

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 82 OF THE  
GREENWICH TOWNSHIP CODE ENTITLED “LENGTH  
OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM”**

**ORDINANCE NO. 15 - 2022**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 82 of the Greenwich Code outlines the Length of Service Awards Program (LOSAP) to reward volunteer fire fighters of the Gibbstown Volunteer Fire Company for their loyal, diligent and devoted services of the residents of the Township of Greenwich; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council wish to amend Chapter 82 of Greenwich Township Code to increase the amount of contributions to eligible members and to adjust the manner in which points are awarded in an effort to encourage members to attend more training, drills and meetings; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Township Council of the Township of Greenwich, Gloucester County, New Jersey that the Greenwich Township Code is hereby amended as follows:

**Section 1.** §82-3 Contribution Levels shall be amended to reflect the following:

§82-3 Contribution Levels.

The LOSAP shall provide for annual contributions to each eligible member who meets the criteria as follows:

A. Level 1: \$1,000.00

B. Level 2: \$1,350.00

C. Level 3: \$1,700.00

**Section 2.** §82-5 Crediting of Points shall be amended to reflect the following:

§82-5 Crediting of Points.

Each active volunteer member shall be credited with points for volunteer services provided by the Gibbstown Volunteer Fire Company as follows:

A. Point Levels

Level 1. Average to gain active status as defined in Article V Section 1 of the Constitution.

Level 2. Average to gain active status as defined in Article V Section 1 of the Constitution plus 5 points.

Level 3. Average to gain active status as defined in Article V Section 1 of the Constitution plus 10 points.

B. Activities Earning Points \*(Using Adjusted NFIRS Report)

Average of Calls, Meetings and Drills

Percentage Converts Directly to Points (ex. 30%= 30 points)

\*Call percentage based off numbers of NFIRS reported calls per that calendar year

\*Meeting percentage based off of 13 scheduled calendar year meetings

\*Drill percentage based off of 40 scheduled calendar year drills

C. Positions Earning Points

Points will be only added if Level 1 has been met by the person holding the position

Chief – 8 points

Deputy Chief- 8 points

Captains and Lieutenants- 4 points

Safety Officers- 2 points

NFIRS Coordinator 4 points

Engineer- 2 points

D. Outside Training Earning Points (Approved by Chief)

Courses longer than 8 hours in length - 1 point

Max of 5 points

Prorating of averages will be allowed if the new member is voted in on or before the April meeting.

**Section 3.** Effective: This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after adoption and publication as required by law.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF GREENWICH

\_\_\_\_\_  
HOLLY TROPEA, Acting  
Municipal Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
VINCENT GIOVANNITTI, Mayor

Introduced: October 17, 2022  
Advertised: October 21, 2022  
Adopted: November 21, 2022