

**TOWNSHIP OF HAMILTON  
ORDINANCE NO.: 1770-2014**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING EXHIBIT A, SECTION 1  
ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 66 OF THE CODE OF THE  
TOWNSHIP OF HAMILTON, PROVIDING FOR THE  
MAXIMUM NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES**

WHEREAS, the duties of Captain and OEM Coordinator have been expanded; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee has determined that it is in the best interest of the Township to create the position of Deputy Chief of Police/OEM COORDINATOR and that upon promotion delete the position of Captain of Police; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee has determined that the general oversight of all emergency services would be best assigned to one department for better coordination; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee has determined Chief of Police’s job description should be amended to include general oversight of all emergency services; and

WHEREAS, these changes will increase the personnel cost of this department;

WHEREAS, the salary increases will become effective May 1, 2014.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Hamilton, County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, that Article II of Chapter 66 of the Township Code, titled Personnel, shall be amended as follows:

**SECTION 1. Create Position**

Amend Exhibit “A” Section #1, entitled FULL-TIME DEPUTIES AND DIVISION CHIEFS, by adding the following position:

Deputy Chief of Police Maximum Salary .....\$135,000.00  
Deputy Chief of Police Starting Salary.....\$127,000.00

**SECTION 2.** Amend “CHART OF ORGANIZATION” by adding the following full-time position:

“Deputy Chief of Police” in the Police Department.

**SECTION 3.** Amend Exhibit “A” Section #1 entitled FULL-TIME DEPUTIES AND DIVISION CHIEFS by deleting the following full-time position:

“Captain of Police” in the Police Department.

**SECTION 4.** Amend Exhibit “A” Section #1 entitled FULL-TIME DEPARTMENT HEADS by deleting the salary maximum of \$130,000 and replacing it with \$140,000:

**SECTION 5.** Change the Salary of the Chief of Police to \$131,000 in recognition of the additional responsibilities that are being added to his job description as outlined in this ordinance.

**SECTION 6.** Amend Stacy Tappeiner’s and Michael Petuskey’s employment agreements to be consistent with this ordinance, and authorize the Mayor to sign same.

**Severability and Effectiveness Clause.**

- (a) If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, invalid, or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.
- (b) Any Ordinance inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance is hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 7. Effective Date.**

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication as provided by in law.

**TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE  
TOWNSHIP OF HAMILTON,  
COUNTY OF ATLANTIC and  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**ATTEST:**

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**Joan I. Anderson, R.M.C.  
Township Clerk**

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**Roger J. Silva, Mayor**

**ROLL CALL: DIX  
GATTO  
GUISHARD  
LINK  
SILVA**

**ORDINANCE #17 - 2014 INTRODUCED AND PASSED FIRST READING MAY 19., 2014.  
ORDINANCE #17 - 2014 ADOPTED , 2014.**