

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022:23**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER II OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW MILFORD ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION” TO REPLACE SECTION 2-19.10 ENTITLED “SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS”**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of New Milford (“Borough”) has determined that the creation of the new position of “Special Law Enforcement Officer: Class One,” is required in order to ensure that orderly, efficient, and effective services be provided in the Borough.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of New Milford, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. Section 2-19.10 shall be repealed and replaced as follows:

**2-19.10 Special Law Enforcement Officers**

- A. In accordance with the Special Law Enforcement Officers’ Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.8, et seq.; within the Borough there shall be the position of Special Law Enforcement Officer: Class One and Class Three.
  - B. No person shall be appointed as a Special Law Enforcement Officer within the Borough unless they meet the requirements set forth at N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.10.
  - C. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.15, Special Law Enforcement Officers shall fall under the supervision of the Chief of Police. However, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.14(a), Special Law Enforcement Officers shall not be considered members of the Borough’s Police Department.
  - D. The duties and responsibilities of the position of Special Law Enforcement Officer: Class One and Class Three shall be set by the Chief of Police, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.8, et seq.
2. There are no other changes to this Chapter and the remainder of Section 2-19 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of New Milford shall remain in full force and effect.
  3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.
  4. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to that section, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of this ordinance shall be deemed to be valid and effective.
  5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication in accordance with law.