

BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE
ORDINANCE #24-02

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 33 OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE, ENTITLED FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of River Edge that the following amendments to Section 33-11 entitled “Reimbursement of expenses/clothing allowance” is hereby approved:

Section 1. Subsection A, “Appropriation and payments to cover losses incurred” shall be amended by the following:

Delete:

(1) The governing body of the Borough of River Edge may by resolution appropriate and pay each year to any active volunteer firefighter doing public fire duty under the control or supervision of the governing body such sum as in the judgment of the governing body will be sufficient to cover any losses incurred by him in attending upon dispatches in the municipality under and within which he may be doing public fire duty. The Municipal Clerk shall keep a true and complete list of the active volunteer firefighters of the Borough. The total cost to the Borough in any year shall not exceed \$60,000.

(2) To be eligible to receive the clothing allowance provided herein, all members must timely submit all necessary payroll forms, including but not limited to an I-9 and W-4 or W-9, to the Borough Finance Department. The Borough will issue payroll checks, less applicable deductions, on January 15 of each year to each member entitled to clothing allowance for their performance of duties in the prior year via the Borough payroll system.

Add:

(1) The governing body of the Borough of River Edge may by resolution appropriate and pay each year to any active volunteer firefighter doing public fire duty under the control or supervision of the governing body such sum as in the judgment of the governing body will be sufficient to cover any losses incurred by him in attending upon dispatches in the municipality under and within which he may be doing public fire duty. The Municipal Clerk shall keep a true and complete list of the active volunteer firefighters of the Borough. The total cost to the Borough in any year shall not exceed \$80,000.

(2) To be eligible to receive the clothing allowance provided herein, all members must timely submit all necessary payroll forms, including but not limited to an I-9 and W-4 or W-9, to the Borough Finance Department. The Borough will issue payroll checks, less applicable deductions, on January 31 of each year to each member entitled to clothing allowance for their performance of duties in the prior year via the Borough payroll system.

Section 2. Any and all other ordinances or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with any of the terms hereof are hereby repealed to such extent as they are so in conflict or inconsistent.

Section 3. In case any article, section or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid in any court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect any other article, section or provision of this ordinance except insofar as the article, section or provision so declared invalid shall be inseparable from the remainder or any portion thereof.


Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication as required by law.

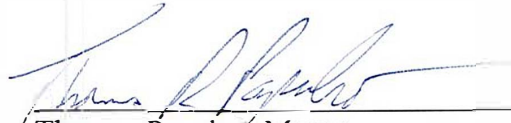
INTRODUCED: January 22, 2024

ADOPTED: February 15, 2024

	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Kaufman	X		X			
Montisano-Koen			X			
Kinsella		X	X			
Malellari			X			
Benson			X			
Glass			X			
Mayor Papaleo						

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of River Edge on February 15, 2024


 Anne Dodd, RMC
 Borough Clerk


 Thomas Papaleo, Mayor