from the property line.
  - (3) On lots with alternate access (rear access): Driveways shall be located on the rear access only.

#### **SECTION 2:**

#### Add the following:

"...and limited to one per lot"

(4) Single residential driveways shall be a maximum of 10 feet wide and limited to one per lot.

#### Add the following:

Change 20 feet to 18 feet [wide]

"...and must be continuous with no gaps"

- (5) Double residential driveways shall be a maximum of 20-18 feet wide and must be continuous with no gaps.
- SECTION 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with any terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**SECTION 4:** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage and publication as required by law.

#### **ORDINANCES: Public/Adoption**

A motion to adopt Ordinance #11-2019 was put forth by Mayor Becker, seconded by Commissioner Amodeo, with a vote of two ayes.

#### **ORDINANCE #11-2019**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 257, VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MARGATE CITY, COUNTY OF ATLANTIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Commissioners of the City of Margate City, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Margate City Code **Chapter 257-15** shall be amended to **add** the following locations for handicapped parking within the City of Margate City:

257-15 Handicapped Parking on Street

Name of Street

Side

Location

24 North Frontenac Ave

West

From a point 260 feet south of the

Southeasterly curbline of Winchester Avenue

to a point 22 feet South thereof

226 North Delavan Ave

West

From a point 29 feet south of the Southeast curbline of Amherst Avenue to a point 22 feet

South thereof

**SECTION 2.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with any terms of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage and publication as required by law.

#### **RESOLUTIONS:**

#### RESOLUTION #271-2019 MARGATE CITY BILL LIST / PAYROLL DECEMBER 19, 2019

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, are in receipt of the semimonthly claims submitted by the Chief Financial Officer for payment:

**BILLS LIST AMOUNT:** 

\$1,617,744.59

PAYROLL ACCOUNT: December 19, 2019

**CURRENT ACCOUNT** 

\$ 448,340.71

WATER & SEWER

\$ 46774.56

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Commissioners does hereby approve the Margate City Bill List / Payroll, and that all claims and bills attached here to be paid in full.

#### **ROLL CALL:**

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

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			NJ DIV OF PENSION & BENEFITS	2019 Employee health benefits	Open	219,641.62	0.00	
			Horizon Healthcare	2019 FSA admin fees	Open	25.00	0.00	The state of the s
19-00022	01/10/19		Vital Communications, INC No: C1900001	Assessment Service & MOD IV	Open	1,450.00	0.00	C
9-00027	01/01/19		Cioeta Consulting, LLC No: C1900006	HR Consulting Services	0pen	2,940.00	0.00	C
9-00028	01/01/19	ROVILLAR	HANK ROVILLARD, ESQ., LLC No: C1900007	Tax attorney- tax appeals	Open	1,822.50	0.00	C
9-00029	01/01/19	JPM	JERSEY PROFESSIONAL MANAGEMENT No: C1900008	Acting administrator	Open	4,510.00	0.00	C
9-00035	01/01/19	VIDEO	Annual State of the Control of the C	Clean & televise sewer systems	Open	5,750.00	0.00	C
.9-00036	01/01/19	ANGERMAN	Michael Angerman Landscaping No: C1900013	Landscape maintenance	Open	10,027.91	0.00	C
.9-00039	01/01/19	BARKER	Barker, Gelfand, No: C1900016	HR service- employment law	Open	375.00	0.00	C
9-00040	01/01/19	RUTALA		2019 Planning & grant consult.	0pen	3,620.00	0.00	C
9-00046	01/01/19		CASA PAYROLL SERVICE	2019 Payroll service	Open	1,051.05	0.00	В
	01/01/19		CASA REPORTING SERVICES	2019 ACA reporting service	Open	263-25	0.00	В
	01/11/19		Sam's Club	Supplies	Open	440.82	0.00	
	01/11/19		Frye's Auto Repair	Auto Repairs/Supplies	Open	1,168,84	0.00	
			Staples Business Credit	Officer Supplies	Open	183.02	0.00	
			ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC	Monthly Charge/General Account		8,391.43	0.00	
			ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC	Monthly Charge/ W/S Accounts	Open	9,550.23	0.00	
			ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC	Monthly Charge/ St.Lt. Account	Open	666.14	0.00	
9-00103	01/15/19	ACELECTR	ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC	Monthly Charge/ Temp. Account	Open	281.86	0.00	
9-00107	01/15/19	ACPRESS	PRESS OF ATLANTIC CITY	City Clerk Legal Ads	Open	932.25	0.00	
9-00109	01/15/19	SIGASCOM	SOUTH JERSEY GAS COMPANY	2019 monthly Gas charges	Open	6,043.27	0.00	
9-00112	01/15/19	CONSTELL	Constellation New Energy, Inc.	2019 monthly electric charges	Open	4,847.13	0.00	
9-00113	01/15/19	3 CINCOT	Joseph Cincotta	2019 LG Pension	0pen	535.76	0.00	
9~00114	01/15/19	<b>JGALLAGH</b>	JAMES GALLAGHER	2019 LG Pension	0pen	247.15	0.00	
9-00115	01/15/19	JOHN SLA	John Slattery, III	2019 LG Pension	0pen	157.72	0.00	
	01/15/19		GEORGE KING	2019 LG Pension	0pen	384.13	0.00	
			Michael Baylinson	2019 LG Pension	Open	532.64	0.00	
			RICHARD H. KUGEL	2019 LG Pension	Open	1,959.75	0.00	
			CARL SMALLWOOD	2019 LG Pension	0pen	536.62	0.00	
			Fastenal Company	MATERIALS & SUPPLIES	Open	312.03	0.00	
			Colonial Electrical Supply Inc		Open	509.70	0.00	
			LISA MCLAUGHLIN	2019 expense reimbursements	Open	110.89	0.00	
			W.B. MASON CO., INC.	MATERIAL & SUPPLIES	Open	53.64-		
			Mary Ann Cairo	Yoga Instructor	Open	300.00	0.00	
			Deborah Havrilchak	Sound Recorder	Open	100.00	0.00	
			PEDRONI FUEL COMPANY	FUEL CONTRACT 2019	Open Open	5,409.65 125.12	0.00	
			One Call Concepts, Inc.	2019 MARKOUTS	Open Open	8.40	0.00	
	02/05/19			Dog License Report	Open Open	62,420.65	0.00	
	02/06/19		ATLANTIC COUNTY UTILITIES AUTH	Tshirts and Uniforms	Open	1,130,45	0.00	
	02/06/19		Lucky Dog Custom Apparel OLD CAPE, INC.	CONRETE/ASPHALT W&S	Open Open	498.90	0.00	

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19-00291	02/08/19	EAST AUT	Eastern Autopart Warehouse Inc	PARTS FOR VEHICLES	Open	379.87		0.00		
19-00323	01/01/19	MANOS	Manos Law Firm, LLC.	Planning Bd solicitor	Open	2,400.00		0.00	B	
19-00446	03/06/19	PARTAC	PARTAC PEAT CORPORATION	Infield Mix for Ballfields	Open	1,583.60		0.00		
19-00500	03/01/19		UGI Energy Services, LLC	Natural Gas commodity	Open	3,513.90		0.00		
	05/22/19		LEONA THOMAS	retirement payment- health	Open	1,000.00		0.00	B	
			Roger D. McLarnon	Reimbursement	Open	46.79		0.00		
			MARGATE CITY BD OF EDUCATION	School Taxes 2nd half 2019	0pen	874,839.80		0.00		
			Allegra Marketing Print & Mail		Open	159.04		0.00		
			1st Choice Safety Equip LLC	2019 Turnout Gear Order	Open	18,069.00		0.00		
			Eagle Point Gun TJ Morris Son		Open	338.00		0.00		
			CHAPMAN FORD SALES, INC.	Vehicle Maintenance	Open	914.15		0.00		
			Core & Main LP	2 2" Water METER	Open	2,880.58		0.00		
			Contractor Service	Genie single man lift	Open	8,538.00		0.00		
			MICHAEL CINCOTTA	2019 Lifeguard Pension	Open	765.86		0.00		
	4		Kelle Amodeo	Reimbursment for Coffee/water	Open	43.54		0.00		
	10/03/19		N.J. ASSOC. FLOODPLAIN MGT. Winsupply Absecon NJ Co.	NJAFM Conference Registration 2 Bay SS sink with hardware UA	Open	1,150.00 1,836.67		0.00		
	10/04/19		Cleans Garage, Inc.	M36 - TRASH TRUCK	Open	781.06		0.00		
			Suasion Communications Group	Social media & City website	Open	3,000.00		0.00		
	10/17/19		Alpha Youth Sports, Inc.	Coaching Clinics	Open	750.00		0.00		
			ACTION UNIFORM CO. LLC	Clothing for Supervisors	Open	1,224.00		0.00		
	10/25/19		MRC, Inc.	Granville playground equipment		107,002.71		0.00		
	10/30/19		CM3 BUILDING SOLUTIONS, INC.	Municipal Building Boilers	Open	15.078.00		0.00		
			Core & Main LP	1" water meters	Open	19,300.00		0.00		
	177		JERSEY CAPE	2020 Beach Tags	Open	7,536.38		0.00		
	and the second second second		W.B. MASON CO., INC.	janitorial supplies	Open	1,091.87		0.00		
		TRIDENTP	TRIDENT PILING CO, LLC No: U1380000	Amherst Ave bulkhead replaceme		44,100.00		0.00	C	
19-01611	11/06/19	MGLFORMS	MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	1099 FORMS AND ENVELOPES	Open	164.00		0.00		
19-01612	09/19/19		William McLees ArchitectureLLC No: C1900028	Engineer- Muni Bldg Corridor	Open	5,321.55		0.00	C	
19-01632	11/12/19	WB MASON	W.B. MASON CO., INC.	sweetener for Muni Bldg	Open	25.99		0.00		
19-01633	11/12/19	FACTO005	Factory Direct Bedding	Furniture for Station 1 and 2	Open	2,920.00		0.00		
			H.A. DeHart & Son, Inc.	Repairs to dump body	Open	3,666.42		0.00		
19-01658	11/14/19	STAPLCRE	Staples Business Credit	Staples Deanna	Open	610.59		0.00		
19-01659	11/14/19	UNIV COM	UNIVERSAL COMPUTING	Deanna	Open	558.60		0.00		
			JP Masonry & Stucco, LLC	Pavers for Lucy-	Open	22,500.00		0.00		
			FORTUNE GYPSUM PRODUCTS	Ceiling Tiles for Union Ave	Open	1,595.00		0.00		
			SOMERS POINT LUMBER, INC.	Materials for Huntington Deck	Open	1,257.52		0.00		
	11/19/19		Cleggs Garage, Inc.	parts for M-36 repairs	Open	576.14		0.00		
	11/22/19		Cape Atlantic Basketball Leagu		Open	1,800.00		0.00		
	11/22/19		Tracey Blake	Gymnastics Classes	Open	504.00		0.00		
			TRIDENT MARINE COMPANY	refund bulkhead escrow B062	Open	906.03		0.00		
19-01/01	11/25/19	/20SH005	720 Shore LLC	refund bulkhead escrow BO63	Open	1,715.00		0.00		
			AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATI		Open	490.00		0.00		
			South Jersey Gas Company	close escow- gas line project	Open	31,681.16		0.00		
			Margaret P. Juliano-Thompson Victoria Dolceamore	After School Classes Piano Lessons	Open Open	175.00 200.00		0.00		
				2020 Subscription Renewal	Open	100.00		0.00		
			NJ DEPT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS South Jersey Lady Starz LLC	Fall Basketball Clinics	Open	1,460.00		0.00		
			GENTILINI FORD, INC.	Repairs for M8	Open	430.99		0.00		
			Winsupply Absecon NJ Co.	Mop Sink for 9001	Open	535.37		0.00		
			Stephen Jasiecki	registration-land use	Open	327.00		0.00		
			HUNTER JERSEY PETERBILT	Peterbuilt M-9 parts	Open	606.42		0.00		
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19-01724	12/03/19	TKLW	TK's Logowear	Basketball Uniforms	Open	1,921.00	0.00	
19-01725	12/03/19	<b>GFOA</b>	GFOA of NJ	2020 membership dues-CFO	Open -	90.00	0.00	
	12/04/19		LORCO PETROLEUM SERVICES	Oil filter removal	Open	99.00	0.00	
19-01729	12/04/19	WINSUPPL	Winsupply Absecon NJ Co.	plumbing materials for UA	Open	106.32	0.00	
19-01730	12/04/19	DECATURC	Decatur Crt. Twnhs. Condo Asso	refund XC water-bill error	0pen	226.80	0.00	
19-01731	12/04/19	JUDITHGR	Judith Greenberg	Refund XC water-bill error	Open	393.60	0.00	
19-01732	12/04/19	M JEWITT	Margaret Jewitt	Exercise Class	0pen	200.00	0.00	
19-01733	12/04/19	G MEDOFF	Geraldine D. Medoff	Exercise Classes	0pen	400.00	0.00	
19-01734	12/04/19	VENTURA	VENTURA'S GREENHOUSE	Holiday Lunch	Open .	225.00	0.00	
19-01735	12/04/19	KEN BASC	KEN BASCHE	Computer Classes	0pen	60.00	0.00	
19-01736	12/04/19	SNAPOLOG	Snapology of Atlantic County	After School STEM Classes	Open .	270.00	0.00	
19-01737	12/04/19	MEREDITH	Meredith Punthrangkul	AfterSchool Art Classes	Open	160.00	0.00	
19-01739	12/04/19	WILLIER	WILLIER ELEC MOTOR REPAIR CO.	Gladstone new motor	0pen	2,022.00	0.00	
19-01740	12/04/19	WEINSTEI	WEINSTEIN PLUMBING SUPPLY	Service parts FD station 1	Open	20.75	0.00	
19-01741	12/04/19	GOLDEN	Golden Equipment Co., Inc.	Replacement parts for sweeper	Open	3,811.56	0.00	
	12/04/19		HUBER LOCKSMITHS, INC.	Replace locks in HR Dept.	Open	437.25	0.00	
	12/04/19		FORKED RIVER DIESEL & GENERATO		Open	2,715.00	0.00	
	12/04/19		Sam's Club	Supplies	Open	236.88	0.00	
	12/05/19		Ray Scott's Dock LLC	Shrink wrap 4 fountains	Open	2,800.00	0.00	
			SCHINDLER ELEVATOR CORPORATION		Open	2.987.28	0.00	
			A.E. STONE, INC.	Cold and Hot patch	Open	487.38	0.00	
			Val-U Auto LLC	Auto parts and stock	Open	150.09	0.00	
			Global Industrial Equipment	3 Rigid Tube cutters	Open	93.25	0.00	
			W.B. MASON CO., INC.	Office Supplies	Open .	86.65	0.00	
			James McClain, Jr.	Reimbursment for Water License	100	51.50	0.00	
			Garden State Laboratories, Inc		Open	195.00	0.00	
			IRON MOUNTAIN	record storage - dec 2019	Open	482.18	0.00	
			Systems For You, Inc.	Renewal of Security Certificat		79.99	0.00	
			Broadview Networks	telephone service-nov 2019	Open	3,975.60	0.00	
	12/06/19		Erik's Painting, LLC.	Municipal Building Project	Open	3,000.00	0.00	
			Zachary R Verna	Reimbursement for postage	Open	25.45	0.00	
			W.B. MASON CO., INC.	janitiorial supplies	Open	593.03	0.00	
	12/10/19		ATLANTIC COUNTY UTILITIES AUTH			180.00	0.00	
					Open	493.79	0.00	
	and the second second second second		Global Industrial Equipment	Tools for W/S	Open	2,977.90	0.00	
			Frank E. Olivieri	Reimbursement Tax/Overpayment	Open Open	107.61	0.00	
19-01/00	12/11/19	ALLEGUUS	Allegra Marketing Print & Mail	Mercantile Literises - 2020	Open Open		0.00	
			Colonial Electrical Supply Inc		Open	1,276.69		
			Verizon Wireless	cellular service - nov 2019	Open	676.44	0.00	
			Robert Fishbein	Basketball Referee	Open Open	45.00	0.00	
			Joe Fussner	Basketball Referee	Open Open	120.00		
			Roger Hoover	Men's League Referee	Open	120.00	0.00	
	The state of the s		Stephen Selby	Men's League Referee	Open	240.00	0.00	
	12/11/19		Douglas Hiltner	Men's League Referee	Open Open	330.00	0.00	
			James Barkalow III	Men's League Referee	Open	120.00	0.00	
			CHRIS KANE	Basketball Referee	Open	420.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Dan McGinnis	Men's League Referee	Open	120.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Rich Saccoccia	Men's League Referee	Open Open	200.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Gene Montecalvo	Men's League Referee	Open	120.00	0.00	
			Amanda Lynn Feldman	Men's League Referee	Open	200.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Ron Bokunewicz	Men's League Referee	Open	120.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Patrick Killian	Men's League Referee	Open	240.00	0.00	
			Mark Parson	Basketball Referee	Open	200.00	0.00	
	12/12/19		Michael Strickland	Men's League Referee	0pen	50.00	0.00	
19-01791	12/12/19	<b>VERIZONI</b>	Verizon Wireless	air cards for police-nov 2019	Open	220.24	0.00	

