

**TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2019-26**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 42 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD, AND SPECIFICALLY ARTICLE II OF SAME ENTITLED “OUTSIDE EMPLOYMENT OF POLICE OFFICERS”**

**BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Chesterfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey as follows:

**ARTICLE I. AMENDED SECTIONS.**

**A. SECTION 42-21**, entitled **“Payment for Extra Duty Assignments; Establishment of Fund”**, and relating to the administrative costs associated with the payment for extra duty police assignments, is hereby amended as to the following subparagraphs:

**“42-21. Payment for Extra Duty Assignments; Establishment of Fund:**

A. [No Change]

B. The rate to be charged under this Section shall be as follows:

(1) Contracts signed at least 24 hours in advance of the assignment:

a. \$70.00 per hour per Police Officer Monday through Friday; and

b. \$97.50 per hour per Police Officer Saturday, Sunday and Holidays.

(2) Contract signed less than 24 hours in advance of the assignment:

a. [No Change]

b. [No Change]

(3) [No Change]”

**B. SECTION 42-22**, entitled **“Administrative Costs”**, is hereby amended to add the following sentence to the existing text:

“In the event that the Chief of Police arranges with surrounding police agencies to provide assistance in performing these outside police details, the \$15.00 per hour administrative fee shall be paid as follows: \$9.00 per hour will remain with Chesterfield Township to cover the costs associated with scheduling, coordinating, invoicing, etc.; and the balance of \$6.00 will be paid to the municipality from whom the assistance is lent, which \$6.00 shall cover the costs associated with mandatory payroll deductions for those hours.”

C. **SECTION 42-23**, entitled “**Use of Township Vehicles**”, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Police Officers engaging in off-duty activities, as authorized and required by this Article, may be permitted to utilize a municipal vehicle, subject to the approval of the Chief of Police. If a municipal vehicle is utilized, the private employer shall also pay the Township of Chesterfield a fee of \$150.00 for the first 8 hours of usage of said vehicle or any portion thereof; any additional hours beyond the first 8 hours will be billed at the rate of \$50.00 per each 4 hour increment, or portion thereof. A ‘day’, is defined as a 24-hour period beginning 12 midnight to 11:59:59 pm. A new day starts at midnight and thus, a new fee of \$150.00 begins at midnight in the event that usage of the police vehicle goes beyond 11:59:59

of the day.”

D. [No Change]

**ARTICLE II. REPEALER, SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE.**

A. Repealer. Any and all Ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistencies.

B. Severability. In the event that any clause, section, paragraph or sentence of this Ordinance is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the Township Committee hereby declares its intent that the balance of the Ordinance not affected by said invalidity shall remain in full force and effect to the extent that it allows the Township to meet the goals of the Ordinance.

C. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper passage in accordance with the law.

**CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE**

Introduced: November 13, 2019

Adopted: December 12, 2019

RECORD OF VOTE													
INTRODUCTION							ADOPTION						
TWP COMMITTEE	AYE	NAY	NV	AB	ORD	SEC	TWP COMMITTEE	AYE	NAY	NV	AB	ORD	SEC
S Dhopte	X						S Dhopte						
A Katz	X				X		A Katz						
J Liedtka	X						J Liedtka						
D Koetas-Dale	X					X	D Koetas-Dale						
R Romeu	X						R Romeu						
X – Indicates Vote    NV – Not Voting    AB – Absent    ORD – Motion    SEC - Seconded													

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