

## The Phoenix House circa 1820

# The Borough of Mendham

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Incorporated May 15, 1906

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May 21, 2014

Ms. Kim Guadagno Secretary of State N.J. Department of State 225 West State Street P.O. Box 300 Trenton, NJ 08625

Dear Secretary of State Guadagno:

Attached is a certified copy of Ordinance #3-14 adopted by the governing body of the Borough of Mendham implementing 'resident permit parking' on Orchard Street in our municipality.

Thank you.

Respectfully yours,

Maureen Massey, RMC

Borough Clerk

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# BOROUGH OF MENDHAM MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

#### **ORDINANCE #3-14**

Rev. 4.21.14/ Rev. 5.1.14

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF MENDHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SUPPLEMENTING THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF MENDHAM, NEW JERSEY, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 206, "VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC," TO ADD ARTICLE XVII, "RESIDENT PERMIT PARKING ONLY" TO PROVIDE FOR PARKING ON ORCHARD STREET BY PERMIT ONLY

WHEREAS, Orchard Street is a residential area; and

WHEREAS, there is a limited amount of parking on Orchard Street; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mendham (the "Borough") has been advised that Orchard Street is being utilized for parking by non-residents such that the residents are without means to park outside of their homes; and

WHEREAS, the Borough wishes to ensure adequate parking for its residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Mendham, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 206, "Vehicles and Traffic," of the Code of the Borough of Mendham is hereby supplemented to add Article XVII, "Resident Parking Permit Only" which shall read as follows:

### **Article XVII - Resident Permit Parking Only**

### § 206-79. Resident Permit Parking Only.

- A. The Borough of Mendham hereby designates the entire eastern length of Orchard Street from Main Street to the cul-de-sac as a permit parking area in which only resident vehicles displaying valid permit parking decals may stand or be parked. The Chief of Police shall cause signs to be posted on Orchard Street designating the street as, "Parking by Permit Parking Decal Only." Decal parking shall only be allowed on Orchard Street as set forth in § 206-46 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday; 8:00 am to 12:00PM (Noon) on Saturday.
- B. The permit parking decal shall be displayed in the driver's side rear door window facing outward so that it can be clearly read from the outside of the vehicle.

## § 206-80. Application for Permit Parking Decal.

- A. The Borough shall issue permit parking decals upon application and proof of residency on Orchard Street by the applicant. Each residence will be issued a decal for each vehicle registered to that address. Application for parking permits under this article shall be made in writing to the Borough Clerk, or his/her designee, upon such forms as may be promulgated. An applicant shall be required to show satisfactory evidence that he/she fulfills all the conditions required for a permit, such as a driver's license showing residency on Orchard Street as well as identification of said vehicle(s).
- B. It shall be unlawful for any person to represent that he is entitled to a permit under this article when he/she is not so entitled, to fail to surrender a permit to which he/she is no longer entitled, or to park a vehicle displaying such permit at any time when the holder of such permit is not entitled to possess such a permit.

Each parking permit decal shall remain valid for the calendar year during which the decal is issued.

#### § 206-81. Visitor Parking.

One (1) visitor's permit shall be issued per household decal issued pursuant to § 206-80. There shall be no additional fee for a visitor's permit. Each residence shall be entitled to no more then two visitor permits per calendar year unless exceptional circumstances prevail.

#### § 206-82. Penalties.

- Invalid Parking. Any vehicle parking on Orchard Street without a valid parking decal shall receive a summons with a fine of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35). If an unauthorized vehicle is left for a continuous 24-hour period, it may be immobilized with a vehicle boot. The vehicle owner/operator shall be responsible for the cost to remove the boot prior to removal. If an unauthorized vehicle remains for 24 hours after booting, it will be towed. The vehicle owner/operator shall be responsible for the cost to remove the boot in addition to the cost of the vehicle tow and storage.
- Counterfeit. It shall be unlawful for a person to copy, produce or otherwise bring into existence a facsimile or counterfeit parking decal. It shall be unlawful for a person to knowingly use or display an altered, facsimile or counterfeit parking decal in order to invalidly park on Orchard Street. Such a violation shall result in a penalty as set forth in §1-15 of the Borough Code.
- SECTION 2. All ordinances of the Borough of Mendham which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.
- **SECTION 3.** If any section, 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.
  - **SECTION 4.** This Ordinance may be renumbered for purposes of codification.
- SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval and publication as required by law.
- SECTION 6. A copy of this Ordinance shall be immediately filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey.

Introduced: April 21, 2014

Public Hearing/Adoption: May 19, 2014

DATED: May 19, 2014

AT,TEST:

Maureen Massey, RMC,

Borough Clerk

Neil Herry, Mayor

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**CERTIFICATION** 

I, Maureen Massey, Clerk of the Borough of Mendham, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a resolution/ordinance adopted at a meeting of the Mayor and Council held on

Borough Clerk

Maureen