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19-01792	12/12/19	MOSSMANS	MOSSMANS BUSINESS MACHINE INC	copier contr-court violations	0pen	466.43	0.00	
19-01793	12/12/19	ATLANTIC	ATLANTIC COAST ALARM, INC.	Service Call - Police Dept	Open	119.00	0.00	
19-01795	11/30/19	SJWELDIN	SOUTH JERSEY WELDING SUPPLY CO	Fire Dept. 02 Rental 11/2019	Open	34.20	0.00	
19-01796	09/24/19	SJOVERHE	SOUTH JERSEY OVERHEAD DOOR	Repairs to Rear Garage Door	Open	263.50	0.00	
19-01797	12/09/19	WILLIAMS	WILLIAMS SCOTSMAN, INC.	Sta. 2 Trailer Rental 11/2019	Open	286.13	0.00	
19-01798	11/12/19	WITMER	Witmer Public Safety Group, In	Fire Department Equipment	Open	567.00	0.00	
			V.E. RALPH & SON, INC.	EMS Supplies and Equipment	Open	1,047.00	0.00	
			V.E. RALPH & SON, INC.	EMS Supplies and Equipment	Open	349.00	0.00	
19-01801	12/13/19	KELLI ]	Kelli A. Johnson	Rec Basketball Referee	Open	80.00	0.00	
19-01803	12/13/19	COMCAST	COMCAST	INTERNET ACCESS-DEC 2019	Open	1,894.19	0.00	
19-01805	12/13/19	CITYCUR	CITY OF MARGATE CURRENT ACCT	sick payoutp- vtax collector	Open	16,000.00	0.00	
19-01807	12/16/19	VERIZO10	Verizon Connect NWF, Inc.	PW vehicle GPS- nov 2019	Open	399.00	0.00	
19-01809	12/16/19	PITNEY	PITNEY BOWES GLOBAL	postage machine lease-4th gt	Open	903.33	0.00	
19-01815	12/17/19	INTERO10	Internal Revenue Service	Levy for Hot Bagels	Open	478.74	0.00	
	12/17/19		IAAO	2020 membership dues	Open	220.00	0.00	

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Totals by Year-Fund Fund Description	Fund	Budget Total	Revenue Total	G/L Total	Total
APPROPRIATIONS	9-01	1,275,853.31	0.00	0.00	1,275,853.31
Yea	9-05 r Total:	29,392.84 1,305,246.15	0.00	0.00	29,392.84 1,305,246.15
	C-04	223,703.45	0.00	0.00	223,703.45
	G-01	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00
	T-09	22,180.58	0.00	0.00	22,180.58
	T-12	8.40	0.00	0.00	8.40
Yea	T-14 r Total:	63,606.01 85,794.99	0.00	0.00	63,606.01 85,794.99
Total Of Al	1 Funds:	1,617,744.59	0.00	0.00	1,617,744.59

## RESOLUTION #272-2019 AUTHORIZING THE CANCELATION OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS OF THE WATER AND SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

**WHEREAS**, certain Water and Sewer Utility Capital Improvement Authorizations and Appropriation balances remain dedicated to certain projects; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City to cancel said unexpended balances.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey that the following improvement authorization balances be canceled and the unexpended monies be allocated as follows:

ORDINANC E#	PURPOSE	CANCELE D	AUTHORIZED & UNCOMPLETE
2016-06	2015/2016 Road Program & Storm Drainage; 2015 State Aid; Ventnor Gardens Pump Station; Hydrants	\$92,510.56	\$92,510.56
TOTALS		\$92,510.56	\$92,510.56

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

1. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer

#### **ROLL CALL:**

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### R E S O L U T I O N #273-2019 AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO CANCEL GRANT APPROPRIATION RESERVES AGAINST GRANTS RECEIVABLE, SURPLUS AND SUCH OTHER ACCOUNTS AS APPROPRIATE

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has informed the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey of the need to cancel grant appropriations and grants receivable prior to year end; and

WHEREAS, the following grants are complete and the appropriation balances no longer needed to be maintained on the books and records of the City of Margate City; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer recommends that the following adjustments to the books and records of the City be made.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, that the adjustments, appearing below, being a permanent part hereto, are hereby made.

#### CANCELING GRANTS

NAME OF GRANT	APPROPRIATION	RECEIVABLE	CANCEL TO OPERATIONS
2018 Municipal Alliance- Local Portion	\$142.50		\$142.50
2018 Municipal Alliance County Portion	\$7,337.28	\$7,337.28	

TOTAL <u>\$7,479.78</u> <u>\$7,337.28</u> <u>\$142.50</u>

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the following:

1. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer

#### ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

#### R E S O L U T I O N # 274-2019 AUTHORIZING A TRANSFER OF BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS

Whereas, the City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey fiscal year 2019 there exists a need to transfer excess funds from certain budgetary appropriations to appropriations with inadequate funds and,

Whereas, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-58 permits certain transfers of funds when necessary during the last two months of the fiscal year; and

Whereas, the amount to be transferred is \$38,900.00 as evidenced by the following list of appropriation transfers as prepared by the Chief Financial Officer:

	FROM		ТО			
			Budget			
Budget Account	Account Number	Amount	Account	Account Number	Amount	
Municipal Court -			Municipal			
Education	9-01-43-490-208	1,000.00	Court- S&W	9-01-43-490-101	1,000.00	
Municipal Court -			Municipal			
Materials & Supplies	9-01-43-490-213	2,400.00	Court- S&W	9-01-43-490-101	2,400.00	
Pavilion - Furniture	9-01-28-377-367	3,800.00	Pavilion S&W	9-01-28-377-101	3,800.00	
Pavilion - Summer						
Programs	9-01-28-377-233	800.00	Pavilion S&W	9-01-28-377-101	800.00	
Directors Office			Tax Collector			
Finance S&W	9-01-20-130-101	7,300.00	S&W	9-01-20-145-101	7,300.00	
Directors Office			Financial			
Finance S&W	9-01-20-130-101	600.00	Admin S&W	9-01-20-135-101	600.00	
Gasoline	9-01-31-460-201	10,000.00	Electric	9-01-31-430-201	10,000.00	
					10.000.00	
Gasoline	9-01-31-460-201	10,000.00	Natural Gas	9-01-31-446-201	10,000.00	
			Planning			
			Board -		200.00	
Contingent	9-01-32-315-201	300.00	Solicitor	9-01-21-180-254	300.00	
Technology -			Technology			
Computer Supplies	9-01-20-140-253	2,700.00	S&W	9-01-20-140-101	2,700.00	
		\$ 38,900.00			\$38,900.00	

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the following:

1. Lisa McLaughlin, CFO

#### ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker	X		X			
Amodeo		X	X			
Blumberg						X

# RESOLUTION #275-2019 CONFIRMING COMPLETION OF CONDITIONS FOR THE VACATION OF A PORTION OF AMHERST AVENUE PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE NO. 25-2018 AND EXECUTION OF DEED OF CONVEYANCE FOR THE VACATED PORTION OF AMHERST AVENUE

**WHEREAS**, by Ordinance No. 25-2018 the Governing Body of the City of Margate City (hereinafter "City) authorized the vacation of a portion of Amherst Avenue measuring 231' in length by 30' in width being contiguous to property owned by 9707 Amherst Marina, LLC, (hereinafter "Marina") said lands being more fully described in said Ordinance 25-2018; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance provided for a vacation of a portion of Amherst Avenue, conditioned upon the contiguous property owner being 9707 Amherst Marina, LLC, completing various capital improvements including construction of 588 linear feet of bulkhead and a designation of 24 public parking spaces all pursuant to an Agreement by and between the City and Marina dated December 5, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the City has been advised by the City Engineer that the capital improvements have been completed to the satisfaction of the City and as such the City may implement and finalize the vacation of that portion of Amherst Avenue currently leased by Marina; and

WHEREAS, the City, so as to implement and otherwise comply with the conditions of Ordinance No. 25-2018 and the Agreement between the parties to vacate a portion of Amherst Avenue and to vest title in Marina and all of its subsequent successors in interest, shall execute and deliver a Bargain and Sale Deed with Covenants as to Grantor's Acts.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF MARGATE CITY, ATLANTIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY, that it does hereby determine that all conditions of Ordinance No. 25-2018 and as detailed in a certain Agreement referenced herein dated December 5, 2018 have been satisfied and as such the vacation of a portion of Amherst Avenue is hereby authorized and the Mayor of the City of Margate City is hereby directed to execute a deed of conveyance as provided herein so as to confirm and otherwise vest title to the aforesaid vacated parcel into Marina. ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### **RESOLUTION #276-2019**

## AUTHORIZING ADOPTING TECHNOLOGY RISK MANAGEMENT STANDARDS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE NEW JERSEY MUNICIPAL EXCESS LIABILITY JOINT INSURANCE FUND'S CYBER RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN'S TIER ONE REQUIREMENTS

WHEREAS, the City of Margate is a member of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (ACMJIF) which secures insurance protection through the New Jersey Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund (NJ MEL); and

WHEREAS, through its membership in the ACMJIF, the City of Margate enjoys cyber liability insurance coverage to protect the City of Margate from the potential devastating costs associated with a cyber related claim; and

WHEREAS, in an attempt to prevent as many cyber related claims as possible, the NJ MEL developed and released to its members the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan outlines a set of best practices and standards broken out into Tier 1 & Tier 2 standards that if adopted and followed will reduce many of the risks associated with the use of technology by the City of Margate; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the reduction of potential claims, implementing the following best practices and standards will enable the City of Margate to claim a reimbursement of a paid insurance deductible in the event the member files a claim against the City of Margate's cyber insurance policy, administered through ACMJIF and the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund:

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Margate, County of Atlantic, State of new Jersey does hereby adopt the following best practices and standards, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, in accordance with Tier 1 of the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan;

- System and data back-up
- Security and system patching
- Defensive software
- Security Awareness Training
- Incident Response Plan

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution along with all required checklists and correspondence be provided to the NJ MEL Underwriter for their consideration and approval.

