BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE NO. 2023 - 8

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY REPEALING CHAPTER 3, SECTION 10

**BEEKEEPING** 

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey Department of Agriculture issued a letter dated July 14, 2023

to all municipalities regarding regulations of beekeeping activities and regulation of apiaries; and

WHEREAS, state law, N.J.S.A. 40:48-1.5, prohibits municipalities from adopting ordinances

regarding the regulation of keeping honeybees; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council and Mayor desire to repeal Chapter 3, Section 10 Beekeeping to

be in compliance with state law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Elmer,

County of Salem, State of New Jersey, that it hereby repeals Chapter 3, Section 10 in its entirety:

**SECTION 1 – REPEAL** 

§ 3-10. Bee

Beekeeping.

§ 3-10.1 Prohibited.

§ 3-10. 2 Violations and Penalties.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, should any ordinance or part thereof be found in conflict with this

ordinance or the provisions thereof, then those sections contained herein shall be deemed controlling.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all other sections of Chapter 3 shall remain in full force and

effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon final

passage and publication as required by law. Introduced at a regular meeting of Borough Council on July

August 9, 2023 and passed upon a second reading of Borough Council held on September 13, 2023.

**BOROUGH OF ELMER** 

BY:

Joseph Stemberger, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sarah D. Walker

**Registered Municipal Clerk** 

## **ROLL CALL VOTE as follows:**

	<b>MOTION</b>	SECOND	<b>AYES</b>	NAYS	<b>ABSTAINED</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
Schneider Davis						V
Nolan		~	~			
Foster	-	-	V			
Schalick			~			
Zee			V			

## NOTICE

The Ordinance published herein was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Elmer, in the County of Salem and State of New Jersey, held on August 9, 2023. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing hereon, at a meeting of said Mayor and Council to be held in the Borough Hall, 120 South Main Street, Elmer, New Jersey 08318, on September 13, 2023 at 7:30 P.M. During the week prior and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of said Ordinance will be made available at the Clerk's office at Borough Hall, 120 South Main Street, in the Borough, to the members of the general public who shall request the same.

Sarah D. Walker Registered Municipal Clerk

## PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE NO. 2023-8 AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY REPEALING CHAPTER 3, SECTION 10 BEEKEEPING

The foregoing named Ordinance was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Elmer on September 13, 2023.

Sarah D. Walker, Clerk 10/05/2023