

**TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2021-13**

**ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD AMENDING CHAPTER 176-88  
CAPTIONED "SIGNS"**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 176-88, Section L captioned "Temporary Signs", Paragraph 2 indicates in pertinent part that political signs are only allowed to be posted thirty (30) days prior to an election date; and

**WHEREAS**, upon further discussion by the Township Committee it has been determined that for political signs only the time period for allowing such a sign shall be forty-five (45) days prior to the election date.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Waterford, County of Camden, State of New Jersey, that for the reasons set forth in the Preamble hereinabove it hereby approves an Amendment to Chapter 176-88, Section L, captioned "Temporary Signs", Paragraph 2, as follows:

**Section 1.** All reference to Political Signs shall be removed.

**Section 2.** Chapter 176-88, Section L, captioned "Temporary Signs" shall be revised to read as follows:

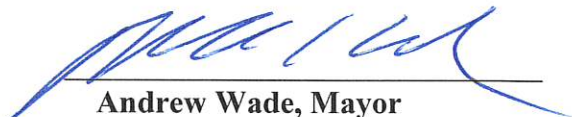
Temporary signs, advertising events such as business openings, fairs, bazaars, auctions or other special activities, including posters, shall be erected or placed so as not to obstruct or obscure visibility at corners or intersections or otherwise cause a traffic safety hazard. Such signs are allowed thirty (30) days prior to the event being advertised and must be removed within ten (10) days following the conclusion of the event. Signs erected by an ongoing business as a means of furthering its business activity or by an ongoing business or an individual as a means of selling real property shall not fall within this special activity designation. Political signs are permitted to be erected and placed forty-five (45) days prior to any election but are subject to the same ten (10) day removal requirement.

**Section 3.** All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances that are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**Section 4.** If the provisions of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance shall be judged invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this Ordinance.

**Section 5.** This Ordinance shall only take effect after final adoption and publication as required by law and approval by the New Jersey Pinelands Commission.

  
 Dawn Liedtka, RMC / CMR Clerk

  
 Andrew Wade, Mayor

Introduced: 8/11/2021  
 Public Hearing: 9/8/2021  
 Adopted: 9/8/2021

UPON INTRODUCTION ON August 11, 2021					
	GIANGIULIO	ROMOLINI	WILSON	YEATMAN	WADE
YES	✓	✓		✓	✓
ABSTAIN					
NO					
ABSENT			✓		

UPON ADOPTION ON 9/8 -2021					
	GIANGIULIO	ROMOLINI	WILSON	YEATMAN	WADE
YES	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ABSTAIN					
NO					
ABSENT					

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Dawn Liedtka, Clerk of the Township of Waterford, Camden County, New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be true and exact copy of the Ordinance which was finally adopted by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Waterford at a Meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021.

  
 Dawn Liedtka, RMC / CMR Clerk