#### Roll Call

NAME	MOTION	SECOND	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### **RESOLUTION #277-2019**

## AUTHORIZING ADOPTING TECHNOLOGY RISK MANAGEMENT STANDARDS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE NEW JERSEY MUNICIPAL EXCESS LIABILITY JOINT INSURANCE FUND'S CYBER RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN'S TIER TWO REQUIREMENTS

WHEREAS, the City of Margate is a member of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (ACMJIF) which secures insurance protection through the New Jersey Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund (NJ MEL); and

WHEREAS, through its membership in the ACMJIF, the City of Margate enjoys cyber liability insurance coverage to protect the City of Margate from the potential devastating costs associated with a cyber related claim; and

WHEREAS, in an attempt to prevent as many cyber related claims as possible, the NJ MEL developed and released to its members the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan outlines a set of best practices and standards broken out into Tier 1 & Tier 2 standards that if adopted and followed will reduce many of the risks associated with the use of technology by the City of Margate; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the reduction of potential claims, implementing the following best practices and standards will enable the City of Margate to claim a reimbursement of a paid insurance deductible in the event the member files a claim against the City of Margate's cyber insurance policy, administered through ACMJIF and the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund;

**NOW THEREFORE BE RESOLVED** that the City of Margate does hereby adopt the following best practices and standards, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, in accordance with Tier 2 of the NJ MEL Cyber Risk Management Plan;

- Server Security
- Limiting Access Privileges
- Acceptable Use of Internet and Email
- Protection of Data
- Passwords Policy
- Appropriate level of Technology Support
- Leadership has Expertise to Support Technology Decision Making

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution along with all required checklists and correspondence be provided to the NJ MEL Underwriter for their consideration and approval.

#### Roll Call

NAME	MOTION	SECOND	YES		NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Becker		X		X			
Amodeo	X			X			
Blumber							X

#### **RESOLUTION # 278-2019**

### AUTHORIZING AMENDING EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK/POLICY & PROCEDURE MANUAL TO REVISE SEVERAL POLICIES

**WHEREAS**, The City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey has an Employee Handbook/Policy & Procedure Manual; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners has determined that there is a need to amend such manual to revise a number of policies in accordance with the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (ACMJIF) and the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund (MEL), 2019-2020 Plan of Risk Management; and

WHEREAS, the revised policies are as follows:

Policy No.	<u>Title</u>
106	Drug & Alcohol Policy
309	Domestic Violence Policy

402 Overtime Compensation Policy

WHEREAS, these personnel policies and procedures have been reviewed by Labor Attorney Vanessa James, Esquire, and Business Administrator Richard Deaney;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City that the listed policies attached hereto are hereby adopted and will be issued to employees via Power DMS; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that these personnel policies and procedures shall apply to all City officials, appointees, employees, volunteers and independent contractors. In the event that there is a conflict between these rules and any collective bargaining agreement, personnel services contract, or Federal or State law, the terms and conditions of that contract or law shall prevail. In all other cases, these policies and procedures shall prevail.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that these personnel policies and procedures are intended to provide guidelines covering public service by City employees and do not represent a contract. These policies and procedures may be amended and supplemented from time to time without notice and at the sole discretion of the Board of Commissioners.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that to the maximum extent permitted by law, employment practices for the City shall operate under the legal doctrine known as "employment at will."

ROLL CALL:								
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Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### CITY OF MARGATE

Employee Handbook/Policy and Procedure Manual

SECTION 1: Policies Relating to Employee Rights & Obligations

POLICY NO.: 106 # OF PAGES: 2

SUBJECT: DRUG & ALCOHOL POLICY

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020 REVIEW DATE: December 19, 2019

REPLACES POLICY DATED: 2018

The City of Margate recognizes that the possession or use of unlawful drugs and the abuse of alcohol pose a threat to the health and safety of all employees. Any employee who is observed by a supervisor or Department Head to be intoxicated or under the influence of alcohol or drugs during working hours or is under reasonable suspicion of same shall be immediately tested and is subject to discipline up to and including termination. The Supervisor or Department Head will immediately report any reasonable suspicion to the Personnel Officer.

An employee will be required to submit to alcohol, drug or controlled substance testing when the employee's work performance causes a reasonable suspicion that the employee is impaired due to current intoxication, drug or controlled substance use; or in cases where employment has been conditioned upon remaining alcohol, drug, or controlled dangerous substance free following treatment.

Refusal to submit to testing when requested may result in immediate disciplinary action, including termination. Supervisors or Department Heads who observe behavior constituting reasonable suspicion are required to institute testing and do not have the option of sending the employee home as an alternative. A City Supervisor will drive the employee home after testing and will arrange to have someone drive the employee's vehicle to their home. Under no circumstances is the employee permitted to drive home in the impaired state. The employee is not permitted to return to work until the test results are received by the Personnel Officer. If the test results are positive, the City will contact the Employee Assistance Program Provider to arrange for the employee to have an evaluation as to whether the employee needs to be treated for alcohol or drug abuse. If that is the case, the employee must abide by the EAP's rules and instructions and may not return to work until the City receives a release from the EAP counselor handling the case.

The manufacturing, distribution, dispensation, possession, and use of alcohol or unlawful drugs on City premises or during work hours by employees is strictly prohibited. Any employee who is charged with drug possession and/or drug possession with intent to sell will receive a Preliminary Notice of Disciplinary Action (dpf 31-A) for a suspension without pay pending outcome of criminal charges. Prior to return-to-work, the employee must have an evaluation as to whether the employee needs to be treated for alcohol or drug abuse. If that is the case, the employee must abide by the EAP's rules and instructions and may not return to work until the City receives a release from the EAP counselor handling the case.

Employees must notify their Supervisor within five (5) days of conviction for a drug or alcohol related violation, whether or not the violation occurred in the workplace.

Employees who are required to maintain a Commercial Driver's License (CDL) are subject to random alcohol and controlled substance testing as required by the Federal Law. All of this is detailed in the City's CDL Drug and Alcohol Policy No. 121.

Employees using prescription drugs that may affect job performance or safety must notify the Personnel Officer or their Department Head, who is required to maintain the confidentiality of any information regarding an employee's medical condition in accordance with the Health Insurance Portability and Protection Act (HIPPA). A program to assist employees who may have a drug/alcohol problem is provided through the City's Employee Assistance Program, which is outlined in City Policy No. 211.

Marijuana is one of the drugs tested for in a Drug Panel. CBD oil (cannabidol oil) MAY show up in a drug test. There is no way of truly knowing what is in the oil because CBD oil is being produced without any regulation. This results in products that vary widely in quality, and any positive test for marijuana will affect an employee's ability to work and/or operate City vehicles and equipment. Any positive marijuana test result is a positive drug test.

No prescription drug should be used by any person other than the individual to whom it is prescribed. Such substances or non-prescription (over-the-counter) drugs should be used only as prescribed or indicated. Employees are prohibited from consuming prescription drugs that are not prescribed in their name on City property or while performing City business. Soliciting or distributing prescription drugs for or to other employees is also strictly prohibited.

#### CITY OF MARGATE

Employee Handbook/Policy and Procedure Manual

SECTION 3: Paid and Unpaid Time Off Policies

POLICY NO.: 309 # OF PAGES: 20

SUBJECT: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE POLICY

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020 REVIEW DATE: December 19, 2019

REPLACES POLICY DATED: June 2019

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the State of New Jersey Domestic Violence Policy for Public Employers (herein "policy") is to set forth a uniform domestic violence policy for all public employers to adopt in accordance with N.J.S.A. 11A:2-6a. The purpose of this policy is also to encourage employees who are victims of domestic violence, and those impacted by domestic violence, to seek assistance from their human resources officers and to provide a standard for human resources officers to follow when responding to employees.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

The following terms are defined solely for the purpose of this policy:

- 1. Domestic Violence or threatened acts that are used by a perpetrator to gain power and control over a current or former spouse, family member, household member, intimate partner, someone the perpetrator dated, or person with whom the perpetrator shares a child in common or anticipates having a child in common if one of the parties is pregnant. Domestic violence includes, but is not limited to the following: physical violence; injury; intimidation; sexual violence or abuse; emotional and/or psychological intimidation; verbal abuse; threats; harassment; cyber harassment; stalking; economic abuse or control; damaging property to intimidate or attempt to control the behavior of a person in a relationship with the perpetrator; strangulation; or abuse of animals or pets.
- Abuser/Perpetrator An individual who commits or threatens to commit an act of domestic violence, including unwarranted violence against individuals and animals. Other abusive behaviors and forms of violence can include the following: bullying, humiliating, isolating, intimidating, harassing, stalking, or threatening the victim, disturbing someone's peace, or destroying someone's property.
- Human Resources Officer (HRO) An employee of a public employer with a human resources
  job title, or its equivalent, who is responsible for orienting, training, counseling, and appraising
  staff. The City has designated the Business Administrator as this person, and the
  HR/Administrative Assistant as the secondary HRO.

- 4. Intimate Partner Partners of any sexual orientation or preference who have been legally married or formerly married to one another; have a child or children in common; or anticipate having a child in common if one party is pregnant. Intimate partner also includes those who live together or have lived together, as well as persons who are dating or have dated in the past.
- 5. Temporary Restraining Order (TRO) A civil court order issued by a judge to protect the life, health, or well-being of a victim. TRO's can prohibit domestic violence offenders from having contact with victims, either in person or through any means of communication, including third parties. TRO's also can prohibit offenders from a victim's home and workplace. A violation of a TRO may be a criminal offense. A TRO will last approximately 10 business days, or until a court holds a hearing to determine if a Final Restraining Order (FRO) is needed. In New Jersey, there is no expiration of an FRO.
- 6. Victim A person who is 18 years of age or older who is an emancipated minor and who has been subjected to domestic violence by a spouse, former spouse, or any other person who is a present household member or was at any time a household member. A victim of domestic violence is also any person, regardless of age, who has been subjected to domestic violence by one of the following actors: a person with whom the victim has a child in common; a person with whom the victim anticipates having a child in common, if one of the parties is pregnant; and a person with whom the victim has had a dating relationship.
- 7. Workplace-Related Incidents Incidents of domestic violence; sexual violence; dating violence, and stalking including acts, attempted acts, or threatened acts by or against employees, the families of employees and/or their property, that imperil the safety, well-being or productivity of any person associated with a public employee in the State of New Jersey, regardless of whether the act occurred in or outside the organization's physical workplace. An employee is considered to be in the workplace while in or using the resources of the employer. This includes, but is not limited to, facilities, work sites, equipment, vehicles, or while on work-related travel.

#### PERSONS COVERED BY THIS POLICY

All New Jersey public employees are covered under this policy. A State of New Jersey public employer is any state, county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision thereof, and any agency, authority or instrumentality of the foregoing. Casual/seasonal employees, interns, volunteers and temporary employees of any public employer at any workplace location are also covered under this policy.

#### RESPONSIBILITY OF EMPLOYERS TO DESIGNATE A HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER

All public employers shall designate a Human Resources Officer (hereinafter referred to an "HRO") to assist employees who are victims of domestic violence. The City has designed the Business Administrator.

