

**TOWNSHIP OF ANDOVER
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE #2017-14

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ANDOVER, IN THE
COUNTY OF SUSSEX, AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO
MODIFY ARTICLE XI, SIGNS, CHAPTER 190, SECTION 91,
"GENERAL SIGN REQUIREMENTS" AT PARAGRAPH F**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Andover, in the County of Sussex, and the State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Code of the Township of Andover is hereby amended at Article XI, Signs, Chapter 190, Section 91, entitled "General Sign Requirements," Paragraph F, to read in its entirety as follows:

Article XI. Signs.

§190-91 General sign requirements.

The following types of signs or artificial lighting are prohibited in all zones:

- F. No sign shall be lighted by means of flashing or intermittent illumination. All lights used for the illumination of any use or building or the areas surrounding them or for the illumination or display of merchandise or products of business establishments shall be completely shielded from the view of vehicular traffic using the road or roads abutting such business properties. Floodlights used for the illumination of such premises, or of any sign thereon, whether or not such floodlights are attached to or separate from the building, shall not project above the highest elevation of the front wall of the building. In addition, such signs may be allowed upon approval of a special permit therefor issued by the Township Zoning Officer to be displayed on any property operated by the Township (municipal building/recreation), Police Department, Fire Department, and First Aid Squad. Any new electronic messaging signs shall be no larger than 32 sq. ft. per sign face and contain no more than four (4) lines of text, and must contain no less than a 30-second interval change. Any electronic messaging signs must be turned off between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. located in any zone district within the Township.

[Proposed amendments are underlined]

SECTION 2. All ordinances of the Township of Andover which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

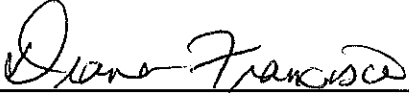
SECTION 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

INTRODUCED: 09-25-2017
ADOPTED: 10-23-2017
EFFECTIVE DATE: 10-2-2017

TOWNSHIP OF ANDOVER
COUNTY OF SUSSEX
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ATTEST:



Diana Francisco, Administrator

Date: 10-23-2017