

**TOWNSHIP OF MANSFIELD
COUNTY OF BURLINGTON**

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-7

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 2006-2
WHICH ESTABLISHED CERTAIN TRAFFIC
REGULATIONS IN AND FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF
MANSFIELD, INCLUDING THE DESIGNATION OF
NO PARKING AREAS ON CERTAIN ROADWAYS
WITHIN MANSFIELD TOWNSHIP, INCLUDING
THE APPLICATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF
SUBTITLE ONE OF TITLE 39 OF THE NEW
JERSEY STATUTES**

WHEREAS, currently street parking is occurring along a portion of Island Road with the intersection of the Northern Burlington School Access Driveway in the Township; and

WHEREAS, the current street parking has created a hazardous condition in that the proper Access Driveway Site Distances are not being met; and

WHEREAS, the Township has received a number of calls concerning the current parking conditions along Island Road in the area of the access driveway; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee has requested that the Township Engineer, Rick Brown, perform a study of the area and provide recommendations; and

WHEREAS, the Township engineer in a report dated _____, provided the American Association of State Highway Transportation Officials, (ASSHTO), recommended ASSHTO minimum standards for access driveway site distances; and

WHEREAS, the recommendation to apply the ASSHTO standards, which is an accepted source that is recognized by the New Jersey Department of Transportation, as well as other transportation agencies, will result in the loss of eight parking spaces (three north of the school access driveway and five south of the school access driveway); and

WHEREAS, the elimination of the eight parking spaces in this area of Island Road will allow for and provide the minimum ASSHTO standards for Access Driveway Site Distances; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 60, Section 60-8.1 et. seq, allows the Township to impose no parking areas on certain streets within the Township; and

WHEREAS, Island Road is a street within the Township governed by Chapter 60; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED AND ESTABLISHED, by the Township of Mansfield in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey that the following amendment shall be established and become enforceable:

Chapter 60, Section, 60-8.2 Schedule: Parking Prohibited is amended to include the following;

PARKING WILL BE PROHIBITED ALONG A PORTION OF ISLAND ROAD AND THE INTERSECTION OF THE SCHOOL ACCESS DRIVEWAY AS DELINEATED BY THE “NO PARKING HERE TO THE CORNER” SIGNS INSTALLED ALONG ISLAND ROAD.

SECTION EIGHT. Signs. All signs shall conform to the current edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices pursuant to N.J.S.A 39:4-198 and N.J.S.A. 39:4-183.27. The Township shall erect all such traffic control devices in accordance with this Ordinance

SECTION NINE. Penalties. Unless another penalty is expressly provided for by statute, every person convicted of a violation of this ordinance or any supplement thereto shall be subject to a penalty of not less than \$35.00 nor more than \$350.00 or imprisonment for a period of not more than fifteen (15) days or both.

SECTION TEN. Dedication. In the event of the dedication of any of the roads, streets, or parking lots encompassed by this Ordinance to the Township of Mansfield and the acceptance of such roads, streets, or parking lots by the Township, such roads, streets, and parking lots shall become subject to the provisions of Title 39 of the Revised New Jersey Statutes in the same way and manner as any other public street including the penalty provisions of laws and ordinances applicable to public rights of way, notwithstanding the provisions of Section Nine, above.

REPEALER, SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

- A. Repealer. Any and all Ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistencies.
- B. Severability. In the event that any clause, section, paragraph or sentence of this Ordinance is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the Township Committee hereby declares its intent that the balance of the Ordinance not affected by said invalidity shall remain in full force and effect to the extent that it allows the Township to meet the goals of the Ordinance.

- C. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper passage in accordance with the law.