The designated HRO must receive training on responding to and assisting employees who are domestic violence victims in accordance with this policy. Should the HRO be unavailable at any time, the employer must designate a secondary HRO who must also be appropriately trained to respond ad assist domestic violence victims pursuant to this policy. The City has designated the HR/Admin. Assistant as the secondary HRO.

Managers and Supervisors are often aware of circumstances involving an employee who is experiencing domestic violence. Managers and Supervisors are required to refer any employee who is experiencing domestic violence or who reports witnessing domestic violence to the designated HRO. Managers and Supervisors must

maintain confidentiality, to the extent possible and be sensitive, compassionate and respectful to the needs of persons who are victims of domestic violence The name and contact information of the designated HRO must be provided to all employees.

This policy does not supersede applicable laws, guidelines, standard operating procedures, internal affairs policies, or New Jersey Attorney General directives and guidelines that impose a duty to report. For example, if there is any indication a child may also be a victim, reporting is mandatory to the Department of Children and Families, Child Protection and Permanency, under N.J.S.A. 9:6-8.13.

#### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTING PROCEDURES

Employees who are victims of domestic violence are encouraged to seek immediate assistance from their HRO. Employees who have information about, or witness an act of domestic violence against an employee, are encouraged to report that information to the designated HRO, unless the employee is required to report the domestic violence pursuant to applicable laws, guidelines, standard operating procedures, internal affairs policies, or New Jersey Attorney General directives and guidelines that impose a duty to report, in which case the employee must so report to the appropriate authority in addition to reporting to the designated HRO. Nothing in this policy shall preclude an employee from contacting 911 in emergency situations. Indeed, HRO's shall remind employees to contact 911 if they feel they are in immediate danger.

#### Each designated HRO shall:

- Immediately respond to an employee upon request and provide a safe and confidential location to allow the employee to discuss the circumstances surrounding the domestic violence incident and the request for assistance.
- Determine whether there is an imminent and emergent need to contact 911 and/or local law enforcement.
- Provide the employee with resource information and a confidential phone line to make necessary calls
  for services for emergent intervention and supportive services, when appropriate. The HRO or the
  employee can contact the Employee Assistance Program (EAP), which is Associates for Life Enhancement
  to assist with securing resources and confidential services.
- Refer the employee to the provisions and protections of The New Jersey Security and Financial Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11C-1 et seq. (NJ SAFE Act), referenced under the section of this policy entitled: THE NEW JERSEY SECURITY AND FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT ACT (NJ SAFE Act).
- 5. In cases where domestic violence involved a sexual touching or sexual assault between City employees, the HRO is also required to report the incident to their agency's EEO Officer or Title IX Officer, as appropriate. If there is a report of sexual assault or abuse, the victim should be offered the services of the Sexual Assault Response Team.
- Maintain the confidentiality of the employee and all parties involved, to the extent practical and appropriate under the circumstances, pursuant to this policy. See the section entitled: CONFIDENTIALITY POLICY, on the following page.

7. Upon the employee's consent, the employee may provide the HRO with copies of any TRO's, FRO's and/or civil restraint agreements that pertain to restraints in the workplace and ensure that Margate Police personnel are aware of the names of individuals who are prohibited from appearing at the Library while the employee who sought the restraining order is present. All copies of TRO's and FRO's must be kept in a <u>separate confidential</u> Personnel File.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY POLICY

In responding to reports of domestic violence, the HRO shall seek to maintain confidentiality to protect an employee making a report of, witnessing, or experiencing domestic violence, to the extent practical and appropriate under the circumstances and allowed by law. Thus, the policy does not supersede applicable laws, guidelines, standard operating procedures, internal affairs policies, or New Jersey Attorney General directives and guidelines that impose a duty to report.

This confidentiality policy shall not prevent disclosure where to do so would result in physical harm to any person or jeopardize safety within the workplace. When information must be disclosed to protect the safety of individuals in the workplace, the HRO shall limit the breadth and content of such disclosure to information reasonably necessary to protect the safety of the disclosing employee and others and comply with the law. The HRO shall provide advance notice to the employee who disclosed information, to the extent possible, if the disclosure must be shared with other parties in order to maintain safety in the workplace or elsewhere. The HRO shall also provide the employee with the name and title of the person to whom they intend to provide the employee's statement and shall explain the necessity and purpose regarding the disclosure. For example, if the substance of the disclosure presents a threat to employees, then law enforcement will be alerted immediately.

This policy does not supersede applicable laws, guidelines, standard operating procedures, internal affairs policies, or New Jersey Attorney General directives and guidelines where mandatory reporting is required by the Appointing Authority or a specific class of employees.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY OF EMPLOYEE RECORDS

To ensure confidentiality and accuracy of information, this policy requires the HRO to keep all documents and reports of domestic violence in a confidential Personnel File <u>separate from</u> the employee's other personnel records. These records shall be considered personnel records and shall not be government records available for public access under the Open Public Records Act. See N.J.S.A. 47:1A-10.

#### THE NEW JERSEY SECURITY AND FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT ACT (NJ SAFE ACT)

The New Jersey Security and Financial Empowerment Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11C-1, et seq. (NJ SAFE ACT), is a law that provides employment protection for victims of domestic or sexual violence.

The NJ SAFE Act allows a maximum of 20 days of unpaid leave in one 12-month period, to be used within 12 months following any act of domestic or sexual violence. To be eligible, the employee must have worked at least 1,000 hours during the 12-month period immediately before the act of domestic or sexual violence. Further, the employee must have worked for an employer in the State that employs 25 or more employees for each working day during 20 or more calendar weeks in the current or immediately preceding calendar year. This leave can be taken intermittently in days, but not hours.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken by an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, as that term is defined in NJ.S.A. 2C:25-19 and N.J.S.A. 30:4-27.6, respectively. Leave may also be taken by an employee whose child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, civil union partner, or other relationships as defined in applicable statutes is a victim of domestic or sexual violence.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken for the purpose of engaging in any of the following activities, for themselves, or a child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, as they relate to an incident of domestic or sexual violence:

- 1. Seeking medical attention;
- 2. Obtaining services from a victim services organization;
- 3. Obtaining psychological or other counseling;
- Participating in safety planning, temporarily or permanently relocating, or taking other actions to increase safety:
- 5. Seeking legal assistance or remedies to ensure health and safety of the victim; or
- Attending, participating in, or preparing for a criminal or civil court proceeding relating to an incident of domestic or sexual violence.

Effective July 1, 2020, employees taking leave under the SAFE Act will be eligible for wage replacement benefits from the state, just like employees who take NJ FLA leave.

The New Jersey SAFE Act poster is provided in the Appendix to this policy.

#### PUBLIC EMPLOYER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ACTION PLAN

Public employers in the State of New Jersey shall develop an action plan to identify, respond to, and correct employee performance issues that are caused by domestic violence, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 11A:2-6a, and in accordance with the following guidelines:

- Designate an HRO with responsibilities pursuant to the sections of this policy entitled: RESPONSIBILITY OF EMPLOYERS TO DESIGNATE A HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER, and DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTING PROCEDURES.
- Recognize that an employee may need an accommodation as the employee may experience temporary difficulty fulfilling job responsibilities.
- Provide reasonable accommodations to ensure the employee's safety. Reasonable accommodations may include, but are not limited to the following:
  - a. Implementation of safety measures;
  - b. Transfer or reassignment;
  - c. Modified work schedule;
  - d. Change in work phone number or workstation location;
  - e. Assistance in documenting the violence occurring in the workplace;
  - f. An implemented safety procedure; or
  - g. Other accommodation approved by the Business Administrator of his Designee.

- 4. Advise the employee of information concerning the NJ Safe Act; Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA); or Family Leave Act (NJ FLA); Temporary Disability Insurance (TDI); or the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA); or other reasonable flexible leave options when an employee, or his or her child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, civil union partner, or other relationships as defined in applicable statutes is a victim of domestic violence.
- 5. Commit to adherence to the provisions of the NJ SAFE Act, including that the employer will not retaliate against, terminate, or discipline any employee for reporting information about incidents of domestic violence, as defined in this policy, if the victim provides notice to the HRO Margate Business Administrator or if the HRO has reason to believe that an employee is a victim of domestic violence.
- 6. Advise any employee, who believes that he or she has been subjected to adverse action as a result of making a report pursuant to this policy, of the civil right of action under the NJ SAFE Act. And advise any employee to contact the Business Administrator, or the HR/Admin. Assistant, or the City Solicitor, in the event that they believe the adverse action is a violation of City Policy, the Conscientious Employees Protection ACT (CEPA), or the New Jersey Law Against Discrimination (NJ LAD) and corresponding policies.
- 7. Employers, their designated HRO Margate Business Administrator and employees should familiarize themselves with this policy. This policy shall be provided to all employees upon execution and to all new employees upon hiring. Information and resources about domestic violence are encouraged to be placed in visible areas, such as restrooms, cafeterias, breakrooms, and where other resource information is located.

#### RESOURCES

This policy provides an Appendix listing resources and program information readily available to assist victims of domestic violence. These resources should be provided by the designated HRO to any victim of domestic violence at the time of reporting.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF POLICY

The Civil Service Commission and the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs shall distribute this policy, and any modifications thereto, to public employers. The Director of the Division of Local Government Services shall release Local Finance Notices setting forth any changes to this policy, as changes occur.

#### OTHER APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS

In addition to this policy, the HRO (Business Administrator, and the public employer's Appointing Authority (the appropriate Commissioner) must follow all applicable laws, guidelines, standard operating procedures, internal affairs policies, and New Jersey Attorney General directives and guidelines that impose a duty to report. Additionally, to the extent that the procedures set forth in this policy conflict with collective negotiated agreements or with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), the provisions of FERPA control.

#### POLICY MODIFICATIONS AND REVIEW

The Business Administrator may seek to modify this policy, to create additional protocols to protect victims of domestic violence but may not modify in a way that reduces or compromises the safeguards and processes set out in this policy.

The Civil Service Commission will review and modify this policy periodically and as needed.

#### POLICY ENFORCEABILITY

The provisions of this policy are intended to be implemented by the Civil Service Commission. These provisions do not create any promises or rights that may be enforced by any persons or entities.

#### **POLICY INQUIRIES & EFFECTIVE DATE**

Any questions concerning the interpretation or implementation of this policy shall be addressed to the Chair/Chief Executive Officer of the Civil Service Commission or Designee. This policy shall be enforceable upon the HRO's completion of training on this policy.

As of October 15, 2019, the Chair/Chief Executive Officer of the Civil Service Commission and her contact information are as follows:

Deirdre L. Webster Cobb, Esq. Chair/Chief Executive Officer State of New Jersey Civil Service Commission P. O. Box 317 Trenton, NJ 08625 609-292-4145 https://www.state.nj.us/csc/

#### Appendix:

- New Jersey SAFE Act Poster
- Domestic Violence Guide to Services in New Jersey

### **New Jersey SAFE Act**

The New Jersey Security and Financial Empowerment Act ("NJ SAFE Act"), P.L. 2013, c.82, provides that certain employees are eligible to receive an unpaid leave of absence, for a period not to exceed 20 days in a 12-month period, to address circumstances resulting from domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. To be eligible, the employee must have worked at least 1,000 hours during the immediately preceding 12-month period. Further, the employee must have worked for an employer in the State that employs 25 or more employees for each working day during each of 20 or more calendar workweeks in the then-current or immediately preceding calendar year.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken by an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, as that term is defined in N.J.S.A. 20:25-19, or a victim of a sexually violent offense, as that term is defined in N.J.S.A. 30:4-27.5. Leave may also be taken by an employee whose child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner is a victim of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken for the purpose of engaging in any of the following activities as they relate to an incident of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense:

- (1) Seeking medical attention for, or recovering from, physical or psychological injuries caused by domestic or sexual violence to the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner.
- (2) Obtaining services from a victim services organization for the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner
- (3) Obtaining psychological or other counseling for the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (4) Participating in safety planning, temporarily or permanently relocating, or taking other actions to increase the safety from future domestic violence or sexual violence or to ensure the economic security of the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (5) Seeking legal assistance or remedies to ensure the health and safety of the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, including preparing for or participating in any civil or criminal legal proceeding related to or derived from domestic violence or sexual violence; or
- (6) Attending, participating in or preparing for a criminal or civil court proceeding relating to an incident of domestic or sexual violence of which the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, was a victim.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act must be used in the 12-month period immediately following an instance of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. The unpaid leave may be taken intermittently in intervals of no less than one day. The unpaid leave shall run concurrently with any paid vacation leave, personal leave, or medical or sick leave that the employee elects to use or which the employer requires the employee to use during any part of the 20-day period of unpaid leave. If the employee requests leave for a reason covered by both the NJ SAFE Act and the Family Leave Act, NJ,S.A. 34.11B-1 et seq., or the federal Family and Medical Leave Act, 20 U.S.C. 2601 et seq., the leave shall count simultaneously against the employee's entitlement under each respective law.

