

**ORDINANCE 2019-16**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO MANDATE DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES BY THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 52:14-15f**

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2013 c. 28, authorizes local governments to mandate direct deposit for certain governmental employees effective after July 1, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2013 c. 28 permits governing bodies to grant exemptions on such terms and conditions as they deem necessary.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Township of Chatham, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

**Section 1.** All full time employees and elected public officials who receive compensation from the Township of Chatham are mandated to have direct deposit of their compensation as of March 1, 2015 in accordance with Chapter 28 P.L. 2013, as defined under N.J.S.A. 52:14-15f(b).

**Section 2.** Temporary employees who are employed by the Township of Chatham are exempt from the direct deposit mandate.

**Section 3.** Municipal employees may request, in writing, an exemption from the direct deposit mandate to the Township of Chatham Administrator. Such requests will be presented to the Township Committee at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Township Committee after the request is received by the Administrator. The Township Committee may grant such an exemption by Resolution and for good cause.

**Section 4.** If any Section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the Section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

**Section 5.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**Section 6.** This Ordinance shall take effect after final passage, adoption and publication according to law.

Introduced: September 12, 2019

Adopted: September 26, 2019

Attest:

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tayfun Selen, Mayor

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Gregory J. LaConte, Clerk