

TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM

ORDINANCE 5-3-2018

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM, FOUND AT CHAPTER 3 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Township Council of the Township of Evesham, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey as follows:

ARTICLE I. AMENDED SECTION. Section 3-13 of the Code of the Township of Evesham, entitled “Deputy Manager and Office of Development and Corporate Relations”, is hereby to delete paragraph A and replace same with the following two new paragraphs A & B:

“A. Senior Deputy Township Manager. The position of Senior Deputy Manager is hereby established, and in the discretion of the governing body, may be held by up to two (2) individuals. The Senior Deputy Manager(s) shall be appointed by the Township Manager, and be situated adjacent to or in the immediate vicinity of the Office of the Township Manager. The Senior Deputy Manager shall be eligible to serve as the Acting Township Manager in the temporary absence or disability of the Township Manager.

“B. Deputy Township Manager. The position of Deputy Township Manager is hereby established, and in the discretion of the governing body, may be shared by up to four (4) individuals, each of whom shall carry the title of “Deputy Manager for (special operational area to be identified at the

time of appointment).” The Deputy Township Manager(s) shall have such duties and responsibilities as may be proscribed, from time to time, by the Township Council and/or Township Manager, and said Deputy Manager(s) shall be appointed by the Township Manager and shall serve as said position at the pleasure of the Township Manager. A Deputy Township Manager shall be eligible to serve as Acting Township Administrator in the absence of the Township Manager and Senior Township Manager.”

ARTICLE II. AMENDED SECTION. Section 3-28.1, entitled “Township Planner”, is hereby amended in its entirety to now read as follows:

“3-28.1 Township Planner.

A. There shall be a Township Planner, who shall be appointed by the Township Manager for an indefinite term, and who shall serve at the pleasure of the Township Manager. The Township Planner’s compensation shall be set by the Township Manager within the parameters established by the Township’s Salary Ordinance for that position.

1. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Township Planner shall keep track of all time expended on development and redevelopment applications, so that the applicable Developer/Redeveloper escrow

accounts can be charged appropriately for the
Township Planner's time.

B. The Township Planner shall be a professional planner duly licensed in and by the State of New Jersey and a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners.

C. The Township Planner shall perform such duties as may be directed by the Township Manager. These duties, which may be amended by the Council or Township Manager from time to time, shall include at a minimum: responsibility to ensure compliance with all affordable housing requirements imposed by the State of New Jersey; review of, and participation in negotiations regarding, redevelopment projects; responsibility for maintaining and ensuring compliance with the Township's Master Plan and related elements; advising the governing body, Township Manager and Department of Community Development on recommended revisions to the Township's Land Use Ordinances; oversight and coordination of special planning projects and/or planning consultants retained for such projects; and review of development applications pending before both the Township's Planning Board and Zoning Board."

ARTICLE III. AMENDED SECTION. Section 3-71.2, entitled "Planning Board Planning, Zoning Board of Adjustment Planner", is hereby repealed.

ARTICLE IV. REPEALER, SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

- A. Repealer. Any and all Ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistencies.
- B. Severability. In the event that any clause, section, paragraph or sentence of this Ordinance is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the Township Council hereby declares its intent that the balance of the Ordinance not affected by said invalidity shall remain in full force and effect to the extent that it allows the Township to meet the goals of the Ordinance.
- C. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper passage in accordance with the law.

Please take notice that the ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed on first reading at the Regular Meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Evesham in the County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, held on February 6, 2018, and said ordinance will be further considered for final passage after public hearing at a meeting of said Township Council to be held on March 6, 2018, at 6:30 P.M. in the Municipal Complex, 984 Tuckerton Road, Marlton, New Jersey, at which time and place all persons interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance.

Mary Lou Bergh, RMC
Township Clerk