Employees eligible to take leave under the NJ SAFE Act must, if the necessity for the leave is foreseeable, provide the employer with written notice of the need for the leave. The employee must provide the employer with written notice as far in advance as reasonable and practicable under the circumstances. The employer with the right to require the employee to provide the employer with documentation of the domestic violence or sexually violent offense that is the basis for the leave. The employer must retain any documentation provided to it in this manner in the strictest confidentiality, unless the disclosure is voluntarily authorized in writing by the employee or is authorized by a federal or State law, rule or regulation.

The NJ SAFE Act also prohibits an employer from discharging, harassing or otherwise discriminating or retaliating or threatening to discharge, harass or otherwise discriminate against an employee with respect to the compensation, terms, conditions or privileges of employment on the basis that the employee took or requested any leave that the employee was entitled to under the NJ SAFE Act, or on the basis that the employee refused to authorize the release of information deemed confidential under the NJ SAFE Act.

To obtain relief for a violation of the NJ SAFE Act, an aggrieved person must file a private cause of action in the Superior Court within one year of the date of the alleged violation.

This notice must be conspicuously displayed.

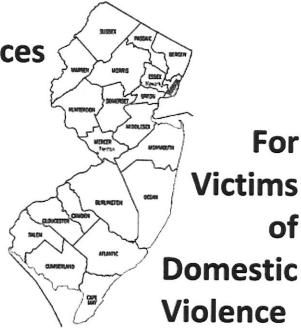
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#### NEW JERSEY COALITION TO END DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

1670 Whitehorse-Hamilton Square Road • Trenton, New Jersey 08690-3541 Phone: 609-584-8107 • Fax: 609-584-9750 • VP: 609-434-3838

info@nicedv.org • www.nicedv.org

\*TTY Users: please dial 711

The NJ Coalition to End Domastic Violence provides this directory as a guide to Domastic Violence Programs in New Jersey. It has been prepared from information provided by the listed organizations. The NJ Coalition to End Domastic Violence is not responsible for evaluating or licensing these programs.

#### ATLANTIC COUNTY

THE WOMEN'S CENTER

THE WOMEN'S CENTER
Violence intervention Program (VIP)
1201 New Rd. 4240 Unwood, NJ 08221
Emergency Shelter
Toll Tree: 1-800-286-4184
Deaf & Hard of Hearing Text Line: 609-569-5437
Office: 609-601-9925
Fax: 609-601-9925
Email: webinfo@Back.ork
Woh: www.acws.ork
Woh: Work
Ph: 609-601-9925
Fax: 609-60

#### BERGEN COUNTY

CENTER FOR HOPE AND SAFETY (formerly Shelter Our Staters)
Administrative Offices: 12 Overlook Ave Administrative Offices: 12 Overlo Rochelle Park, NJ 07662

Rochelle Park, NJ 07662 Emergency Shelter 24 fr. Horline; 201-944-9500 Shelter: 201-816-1075 Fax/Shelter: 201-836-7029 Office: 201-498-9247 Fax/Office: 201-498-9256 Email: Info@hopsandsafetyni.org

ALTERNATIVES TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RETURNATIVES TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
Bergen County Plaza, 2nd Floor, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Non-Residential Services/Outreach
24 Hr. Hotfine; 201-395-7575
Fax: 201-396-7555

Fax: 201-336-7555
Web: www.co.bergen.ni.us/ADV
Email: adv@co.bergen.ni.us
Batterers Services: Alternatives To Domestic Violence
24 Hr. Hettine; 201-386-7575
Fax: 201-386-7555

#### **BURLINGTON COUNTY**

PROVIDENCE HOUSE DOMESTIC VIOLENCESERVICES
OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES
595 Rancocas Rd., Westampton, NJ 08060
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr., Hotline: 609-871-7551

Office: 856-824-0599 Fax/Office: 856-824-9340 Fax/Shelter: 609-871-0360

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Outreach
595 Rancocas Rd., Westhampton,
Phone: 856-824-9599
Fax: 856-824-9340
PALS
Phone: 856-824-0599 EXT. 8617

#### CAMDEN COUNTY

CAMDEN COUNTY WOMEN'S CENTER
P.O. Box 1459, Blackwood, NJ 08012
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr. Hottline: 856-227-1234
Offlice: 856-227-1800
Fex: 856-227-1261

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA DELAWARE VALLEY
235 White Horse Pike, Collingswood, NJ 08107
Office: 856-854-4660
Fax: 856-854-0651

#### CAPE MAY COUNTY

CARA, INC. [Coalition Against Rape & Abuse, Inc.]
P.O. Box 774, Cape May Court House, NJ 08210-0774
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr., Hotline: 609-522-6489
Tall: 1672-294-2272 (CARA)
Office: 609-623-0947
Fas: 609-623-0947
Fas: 609-623-0947
Email: carsantsi (Mcara-inc.net
Web: www.cars-cmc.org
Women's Support Group: Buddy System
Men's Non Visionace Group: Buddy System
Men's Non Visionace Group: Buddy System
MEND (Men Explore New Directions)
24 Hr., Hotline: 609-522-6489
Tell free: 3-877-299-2272 (CARA) Tell free: 1-877-294-2272 (CARA) TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AVAILAB





#### **CUMBERLAND COUNTY**

SERVICES EMPOWERING THE RIGHTS OF VICTIMS
CUMBERLAND COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES 24-hour toll-free hotline: 1-800-225-0196 Office: 856-696-2032

856-696-7336 Fax: 856-toro-rase Email: serv@centerffs.org Website: www.centerffs.org

#### **ESSEX COUNTY**

24 Hour Hotline: 862-444-3126 Email: info@afsni.org Web: www.afsni.org

ESSEX COUNTY FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER
Larry F. Smith Jr. Public Safety Building
60 Notson Place, 2nd Floor
Newaris, NJ 07102
973-230-7229 [T]
Fac: 973-723-3391
Email: info@essexcountrific.org
Website: mow\_essexcountrific.org
WALK-IN WELCOME - NO APPT NECESSARY:

THE SAFE HOUSE
P.C. Box 1887, Bloomfield, NJ
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr. Hotline: 973-759-2154
Office: 973-844-4950
Email: safehouse@rwith.org

THE RACHEL COALITION t/o IEMISH FAMILYSERVICE 570 West Mt. Heasard Averuse, Suth 106, Livingston, NJ 07039 24 Hr. Emergency Pasting Service: 973-740-1233

Outreach
Office: 973-740-1233
Fax: 973-740-1590
Email: rachel@rachelcoalition.org
Website: www.rachelcoalition.org
TRANSITIONAL HOUSING (one unit)

FAMILY CONNECTIONS PALS

FAMILYConnections (DREAMS) enwood Avenue, Suite 101, East Orange, Ni 07018 ne: 973-323-3560

GUTREACH OFFICES provide services for women who chase not to stay in a shelter facility. Outreach offices provide non-residential services in a location separate from a shelter. Services provided include but are not limited to legal advocacy, individual and group counseling, information and referral, and advocacy services.

#### **GLOUCESTER COUNTY**

SERVICES EMPOWERING RIGHTS OF VICTIMS

serv@centerffs.org



WOMENRISING, INC.
270 Fairmount Avenue, Jersey
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr. Hotline: 201-333-5200
Fax: 201-333-9305
Email: womenrising@aol.com
Web: www.womenrising.o

270 Fairmount Avenue, Jersey City, NJ 07306 Phone: 201-333-5700

#### **HUNTERDON COUNTY**

SAFE IN HUNTERDON 47 E. Main Street, Flen Emergancy Shelter ton, NJ 08822 24 Hr. Hot

Toll free: 1-888-988-4033

Office: 908-806-4098
Fax: 908-806-0073
TTY: Texting Hotline 908-455-2927
Email: assncw@safeinhunterdon.org
Wab: wmw.safeinhunterdom.org
Outreach
Phone: 908-788-7666
Fax: 908-788-7666
Fax: 908-788-7666
Fax: 908-788-7666
Sexual Assault/Rape/Incest
Phone: 908-788-7666

EMERGENCY SHELTERS provide 24 hour emergency shelter, hotine, legal advocacy, individual and group counseling. information and referral, advacacy and other services.

#### MERCER COUNTY

WOMANSPACE, INC.

ue, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648 1530 Brunswick A

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| Deaf & Hard of Hearing Text Line: 609-619-1888
| Office: 609-394-0136
| Fax: 609-394-1038
| Email: info@womanspace.org
| Web: www.womanspace.org
| Counseling and Support Services

1530 Brunswick Avenue, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648 Phone: 609-394-2532

Fax: 609-394-5417 TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AVAILABLE

Batterers Services in Mercer County: Family Growth Program 19 N. Clinton Avenue Trenton, NJ 08609 Office: 609-394-5157

#### MIDDLESEX COUNTY

WOMEN AWARE, INC. 250 Livingston Avenue, New Brunswick, NJ 08901 ergency Shelter

Services include: emergency shelter, legal advocacy, support groups, children's trauma therapy (the PALS program, and permanent supportive housing.

Deaf & Hard of Hearing Text Line: 1-876-658-7713

Office: 732-249-4900

Fax: 732-249-4901

Shelter Fax: 732-249-0010

Web: www.womensware.net

Web: www.manavi.org Office Hours: 9:30am -- 5:30pm TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AVAILABLE

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#### MONMOUTH COUNTY

180 TURNING LIVES AROUND One Bethany Road, Bide, 3, Sc

One Bethany Road, Bidg. 3, Suite 42, Hazlet, NJ 07730 24 Hr. Hotline: 782-264-4111

Toll free: 1-888-843-9262 Deaf & Hard of Hearing Text Une: 732-977-2832/977-2766

Office: 732-264-4360

732-264-8655 www.180ni.org

Neptune Outreach: Shore Regions 732-968-0390 or 732-988-3194 PALS (Amanda's Easel) Phone: 732-787-6503

Sexual Violence Program 24 Hr. Hotline: 732-264-7273, Toll free: 1-888-264-RAPE

732-264-8655 732-671-8383

#### MORRIS COUNTY

MORRIS FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER (MFJC)

Administration and Recor 10 Court Street, 4th floor Morristown, NI 07962 Phone: [973] 829-4050 Assistance or 1973

uz9-4050 U-ABUSED Serv rs: Domestic Abuse: 1-877-R-

ual Assault: (973) 829-0587 Fax: (973) 206-1645

Email: info@morrisfjc.org Web: www.morrisfjc.org Mon-fri welk-in hours: 8:30am-4:30pm. Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by appointment only.

JERSEY CENTER FOR NON VIOLENCE

PO Box 1437 Morristown, NJ 07902

Appointments and referrals: (973) 539-7801 Fax: (973) 539-4068

il: jcnv@jbws.org (Jersey Center for Non-Viol

Batterers Services: Jersey Center for Non-Violence Services include: emergency shelter, victim counselin batterer's services, children's services, transitional ho and non-residential, legal advocacy and wocational. TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AVAILABLE

#### OCEAN COUNTY

PROVIDENCE HOUSE DOMESTIC VIOLENCESERVICES
OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES
88 Schoolhouse Road, Whiting, NJ 08759
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr. Hotline: 732-244-8259
Toll free: 1-800-245-8910
Officer 732-350-2120

732-244-3064

www.catholiccharitiestre on.org/domestic-

violence-services/

ach-PALS Phone: 732-350-2120 x109

#### PASSAIC COUNTY

PASSAIC COUNTY WOMEN'S CENTER Domestic Violence Program P.O. Box 244, Paterson, NJ 07513 Emergency Shelter 24 Hr. Hotline: 973-881-1450 Office: 973-881-1450 Fax: 973-881-0617

ne: 973-881-0725

973-881-0938

Rape Crisis Program 1027 Madison Avenue, Paterson, NI 07513 24. Hr. Hotline: 973-981-1450 973-881-0938

ECTS.A.R.A.H.

