

ORDINANCE #25-25

BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BOROUGH'S FEE EXEMPTIONS TO INCLUDE THE SAYREVILLE POLICE AUXILIARY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Borough of Sayreville, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, that the Code of the Borough of Sayreville, is hereinafter supplemented and amended as follows:

SECTION ONE. Subsection 8-1.14 entitled "Fee Exemptions" of Section 8-1 entitled "General Provision" of Chapter VIII entitled "General Licensing" of the Sayreville Borough Code of Ordinances is hereby supplemented and amended to read as follows: [New language in **bold and underlined**; deleted language in ~~double strikethrough~~.]

CHAPTER VIII – General Licensing

8-1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS.

8-1.14 – Fee Exemptions.

- a. Notwithstanding the content of any State Statute, or code, any resident of the Borough of Sayreville who is a member in good standing of a duly authorized **police auxiliary**, volunteer fire department, and/or volunteer first aid squad recognized by the Borough of Sayreville, shall be entitled to a waiver of any license fee or portion thereof which is not specifically mandated or fixed by State Statute or regulation. Said fee waiver shall apply only to individuals who are members in good standing for at least two (2) years in a recognized **police auxiliary**, volunteer fire department and/or volunteer first aid squad of the Borough of Sayreville and, who has received training as required by the State of New Jersey, County of Middlesex and/or Borough of Sayreville. Said fee waiver shall apply only to the individual resident and shall not apply to any business organization, or corporate entity in which the individual is a shareholder, stockholder, partner or principal agent, except that an individual may apply for a fee waiver similar to the fee waiver granted to veterans of military services pursuant to State Statutes.

SECTION TWO. Severability Clause.

If any article, 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 and they shall remain in full force and effect, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

SECTION THREE. Repealer.

All ordinances and resolutions, and parts of ordinances and resolutions which are inconsistent with provisions of this Ordinance shall be, and are hereby, repealed to the extent of any such inconsistency.

SECTION FOUR. Mayor Approval.

Within five (5) days after its adoption by the Council, this Ordinance shall be presented to the Mayor for his approval and signature, which approval shall be granted or denied within ten (10) days of receipt of same, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:60-5(d). If the Mayor fails to return this Ordinance with either his approval or objection to same within ten (10) days after it has been presented to him, then this Ordinance shall be deemed approved

SECTION FIVE. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication in accordance with law; and approval by the Mayor pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:60-5(d).

INTRODUCED/APPROVED ON FIRST READING

DATED: September 23, 2025

Jessica Morelos, R.M.C.
Clerk of the Borough of Sayreville

Daniel Balka, Councilman
(Admin & Finance Committee)
Borough of Sayreville

ADOPTED ON SECOND READING

DATED: October 14, 2025

Jessica Morelos, R.M.C.
Clerk of the Borough of Sayreville

Daniel Balka, Councilman
(Admin & Finance Committee)
Borough of Sayreville

APPROVAL BY THE MAYOR ON THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2025.

Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor
Borough of Sayreville

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Borough Attorney