

ORDINANCE NO. 2022:03

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER XVIII OF THE
REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW MILFORD
ENTITLED "STREETS AND SIDEWALKS", THEREBY AMENDING
SECTION 18-3 ENTITLED "CLEAR VIEW AT INTERSECTIONS"**

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of New Milford have been advised that the present ordinance does not adequately address the concerns that presently affect the residents of New Milford; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of New Milford wish to amend Chapter XVIII entitled "Traffic" to address the concerns that affect the residents;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of New Milford that Chapter XVIII, Section 18-3.2, Notice Requiring Cutting of Plane life is hereby replaced in its entirety as follows:

§ 18-3.2 Notice Requiring Cutting of Plant Life.

In the event that the Borough Chief of Police determines that it is necessary and expedient for the preservation of the public safety to keep cut to a height of not more than two and one-half (2 1/2') feet any brush, shrub or plant life growing within ten (10') feet of any roadway and within twenty-five (25') feet of the intersection of two roadways in the Borough, the Chief of Police, or his/her designee, or the Property Maintenance Officer, or his/her designee, shall send by registered mail notice thereof, with their reasons, to the last known address of the owner or the tenant in possession of the lands, who shall thereby be obligated to perform the required cutting within 15 days of the date of mailing of the notice.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the remainder of this ordinance remains unchanged and that this amendment shall become effective upon passage and publication in accordance with law.