925 Allwood Road, Clifton, NJ 07012 Helatine: 1-888-883-2323 Phone: 973-777-7638

Fax: 973-777-9311 Web: http://ifsclifton.org/projectsarah/

PALS PCWC with Jewish Family Services Phone: 973-777-7638

WAFA HOUSE PO Box 2102 Clifton, NJ 07015-2102 Toll free: 1-800-910-9212 Email: info@wafahouse.o Web: http://

ouse.org/new-

#### SALEM COUNTY

SALEM COUNTY WOMEN'S SERVICES P.O. Box 125, Salem, NJ 08079-0125 E

24 Hr. Hotline: 856-935-6655 Toil free: 1-888-632-9511 Office: 856-935-8012 856-935-8012 856-935-6165 Fac: 856-935-61b5
Email: scws125@comcast.net

Web: https://salemcountywomensservices.org/ Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis 24 Hr. Hotline: 856-935-6655 Toil free: 1-888-632-9511

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#### SOMERSET COUNTY

UND SOMERSET (formerly RESOURCE CENTER OF

sunnerSET)
427 Homesterd Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844
Emergency Shelter
24 Hr. Toll free and Text Hotline: 1-866-685-1122
Email: info@Safe-Sound.org
www.safe-sound.org

Outreach
Office: 908-359-0003
Fac: 908-359-8881
Batterer's Referral Line
Call 24 Hr. Hotline or 908-359-0003 ext.438, for refer
TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AVAILABLE

#### SUSSEX COUNTY

DASI: DOMESTIC ABUSE & SEXUAL ASSAULT INTERVENTION SERVICES P.O. Box 805, Newton, NJ 07860

Emergency Shelter 24 kr. Hotline: (Collect Calls Accepted) 973-875-1231 Deaf & Hard of Hearing Text Line: 973-222-2593 Office: 973-579-2386 Fixt: 973-579-3277

Email: info@dasi.org Web: www.dasi.org Outreach

Phone: 973-579-2386

Fax: 973-579-3277

Pat: 973-579-82778 Batterers Services: DECIDE Program PO Box 805, Newton, NJ 07880 Phone: 973-271-0288 Fax: 973-579-3277 TRANSTHONAL HOUSING AVAILABLE

OUTREACH OFFICES provide services for women who chose not to stay in a shelter facility. Outreach affices provide non-residentia services in a location separate from a shelter. Services provide include but are not limited to: legal advocacy, individual and group counseling, information and referral, and advocacy services.

#### **UNION COUNTY**

P.O. Box 242, Elizabeth, NJ 07201

ncy Shelter

24 Hr. Hotline: 908-355-4357 (HELP) Office: 908-355-1995

Office: 908-355-1995 Fax: 908-355-2010

Emeil: info@vwcaunioncounty.org
Web: www.vwcaunioncounty.org

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Phone: 908-355-1500 PALS A Child's View PALS A Child's View Phone: 908-518-9911 Fax: 908-518-9914

UNCHAINED AT LAST

208 Lenox Avenue #189 Westfield, NJ 07090 Office: 908-913-0804 Web: http:// www.unchainedatlast.org/

#### WARREN COUNTY

DOMESTIC ABUSE & SEXUAL ASSAULT CRISI: Emergency Shelter 24 lbt. Hotline; 998–453–4181 Toll tree; 1,966–585-5AE[1-866-623-7283) Office: 908–453–3706 Web: www.bessfew.org. Outroach 29C Broad Street, Washington, NI 07882 Phone: 908–453-4121 Batterers Services Phone: 908–813-8820 DOMESTIC ABUSE & SEXUAL ASSAULT CRISIS CENTER 

NJ Coalition To End Domestic Violence

Vhitehorse-Hamilton Squa Trenton, NJ 08690-3541

PH: 609-584-8107 Fax: 609-584-9750

Website: www.nicedv.org Email: info@njcedv.org

NJ Association of Domestic Violence Professio NJ Coalition To End Domestic Violence 1670 Whitehorse-Hamilton Square Road estic Violence Professio

Trenton, NJ 08690-3541

PH: 609-584-8107 Fax: 609-584-9750 Website: www.njcedv.org

E-mail: niadvp@nicedv.org

Office on the Prevention of Violence Against Women

P.O. Box 717 Trenton, NJ 08625 PH: 609-292-8840 Fax: 609-633-6821

Web: https://www.ni.gov/dcf/wor

#### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TOLL-FREE ASSISTANCE**

Statewide Domestic Violence Hotline (Womanspace, Inc.)

24 Hour Hotline: 1-800-572-7233 TTY Line: 1-888-252-SAFE (7233) National Domestic Violence Hotline

hone: 1-800-799-7233 VP: 1-855-812-1001 TTY: 1-800-787-3224



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#### **APPENDIX**

#### I. RESOURCES AND ADVOCACY INFORMATION

Statewide Domestic Violence Hotline 1-800-572-SAFE (7233).

Guide to Services for Victims of Domestic Violence

NJ Division on Women Department of Community Affairs 101 South Broad Street PO Box 801 Trenton, NJ 08625-0801 Phone: (609) 292-8840

Phone: (609) 292-8840 Fax: (609) 633-6821 TTY: (609) 777-0799

Web: https://www.nj.gov/dcf/women

#### New Jersey Coalition to End Domestic Violence

The New Jersey Coalition to End Domestic Violence (NJCEDV) is a statewide coalition of domestic violence service programs and concerned individuals whose purpose and mission is to end domestic violence in New Jersey. NJCEDV performs its work through advocacy for survivors of domestic violence; collaboration with state agencies and its member programs; education and training; and technical assistance for its members and the community.

#### **Futures Without Violence**

FUTURES has been providing groundbreaking programs, policies, and campaigns that empower individuals and organizations working to end violence against women and children around the world. <a href="https://www.futures:withoutviolence.org/">https://www.futures:withoutviolence.org/</a>

Washington, DC Office 1320 19th St. NW Suite 401

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Washington, D.C. 20036 Phone: (202) 595-7382 Fax: (202) 499-6757

#### I. LAWS PROTECTING VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

The State of New Jersey Policy on Discrimination in the Workplace. Under this policy, forms of employment discrimination or harassment based upon the following protected categories are prohibited and will not be tolerated: race, creed, color, national origin, nationality, ancestry, age, sex/gender (including pregnancy), marital status, civil union status, domestic partnership status, familial status, religion, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, atypical hereditary cellular or blood trait, genetic information, liability for service in the Armed Forces of the United States, or disability.

https://www.state.nj.us/csc/about/divisions/eeo/laws.html

The New Jersey Law Against Discrimination (N.J.S.A. 10:5-12) (LAD) makes it unlawful to subject people to differential treatment based or race, creed, color, national origin, nationality, ancestry, age, sex (including pregnancy), familial status, markal status, domestic partnership or civil union status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, atypical hereditary cellular or blood trait, genetic information, liability for military service, and mental or physical disability, perceived disability, and AIDS and HIV status. The LAD prohibits unlawful discrimination in employment, housing, places of public accommodation, credit and business contracts. Not all of the foregoing prohibited bases for discrimination are protected in all of these areas of activity. For example, familial status is only protected with respect to housing. The Division has promulgated regulations that explain that a place of public accommodation must make reasonable modifications to its policies, practices or procedures to ensure that people with disabilities have access to public places. The regulations also explain that under the LAD, these reasonable accommodations may include actions such as providing auxiliary sides and making physical changes to ensure paths of travel.

The Application of Title VII and the ADA to Applicants or Employees Who Experience Domestic or Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, or Stalking: Questions and Answers

https://www.eeoc.gov/leeoc/publications/ga\_domestic\_violence.cfm

#### **New Jersey SAFE Act**

The New Jersey Security and Financial Empowerment Act ("NJ SAFE Act"), P.L. 2013, c.82, provides that certain employees are eligible to receive an unpaid leeve of absence, for a period not to exceed 20 days in a 12-month period, to address circumstances resulting from domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. To be eligible, the employee must have worked at least 1,000 hours during the immediately preceding 12-month period. Further, the employee must have worked for an employer in the State that employs 25 or more employees for each working

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day during each of 20 or more calendar workweeks in the then-current or imme calendar year.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken by an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, as that term is defined in NJ.S.A. 20:25-19, or a victim of a sexually violent offense, as that term is defined in NJ.S.A. 30:4-27.6. Leave may also be taken by an employee whose child, perent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner is a victim of domestic violence or a exercise violence. a sexually violent offense.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken for the purpose of engaging in any of the following activities as they relate to an incident of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense:

- (1) Seeking medical attention for, or recovering from, physical or psychological injuried caused by domestic or sexual violence to the employee or the employee's child, presponse, domestic partner or civil union partner.
- (2) Obtaining services from a victim services organization for the employee employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner.
- (3) Obtaining psychological or other counseling for the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (4) Participating in safety planning, temporarily or permanently relocating, or taking othe actions to increase the safety from future domestic violence or sexual violence or to ensure the economic security of the employee or the employee's child, parent, spou domestic partner or civil union partner
- (5) Seeking legal assistance or remedies to ensure the health and safety of the employee's the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, including preparing for or participating in any civil or criminal legal proceeding related to or deriver from domestic violence or sexual violence; or
- (6) Attending, participating in or preparing for a criminal or civil court proceeding relating to an incident of domestic or sexual violence of which the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, was a

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act must be used in the 12-month period immediately following an instance of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. The unpaid leave may be taken intermittently in intervals of no less than one day. The unpaid leave shall run concurrently with any paid vacation leave, personal leave, or medical or sick leave that the employee elects to use of which the employer requires the employee to use during any part of the 20-day period of unpaid leave. If the employee requests leave for a reason covered by both the NJ SAFE Act and the Family Leave Act, N.J.S.A. 34:118-1 et seq., or the federal Family and Medical Leave Act, 20 U.S.C. 2801 et seq., the leave shell count simultaneously against the employee's entitlement under each respective law.

Employees eligible to take leave under the NJ SAFE Act must, if the necessity for the leave is foreseeable, provide the employer with written notice of the need for the leave. The employee must provide the employer with written notice as far in advance as reasonable and practicable under the circumstances. The employer has the right to require the employee to provide the employer with documentation of the domestic violence or sexually violent offense that is the basis for the leave. The employer must retain any documentation provided to it in this manner

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the strictest confidentiality, unless the disclosure is voluntarily authorized in writing by the employee or is authorized by a federal or State law, rule or regulation.

The NJ SAFE Act also prohibits an employer from discharging, harassing or otherwise discriminating or retailating or threatening to discharge, harass or otherwise discriminate against an employee with respect to the compensation, terms, conditions or privileges of employment on the basis that the employee took or requested any leave that the employee was entitled to under the NJ SAFE Act, or on the basis that the employee refused to authorize the release of information deemed confidential under the NJ SAFE

To obtain relief for a violation of the NJ SAFE Act, an aggrieved person must file a private cause of action in the Superior Court within one year of the date of the alleged violation.

#### https://nj.gov/labor/

#### III. RESOURCES

The Department of Children and Families Office of Domestic Violence Services (ODVS) funds 23 domestic violence programs and the New Jersey Coalition to End Domestic Violence. There is at least one DCF-funded domestic violence program in each of New Jersey's 21 counties. The Office of Domestic Violence Services funds domestic violence services that serve the needs of victims in every county. Services for survivors, victims, and their families include emergency shelters, 24-hour hotlines, counseling, children's services, and financial, housing and legal advocacy

The Office of the Prevention of Violence Against Women funds services that serve the needs of sexual assault victims and sexual violence prevention programs in every county. Services include a 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, accompaniments by a confidential sexual violence advocate, and financial, housing and legal advocacy.

Through displaced homemaker programs, the Office of Support, Employment, and Training helps individuals gain or upgrade their skills for today's work force and become eo self-sufficient. Individuals can attend short term educational or training programs.

#### DOW Services

- Funds, monitors, and evaluates programs for the advancement of women Develops new programs to serve women Refers women to direct service providers
- Provides information on women's issue to the public
- Provides technical assistance to agencies representing women
  Represents women on boards, commissions, councils, committees, and task forces a
  provides input and recommendations on issues pertaining to the Division's Mission

#### The Family and Community Partnerships/Division on Won Community Program Directory https://www.ni.gov/dcf/families/dfcp/DFCPDirectory.pdf

This FCP/DOW Community Program Directory represents an ongoing commitment by DCF to increase access to resources that are designed to strengthen families, prevent child abuse or neglect, and empower survivors of domestic and sexual violence. The services identified in this Directory are funded by DCF's Family and Community Partnerships, a grant-making and best practices team committed to strengthening New Jersey's families. The directory receives continuous updates online as additional resources for families become available or as changes

#### Other Programs in New Jersey through the Division on Women Office of Domestic Violence Services :

ources by county, click on the related link to view DFCP/DOW's Community Program Directory

For more information, contact DOW at DOW@dcf.state.nj.us or at 609-888-7164. http://www.ni.gov/dcf/women/domestic/

#### Legal Services

Legal Services of New Jersey and Central Jersey Legal Services

New Jersey Legal Services assists victims who cannot afford legal advice and/or representation.

Assistance includes referral, advice, brief assistance, preparation of a letter or routine legal document, extended representation, and technical assistance. The program also offers training to domestic violence legal advocates, programs, attorneys and others.

