

HARDING TOWNSHIP
ORDINANCE NO. 10-11

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 123 (CANVASSING AND SOLICITING) OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDING CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE AND DENIAL OF PERMITS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDING, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 123-2 is hereby revised as follows:

§123-2 Authority to grant permit

The Township Clerk shall have the authority to grant permits to canvass, which shall specify the number of hours or days the permit will be in effect.

SECTION 2. Section 123-4 is hereby revised as follows:

§123-4 Refusal to issue permit

The Township Clerk shall refuse to issue a permit in cases where the application of the canvasser, on further investigation of the applicant's business or his or her criminal background check reveals that the applicant has been convicted of a violation of an ordinance from any New Jersey municipality, disorderly persons offense or crime involving violence, sexual abuse, fraud or other dishonesty.

SECTION 3. Section 123-7 is hereby revised as follows:

§ 123-7 Suspension or revocation of permit; appeal

Any permit granted under the provisions of this chapter may be suspended or revoked by the Mayor or his authorized representative upon satisfactory cause shown. Reasons for such suspension or revocation shall include

- A. Arrest or conviction of violation of an ordinance from any New Jersey municipality, disorderly persons offense or crime involving violence, sexual abuse, fraud or other dishonesty subsequent to the issuance of the permit.
- B. Violation of rules and regulations set forth in §123-5.
- C. After revocation or during suspension, such permit shall be invalid. The permittee may file an appeal of the revocation or suspension of the permit with the Township Clerk not more than five days after the suspension or revocation of the license. Unless the permittee consents to a longer period, the Township Committee shall hear and determine any appeal not more than twenty-five days following the date the appeal is filed.

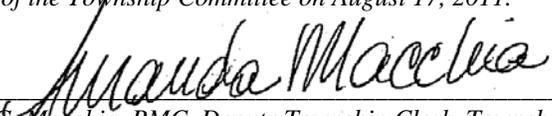
SECTION 4: If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence or any part of this ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this ordinance.

SECTION 5: All ordinances or parts of ordinances that are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 6: This ordinance shall take effect after final passage and publication as prescribed by law.

I, Amanda G. Macchia, Deputy Township Clerk of the Township of Harding, do hereby certify this document to be a true copy of the original ordinance as introduced at the meeting of the Township Committee on August 17, 2011.

Date: August 18, 2011


Amanda G. Macchia, RMC, Deputy Township Clerk, Township of Harding