

ORDINANCE 2023-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC, OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE, PART I, ON-STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS § 7-13, PARKING PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS.

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:48-2, New Jersey municipalities may make, amend, and enforce ordinances they deem necessary and proper for the order and protection of persons and public health, safety and welfare of the municipality and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, concerns have been raised regarding parking on Southern Boulevard in the Township of Chatham and the negative impact it has as it relates to emergency vehicles entering and exiting the municipal police department and public works buildings; and

WHEREAS, specifically, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:67-1, the Township of Chatham’s governing body is authorized to amend and enforce ordinances to prevent and remove all encroachments, obstructions, and encumbrances in and/or upon all streets.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, in the County of Morris, and State of New Jersey, that Chapter 7 Traffic, shall be amended as follows:

SECTION 1. Part I., On-Street Traffic Regulations, § 7-13. Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets, be amended to include the following street and location:

<u>Name of Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Location</u>
Southern Boulevard	Both	Beginning from the entrance and exit of the Police Station 1,000 feet South and 1,000 feet North”

SECTION 2. The Police Department is required to obtain approval from the County of Morris to regulate said parking inasmuch as Southern Boulevard is a County road, and the Township will place appropriate “No Parking” signage.

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

SECTION 4. All ordinances of the Township of Chatham which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

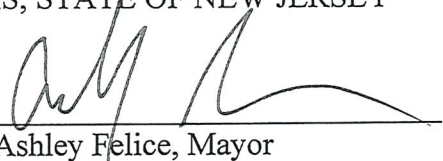
SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication.

Introduced: February 21, 2023

Adopted: March 21, 2023

Attest:

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BY: 
Ashley Felice, Mayor


Gregory J. LaConte, Clerk