## TOWNSHIP OF LONG HILL ORDINANCE 493-22

## CONCERNING CAMPAIGN SIGNS AND SUPPLEMENTING AND AMENDING CHAPTER 3 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE ENTITLED "POLICE REGULATIONS"

**WHEREAS,** the Township Committee wants to make it clear to candidates for political office where they can place campaign signs in Township rights-of-way;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Long Hill in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that Chapter III of the Township Code entitled "Police Regulations" is hereby supplemented and amended as follows:

**Section 1.** Subsection 3-12.3-4 entitled "Temporary Signs Permitted Without a Permit" in section 3-12 is hereby supplemented and amended to read as follows:

## " 3-12.3-4 Temporary Signs Permitted Without a Permit.

- 1. The following temporary signs are permitted in all areas, on the subject private lot: only.
- 2. The following temporary signs are permitted in all areas, on any private lot or in the right-of-way <u>outside the curb or the paved portion of the roadway with the abutting property</u> owner's permission

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- "h. Political campaign signs shall be permitted in all zones/ Such signs shall not be permitted for a period exceeding 31 days in any campaign or event, inclusive of primaries, shall not exceed 12 square feet in area and shall be removed within five days of the conclusion of the campaign or event.
- i. <u>Political campaign signs shall not be permitted on any of the following Township properties</u> or in the right-of-way abutting such public properties:

Municipal Center, 915 Valley Road

Millington Schoolhouse, 1802 Long Hill Road

Community Center, South Warren Avenue

Public Works Department, South Warren Avenue

First Aid Squad, 949 Valley Road

Police Headquarters, 264 Mercer Street

Millington Volunteer Fire Company, 1891 Long Hill Road

Stirling Fire Company #1, 321 Somerset Street

Matthew G, Kantor Memorial Park, Valley Road

Meyersville Circle

- **Section 2.** Any and all other ordinances or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with any of the terms hereof are hereby repealed to such extent as they are so in conflict or inconsistent.
- **Section 3.** In case any article, section or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid in any court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect any other article, section or provision of this ordinance except insofar as the article, section or provision so declared invalid shall be inseparable from the remainder or any portion thereof.

Section 4. as required by law.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication

**ATTEST** 

Megan Phillips, RI

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Matthew Dorsi, Mayor