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Township of Lower, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey

Ordinance # 2013-20

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE #2012-01; AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ADMINISTRATION OF GOVERNMENT, OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER

WHEREAS, Chapter 3, Article II, ss3-8 of the Code of the Township of Lower sets forth the Powers and Duties of the Township Council and was amended by Ordinance #2012-01 adding training policies for Council; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey Best Practices suggests that Council members should attend instructional courses covering the responsibilities and obligations of elected officials..

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Township Council of the Township of Lower, County of Cape May and the State of New Jersey as follows:

Section 1. Article II, Township Council, ss3-8B (4) (e) [3] shall be added and read:

[3] Elected Officials are required to attend, on an annual basis, at least one instructional course, approved for continuing education credits by DLGS, covering the responsibility and obligations of elected officials

Section 2. All other Ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 3. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining portions of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after final passage and Publication as provided by law.

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Thomas Conrad, Councilmember

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Adopted: Oct 7, 2013

Attest: Julie A. Picard
Julie A. Picard, Township Clerk