

BOROUGH OF CRESSKILL

ORDINANCE NO. 22-12-1594

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF CRESSKILL, CHAPTER 114 SPECIFICALLY REGARDING AMENDING ALL FEES, FINES, AND COSTS FOR ALL MONETARY PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS

WHEREAS, the current General Ordinances of the Borough of Cresskill contains numerous sections and subsections regarding fees, fines and costs; and

WHEREAS, the economic cost to amend, revise, or enact any Ordinance is significant and time consuming; and

WHEREAS, in order to manage or decrease the cost to amend, revise or enact any Ordinance, the Municipality is enacting this Ordinance amending an Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Council is of the opinion that in order to address all the revisions to the Municipal Ordinances regarding fee, fines, and costs, it is more efficient and cost effective to grant the Council the right to annually modify, amend, revise and/or enact any Ordinance Section or Subsection specifically regarding fees, fines or costs by Resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, that the Council reserves upon itself the power to annually introduce Resolutions amending, modifying, revising, changing, or implementing any financial aspect into any existing Ordinance, this process to amend shall include but not limited to, new fees, fines or costs; wherein the newly implemented increases shall be deemed effective on the introduction and adoption of a Resolution authorizing the financial changes noted therein.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, if the Council fails to annually amend, revise, or enact any Resolution modifying fees, fines and/or costs, or any other expense stated herein, it shall be conclusively presumed that the prior year's Resolution shall be classified as a "Carryover" until the Council adopts a revised Ordinance addressing the specific memorialized issue.

SEVERABILITY. If the provisions of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this ordinance shall be judged invalid in whole or in part or as applied to any particular circumstance or individual by a court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this ordinance.

REPEALER. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed as to such inconsistencies only.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication as required by law.