



# ORDINANCE 09-2010

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

After a motion was offered by Councilman R Dellosso to approve this resolution, it was duly seconded by Councilman J Archibald

This motion was passed by the following vote:

<b>Ayes:</b>	Councilman J Archibald, Councilman R Dellosso, Councilman P Doyle, Councilman L Fligor and Councilman R Sutton (5)
<b>Nays:</b>	None (0)
<b>Abstain:</b>	Councilman J Hoffmann (1)
<b>Absent:</b>	None (0)

The Second Reading, Public Hearing and possible adoption is scheduled for April 28, 2010.

I, Dwayne M. Harris, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Atlantic Highlands, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby certify this to be a true copy of the action of the Governing Body at its meeting held April 14, 2010.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the Borough of Atlantic Highlands this 15th day of April 2010.

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Dwayne M. Harris, RMC