

ORDINANCE NO. 00-

**TOWNSHIP OF HOPE
WARREN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING THE
CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, NEW JERSEY
TO CREATE A NEW CHAPTER 3-30
(DRUNK DRIVING FREE SCHOOL ZONES)**

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

Section **The Revised General Ordinances of the Township of Hope, New Jersey is hereby amended to add Chapter 3-30 (Drunk Driving Free School Zones) to read as follows:**

3-30.1: Designation of School Crossings.

In accordance with and pursuant to the authority of P.L. 1999 Ch. 185 the following is a list of school crossings which have been so designated by the Township of Hope,

3-30.2. Adoption of Map.

The Drunk Driving Free School Zones Map produced on or about by N.B. Rodman, P.E., the Township Engineer, is hereby approved and adopted as an official finding and record of the location and areas within the municipality of property which is used for school purposes and which is owned by or leased to any elementary or secondary school on school land and of the areas on or within one thousand (1,000) feet of such school property.

3-30.3. Map and List to Constitute Official Findings.

The Drunk Driving Free School Zones Map approved and adopted pursuant to §3-30.2 of this chapter shall continue to constitute an official finding and record as to the location and boundaries of areas on or within on thousand (1,000) feet of property owned by or leased to any elementary or secondary school or school board which is used for school purposes until such time, if any, that this chapter shall be amended to reflect any additions or deletions with respect to the location and boundaries of school property and drunk driving free school zones. The list of school crossings designated above by the Township Committee shall continue to constitute an official finding and record of the location of school crossing zones within the Township of Hope until such time, if any, that this chapter shall be amended to reflect any additions or deletions with respect to school crossing zones in Hope Township.

3-30.4. Changes in Locations or Boundaries.

The school board, or the chief administrative officer in the case of any private or parochial school, is hereby directed and shall have the continuing obligation to promptly notify the office of the Township Engineer and the Township Attorney of any changes or contemplated changes in the location and boundaries of any property owned by or leased to any elementary or secondary school or school board and which is used for school purposes or of any additions or deletions to school crossings.

3-30.5. Original Map and List to be on File: Copies.

The Township Clerk is hereby directed to receive and to keep on file the original of the map approved and adopted pursuant to §3-30.2 of this chapter and the list of school crossings and to provide at a reasonable cost a true copy thereof to any person, agency or court which may from time to time request such a copy, along with a certification that such copy is a true copy of the map approved and adopted herein and kept on file. It is hereby

further directed that a true copy of such map and list and of this chapter shall be provided without cost to the Warren County Clerk and to the office of the Warren County Prosecutor.

3-30.6. Map and List as Evidence.

The following additional matters are hereby determined, declared, recited and stated:

It is understood that the map and list approved and adopted pursuant to this chapter was prepared and is intended to be used as evidence in prosecutions arising under the criminal and traffic laws of this state and that, pursuant to state law, such map and list shall constitute *prima facie* evidence of the following:

- (1) The location of elementary and secondary schools within the municipality.
- (2) The boundaries of the real property which is owned by or leased to such schools or a school board.
- (3) That such school property is and continues to be used for school purposes.
- (4) The location and boundaries of areas which are on or within one thousand (1,000) feet of such school property.
- (5) The location of all school crossings in the Township of Hope.

Section II. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section III. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to that section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged, and the remainder of this ordinance shall be deemed to be valid and effective.

Section IV. This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication pursuant to law.

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INTRODUCTION:

Resolution:

Second:

Committee Polled:

Date of Publication:

ADOPTION:

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TIMOTHY McDONOUGH, MAYOR

MARY PAT QUINN, Clerk