Legal Services of New Jersey Domestic Violence Representation Project: (888) LSNJ-LAW (888) 576-5529
Central Jersey Legal Services (908) 354-4340
Website: www.LSNJLawHotline.org

Culturally Specific Services

Bolo Behen (Speak Sister)

Bolo Behen works with different faith-based leaders throughout Hudson County, collaborating with leaders of temples, mosques, Islamic centers, Gurudwaras, and more. Bolo Behen facilitates groups called Community Chai where women can come and express their problems and concerns openly, comfortably, and without fear. People listen to each other's story and offer support. Services are based on a holistic approach that addresses the large range of client needs.

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Using culturally and linguistically appropriate methods, Bolo Behen builds trust with clients and creates an environment where South Asian women feel safe, respected, and understood. 24/7 Bilingual Hotline: (201) 795-5757

#### Project S.A.R.A.H (Stop Abusive Relationships at Home)

Project S.A.R.A.H (Stop Abusive Relationships at Home)
Project S.A.R.A.H. is a program that works to overcome cultural, legal, and religious barriers confronting victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse. Project S.A.R.A.H. operates within an environment that is sensitive to a victim's cultural and religious needs, serving as a bridge between abuse victims in the Orthodox community and support systems and resources. Project S.A.R.A.H. works closely with rabbis and rebbetzins, kallah teachers and mikvah attendants, camp directors and school administrators, parents, and the general public to keep the community safe for everyone. The program provides therapeutic interventions that enable victims to process the often unspeakable trauma they experienced and restore them toward fully functional and productive lives. Project S.A.R.A.H. connects victims and survivors with a broad array of services, including pro bono legal consultations, evaluations, individual and group therapy, psychiatric services, as well as emotional, financial and vocational support. Confidential Hotline: (973) 777-7638.

Special Initiatives
Address Confidentiality Program
The New Jersey Address Confidentiality Program (ACP) assists individuals who, as a result of
domestic violence, have relocated for their safety. This program limits the access to personal
information that would reveal the new location of an ACP participant. ACP provides eligible
victims of domestic violence with a substitute address that has no connection to their address that has no connection that the connection that has no connection their address that has n location. This substitute mailing address may be used when creating a new record with state or

#### New Jersey Address Confidentiality Program (ACP) Hotline 1 (877) 218-9133 Toll Free-

The New Jersey Address Confidentiality Program Hotline provides services including – but not limited to – access to domestic violence information and referral services, including application procedures, and advocacy.

## State of New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety Office of the Attorney General NJ State Police Victim Services Unit:

The Victim Services Unit will coordinate with State, County, and Municipal agencies to develop and implement domestic violence and sexual violence training programs, and continue to effectively work with road troopers to enhance training on the proper handling of these types of crimes.

https://www.nisp.org/division/operations/domestic-violence-info.shtml

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#### CITY OF MARGATE

Employee Handbook/Policy and Procedure Manual

SECTION 4: Compensation & Employee Benefits Policies

POLICY NO.: 402 # OF PAGES: 4

SUBJECT: OVERTIME COMPENSATION POLICY

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020 REVIEW DATE: December 19, 2019

REPLACES POLICY DATED: 2018

Under the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act, certain employees in managerial, supervisory, administrative, computer or professional positions are exempt from the provisions of the Act. On September 24, 2019, the US Department of Labor announced a final rule with changes that are reflected herein.

There are employees who may be exempt from the overtime provisions of the FLSA. To determine this, there are three tests which must be applied. They are as follows:

- Salary Test: Determine if the employee is paid on a salary basis at a rate of at least \$684/week (\$35,568/year); if the employee is a computer professional making a minimum of \$27.63/hour; if the employee earns a minimum of \$107,432/yr.
- Duties Test: Determine if the employee's duties fall into one of three categories: Executive, Administrative, Professional, Sales.
- There are also employees who may be exempt because their compensation exceeds \$107,432 per year depending upon their job duties.

See the attached "Overtime Exemptions Checklist – Federal" which the City will use to determine which employees are exempt and non-exempt.

The Personnel Officer shall notify all Exempt employees of their status under the Act. Exempt employees are not eligible to receive overtime compensation and are required to work the normal workweek and any additional hours needed to fulfill their responsibilities. Time off consideration for large amounts of additional hours may be provided with the Personnel Officer's prior approval and at the sole discretion of the Personnel Officer.

All other employees are classified as Non-Exempt and are subject to the provisions of the Act. Depending on work needs, Non-Exempt employees may be required to work overtime. Non-Exempt employees are not permitted to work overtime unless the overtime is budgeted and approved by the Department Head and the Business Administrator. Non-Exempt employees working overtime without prior approval will be subject to disciplinary action.

Non-Exempt employees will receive overtime compensation for hours worked in excess of 40 in a weekly period at the rate of one and one-half times the regular rate of pay. Employees may choose overtime compensation in the form of overtime pay or compensated time off (comp time). The maximum number of hours that an

employee may accrue for future compensated time off (comp time) is equivalent to 60 days. Once this maximum has been accumulated, all additional hours will be compensated by overtime pay. Accrued and taken overtime compensated (comp time) hours must be noted on the employee's time sheet.

Non-Exempt employees will receive one-and-one-half hours of overtime compensation for each hour worked in excess of 40 hours in a weekly period. For purposes of overtime compensation, hours worked are computed to the nearest one-half hour per day. Previously-scheduled vacation time and holiday time are considered time worked for purposes of determining overtime compensation; but sick time and personal time are not.

In addition to the requirements of the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), Non-Exempt employees will also receive overtime compensation for work in excess of 35 hours but not greater than 40 hours in a weekly period. This other compensation will be one hour of straight time pay for each hour worked in excess of 35 hours.

If a Non-Exempt employee works on a Sunday or a paid holiday, the employee will receive overtime compensation of 1.5 hours for each hour worked less the number of hours of overtime compensation received under any other provision of this policy.

If a Non-Exempt employee not on regular call-out duty is required to return to work in an emergency or because of an unusual circumstance, the employee will receive overtime compensation of the greater of two (2) hours, or the actual number of hours worked less the number of hours of overtime compensation received under any other provision of this policy.

Employees must make a request to the Supervisor at least two (2) days in advance when they want to take compensating time off. The Supervisor will approve the request if the absence does not cause undue hardship to the department.

This policy covers non-union employees. It also covers union employees to the extent that their collective bargaining agreements do not cover this.

Attached "Overtime Exemptions Checklist - Federal"



### **Overtime Exemptions Checklist - Federal**

Employee Name	·	
Job Title		Date
January 1, 2020 duties tests are Regulations (effi to federal overt	. You can also use this form for all new hires to deter italicized. It is critical for employers to understand th ective January 1, 2020) for definitions, analysis, and	oyees classified as "exempt" from the Overtime Rules effective mine if they qualify for an exemption. Certain key terms in the ese key terms. Refer to the complete text of the FairPay Overtime application of these terms. Disclaimer: This checklist only applies overtime requirements. Please check with your state to find out
Section I – S	salary Basis (Subpart G)	
O Yes O No	(1) Is the employee paid on a salary basis at a rat exclusive of board, meals, and lodging?	e of at least \$684 per week (\$35,568 per year),
O Yes O No	(2) Is the employee a computer professional com	pensated at an hourly rate of at least \$27.63 per hour?
O Yes O No	(3) Does the employee earn \$107,432 or more as	inually?
	d "NO" to question 1, the employee does not meet alary requirement and is automatically eligible for	If you answered "YES" to questions 1 and 2, proceed to Section III of this form: "Computer Employee Exemption."  If you answered "YES" to question 3, proceed to Section IV of this
	"YES" to question 1, proceed to Section II of this form: inistrative, Professional & Outside Sales Duties Tests."	form: "Highly Compensated Employees."
Section II – I	Executive, Administrative, Professional &	Outside Sales Duties Tests
Executive Exe	emption (Subpart B)	
O Yes O No	(1) Is the employee's primary duty the managem department or subdivision?	ent of the enterprise or of a customarily recognized
O Yes O No	(2) Does the employee customarily and regularly	direct the work of two or more other full-time employees?
O Yes O No		or fire other employees? If not, are their suggestions and incement, promotion, or any other change of status of other
	ed "NO" to any of these three questions, the es not qualify for the executive exemption. Proceed sties test.	If you answered "YES" to all three questions, the employee qualifies for the exemption as a "bona fide executive employee."
Administrativ	ve Exemption (Subpart C)	
O Yes O No		ce of office or non-manual work directly related to ns of the employer or the employer's customers?
O Yes O No	(2) Does the employee's primary duty include the with respect to matters of significance?	exercise of discretion and independent judgment
O Yes O No	(3) Is the employee's primary duty performing ad training in an educational establishment?	ministrative functions directly related to academic instruction or
	ed "NO" to all of these questions, the employee ify for the administrative exemption. Proceed to s test.	If you answered "YES" to questions 1 and 2, the employee qualifies for the general administrative exemption.  If you answered "YES" to questions 1 or 2 and "YES" to question 3,
	ed "NO" to questions 2 and 3, the employee does the administrative exemption. Proceed to the st.	the employee qualifies as an exempt academic administrative employee.
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Professional i	Exemption (Subpart D)		
O Yes O No	(1) Learned Professional – Does the employee's type in a field of science or learning customar intellectual instruction or a combination of int	ily acquired by a prolonged course of s	pecialized
O Yes O No	(2) Creative Professional – Does the employee's originality, or talent in a recognized field of an		ation,
O Yes O No	(3) Teachers – Is the employee's primary duty teactivity of imparting knowledge in an education		
O Yes O No	(4) Doctors and Lawyers – Does the employee proceeding the certificate permitting him/her to practice law		license or
does not quali If you answere the profession	ed "NO" to all of these questions, the employee for the professional exemption.  ed "YES" to question 1, the employee qualifies for the exemption as a "bona fide learned professional."  ed "YES" to question 2, the employee qualifies for	the professional exemption as a "bona for if you answered "YES" to question 3, the the exemption as a teacher. If you answered "YES" to question 4, the the exemption as a doctor or lawyer.	employee qualifies for
Outside Sales	Exemption (Subpart F)		
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Section III -	Computer Employee Exemption (Subpart	E)	
O Yes O No	(1) is the employee a computer systems analyst, similarly skilled worker in the field of comput		eer, or other
○ Yes ○ No	(2) Does the employee's primary duty consist of a. The application of systems analysis technic systems, hardware, or software. b. The design, development, analysis, creatio systems or programs. c. The design, testing, creation, documentati machine operating systems. d. Any combination of a, b, and c.	ues and procedures to determine the n, testing, documentation, or modifica	tion of computer
tf you answer	ed "YES" to questions 1 and 2, the employee is an exem	pt computer professional.	
If you answer	ed "NO" to either question, the employee is not an exe	mpt computer employee.	
Section IV -	Highly Compensated Employees (§541.60	1)	
O Yes O No	(1) Does the employee perform office or non-ma	nual work?	
O Yes O No	(2) Does the employee perform at least one exer Professional criteria?	npt duty under the Administrative, Exe	cutive, or
If you answer	ed "NO" to either question, the employee does not qua	lify for the highly compensated employee	xemption.
tf you answer	ed "YES" to both questions, the employee qualifies for	he highly compensated employee exempti	on.
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Supervisor or HF	R Representative Signature	Date	
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#### **RESOLUTION #279-2019**

## AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF THE MARGATE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MARGATE CITY AND THE EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey has a contract for an Employees Assistance Program (EAP) with Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Margate City Public Library is desirous to enter into this contract with the City of Margate City and Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Margate City Public Library does not currently have a contract with an EAP; and

WHEREAS, Margate City is required to have a contract with an EAP by the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (JIF); and

WHEREAS, the Margate City Public Library has agreed to reimburse the City of Margate City for their complete cost covered under the City of Margate's contract with Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Margate City Public Library Board of Trustees passed a resolution to ask the City of Margate City to permit them to join Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc. under the City's contract;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1. The City of Margate City endorses the Margate City Public Library joining the contract for Employees Assistance Program (EPA) with Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc. as an additional insured; and
- 2. The City of Margate City will add the Margate City Public Library to its contract with Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc. as an additional insured effective December 1, 2019; and
- 3. The annual cost for all of the coverages delineated above is \$5,580.00, which the City will pay to the Associates for Life Enhancement, Inc.; and
- 4. The City of Margate City will invoice the Margate City Public Library for the annual amount of \$480.00, and the Margate City Public Library will pay this amount directly to Margate City.

#### ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### RESOLUTION #280-2019 AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL BILLING SERVICES WITH DM MEDICAL BILLINGS, LLC

WHEREAS, there exists a need for the City of Margate City, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey to retain medical third party billing services; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated term of the contract is for one year and may be extended each year as approved by the Board of Commissioners; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Margate is in receipt of a proposal for a one year contract from DM Medical Billings LLC, 88 S. Lakeview Drive, Gibbsboro, NJ 08026; for a fee of 6.00% of amount collected; and

**WHEREAS**, this contract is awarded without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service", in accordance with *N.J.S.A.* 40A:11-5, of the Local Public Contracts Law of New Jersey, because the services will be performed by persons authorized by law to practice a recognized profession and it is not possible to obtain bids for such needed qualitative services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified to the City Commissioners that there are adequate funds available for the purpose of contract in the following account: 0-01-25-261-201 \$20,000.00 contingent upon funds being appropriated in the 2020 budget; and

WHEREAS, this contract shall take effect December 19, 2019.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to execute and to attest to an agreement between the City of Margate and DM Medical Billings, LLC as per the proposal submitted by DM Medical Billings LLC dated December 12, 2019, a copy of which is attached hereto.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Clerk is hereby authorized to advertise this award of contract according to law in the Atlantic City Press and is further authorized to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to each of the following:

- A. DM Medical Billings (Attn: Amy Gifford)
- B. Lisa McLaughlin, City Chief Financial Officer

ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

Pursuant to 40A:4-57, I, Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer of the City of Margate, County of Atlantic, do hereby certify that the below listed funds are available.

Project Name / Service:

2020 Professional Billing Service

Vendor:

DM Medical Billing, LLC Gibbsboro, New Jersey

Contract Amount:

\$20,000.00

Resolution Date:

12/19/19

Resolution #:

280-2019

Source of Funds:

Account #:

Future Year Budget 0-01-25-261-201 Ambulance Billing

Contingent upon sufficient funds being appropriated in the 2020 budget

Lisa McLaughlin, CPA, CMFO Chief Municipal Finance Officer Margate City, New Jersey

Date

RESOLUTION #281-2019
AUTHORIZING EXTENSION OF SPECIAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICE
OF ELIAS T. MANOS, ESQUIRE TO PROVIDE CITY OF MARGATE CITY
PLANNING BOARD SOLICITOR

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate has determined it has a need for special professional services of Elias T. Manos, Esquire, 2020 New Road, Suite 2A, Linwood, NJ 08221, for legal assistance to the City of Margate Planning Board; and

WHEREAS, Elias T. Manos, Esquire submitted a proposal of \$22,000.00 for 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, this Contract was awarded without competitive bidding because it is a Professional Services Contract and is an exception to the Local Public Contracts Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40:11A-5 (1)(a)(i).; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate has the need to increase the contract of Elias T. Manos, Esquire in the amount of \$3,000.00 for a total of \$25,000.00: and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified to the City Commissioners that there are sufficient funds in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00 available under Financial Admin-Professional Fees 9-01-20-150-220 for award of this contract.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

- 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute and the City Clerk to extend a contract in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00 between the City of Margate and Elias T. Manos, Esquire, 2020 New Road, Suite 2A, Linwood, NJ 08221 for the performance of the above noted matter.
- 2. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding because it is a Professional Services Contract and is an exception to the Local Public Contracts Law *N.J.S.A.* 40:11A-5 (1)(a)(i).
- 3. The contract shall not exceed twelve consecutive months in accordance with *N.J.S.A.* 40A:11-5.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer
- 2. Elias T. Manos, Esquire, 2020 New Road, Suite 2A, Linwood, NJ 08221

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

#### CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

Pursuant to 40A:4-57, I, Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer of the City of Margate, County of Atlantic, do hereby certify that the below listed funds are available.

Project Name / Service:

Planning Board Solicitor Contract Extension

Vendor:

Elias T. Manos, Esquire Northfield, New Jersey

Contract Amount:

\$3,000.00

Resolution Date:

12/19/19

Resolution #:

281-2019

Source of Funds:

Account #:

9-01-20-155-255 Legal- Other Attorneys Fees

Lisa McLaughlin, CFN, CMFO Chief Municipal Finance Officer Margate City, New Jersey

Date

## RESOLUTION # 282-2019 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH FIRE CHIEF DANIEL E. ADAMS

WHEREAS, an Employment Agreement (hereinafter "Agreement") with Fire Chief Daniel E. Adams (hereinafter "Adams"), and the City of Margate City (hereinafter "City") has been negotiated in order to resolve all employment issues with Adams; and

WHEREAS, upon review the Governing Body has determined to approve the Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City that it does hereby approve the proposed Agreement and authorizes the Mayor to execute said Agreement on behalf of the City; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Commissioner John Amodeo
- 2. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer
- 3. Chief Adams

#### ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

## FIRE CHIEF EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH FIRE CHIEF DANIEL E. ADAMS

This employment Agreement is made between Daniel E. Adams (herein after "Adams") and the City of Margate (herein after "City"), a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, as set forth this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2019.

**WHEREAS**, Adams currently serves as the Chief of Fire Department of the City, and has done so since February 15, 2018; and,

WHEREAS, both the City and Adams desire to memorialize in writing an agreement pertaining to Adams continuing to serve in his position

**NOW, THEREFORE** pursuant to Resolution #282-2019 duly approved by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City on December 19, 2019, the parties agree as follows;

#### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT.

This agreement shall cover the time period of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021.

#### 2. HEALTH INSURANCE.

Adams shall receive the same medical, prescription, dental and vision insurance, if applicable, that the other non-union City managerial employees receive.

#### 3. VACATION.

Adams shall receive twenty-eight (28) eight hour vacation days annually for calendar year 2020 and twenty-five (25) eight hour vacation days annually for calendar year 2021.

#### 4. SICK TIME.

Adams shall be entitled to fifteen (15) sick days annually. For each year in which Adams has 100 days accumulated as of December 1 of that year he shall be entitled to sell back up to 5 days at his daily base rate of pay.

#### 5. HOLIDAYS.

Adams shall be off from duty on all City recognized holidays for non-union managerial employees. If he is required to work for any reason, he shall do so without compensation but may take compensatory time off within the pay period.

#### 6. OVERTIME.

Adams shall not be entitled to receive and shall not be eligible to receive overtime pay or any other pay or time off in his capacity as Chief of Fire Department unless provided for in this contract.

- 7. Adams shall be paid an annual uniform allowance of \$700 for 2020. There shall be no uniform allowance for 2021.
- **8.** Adams shall be paid an annual Longevity pay of \$15,000 for 2020 which shall be capped at \$15,000 for 2021.
- 9. Adams shall be paid a base pay of \$158,000 for 2020 and a base pay of \$160,500 for 2021.

#### 10. FULLY BARGAINED AGREEMENT.

This agreement contains all of the promises and understandings of Adams and the City and there are no other agreements or understandings, except as set forth herein. This agreement and the obligations contained herein may be amended only by subsequent written agreement signed by Adams and the City, with the approval of the governing body. This agreement will supersede previous agreement dated February 15, 2018.

#### 12. GOVERNING LAW.

This agreement shall be covered by and considered and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey without regard to any principles of choice law that may otherwise be applicable.

#### 13. ACKONWLEDGEMENT.

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, ADAMS STATES THAT:

- A. HE HAS READ IT;
- B. HE AGREES WITH EVERYTHING CONTAINED HEREIN;
- C. HE HAS BEEN ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY OF HIS OWN CHOOSING PRIOR TO EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT;
- D. HE HAS BEEN GIVEN WHAT HE CONSIDERS TO BE A REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER THIS AGREEMENT PRIOR TO SIGNING IT;
- E. HE HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT HE MAY REVOKE THIS AGREEMENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS OF SIGNING IT; AND,
- F. HE HAS SIGNED THIS AGREEMENT KNOWINLY AND VOLUNTARILY AND IS ABLE TO DO SO OF HIS FREE WILL.

Daniel E. Adams	Date
THE CITY OF MARGATE, ATLANTIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY	
Michael Becker Mayor	Date
ATTEST:	
Johanna Casey, RMC	

## RESOLUTION #283-2019 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT AND RETIRMENT AGREEMENT WITH TAX COLLECTOR LINDA MORGAN

WHEREAS, an Employment and Retirement Agreement (hereinafter "Agreement") with Tax Collector, Linda Morgan, (hereinafter "Morgan"), and the City of Margate City (hereinafter "City") has been negotiated in order to resolve all retirement issues concerning Morgan; and

WHEREAS, upon review and approval the Governing Body has determined to approve the Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City that it does hereby accept the proposed Agreement and authorizes the Commissioner of Finance to execute said Agreement on behalf of the City; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Commissioner Maury Blumberg
- 2. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer
- 3. Linda Morgan, Tax Collector

#### ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg						X

## EMPLOYMENT AND RETIREMENT AGREEMENT WITH TAX COLLECTOR LINDA MORGAN

This employment and Retirement Agreement is made between Linda Morgan (herein after "Morgan") and the City of Margate (herein after "City"), a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, as set forth this 19 day of December, 2019.

**WHEREAS,** Morgan currently serves as the Tax Collector of the City, and has been an employee of the City since January 13, 1992; and,

WHEREAS, both the City and Morgan desire to memorialize in writing an agreement pertaining to Morgan continuing to serve in her position until her retirement no later than September 1,2020.

**NOW, THEREFORE** pursuant to Resolution #283-2019 duly approved by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City on December 19, 2019, the parties agree as follows;

#### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT AND COMPENSATION

This agreement shall cover the time period of December 19, 2019 through September 1, 2020. The salary increase for 2020 shall be 2.5% annually prorated to date of retirement.

#### 2. HEALTH INSURANCE

Morgan shall receive the same medical, prescription, dental and vision insurance, if applicable, that the other non-union City managerial employees receive.

#### 3. VACATION

Morgan will receive 25 eight hour days vacation annually, which shall

be pro-rated based on the number of months worked.

#### 4. SICK TIME

Morgan shall be entitled to fifteen (15) sick days annually, which shall be pro-rated based on the number of months worked.

#### 5. HOLIDAYS

Morgan shall be off from duty on all City recognized holidays for non-union managerial employees. If she is required to work for any reason, she shall do so without compensation or time-off.

#### 6. OVERTIME

Morgan shall not be entitled to receive and shall not be eligible to receive overtime pay or any other pay or time off in her capacity as Tax Collector.

#### 7. RETIREMENT PAYMENTS

It is acknowledged that the official retirement date is not later than September 1, 2020, at which time the Morgan pension will be based on the compensation figure effective at the end of her employment. In addition, Morgan shall be eligible for pay for one thirty five (135) unused sick days at her 2019 daily rate of pay. These one hundred thirty five (135) unused sick days are fifty percent (50%) of Morgan's estimated accumulated two hundred seventy (270) unused sick days. Any remaining unused sick days are to be donated to the city "Donated Sick Leave Bank" if permitted by statute and/or policy. Additionally, Morgan shall also be paid for up to twelve (12) unused vacation days at her 2019 daily rate of pay.

These retirement payments shall be divide into two (2) payments, the first amount up to \$16,000 to be paid prior to December 31, 2019 which may be paid into deferred compensation account as allowed by law and the second due no later than January 31, 2021.

If Morgan dies prior to resignation, retirement or payment in full by the City, Morgan's estate shall be paid for the above amounts of accrued unused sick time.

The terms under this provision are granted by the City for the terms of this agreement within its authority under the laws of the State of New Jersey.

#### 8. FULLY BARGAINED AGREEMENT

This agreement contains all of the promises and understandings of Morgan and the City and there are no other agreements or understandings, except as set forth herein. This agreement and the obligations contained herein may be amended only by subsequent written agreement signed by Morgan and the City, with the approval of the governing body.

#### 9. GOVERNING LAW

This agreement shall be covered by and considered and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey without regard to any principles of choice law that may otherwise be applicable.

#### 10. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, MORGAN STATES THAT:

- A. SHE HAS READ IT;
- B. SHE AGREES WITH EVERYTHING CONTAINED HEREIN;
- C. SHE HAS BEEN ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY OF IS OWN CHOOSING PRIOR TO EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT;
- D. SHE HAS BEEN GIVEN WHAT SHE CONSIDERS TO BE A REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER THIS AGREEMENT PRIOR TO SIGNING IT;
- E. SHE HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT SHE MAY REVOKE THIS AGREEMENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS OF SIGNING IT; AND,

F. SHE HAS SIGNED THIS AGREEMENT KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY AND IS ABLE TO DO SO OF HER OWN FREE WILL

Linda Morgan	Date
THE CITY OF MARGATE, ATLANTIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY	
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ATTEST:	
Johanna Casey, RMC	

#### Adjournment:

There being no further business, Mayor Becker called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Whereupon, the motion was made by Commissioner Amodeo and seconded by Mayor Becker to adjourn the meeting. A unanimous voice vote was taken adjourning the meeting at 4:50 p.m.

Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, New Jersey

Mayor, Michael Becker

Commissioner John F. Amodeo

Commissioner Maury Blumberg

Attest: Johanna Casey, RMC Municipal Clerk