

**WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP  
GLOUCESTER COUNTY**

**ORDINANCE 15 - 2016**

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 178 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF  
WASHINGTON IN ORDER TO FULLY CONFORM TO THE PAY TO PLAY PROVISIONS  
ADOPTED BY THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY AS N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.1 ET SEQ**

WHEREAS, Chapter 178 of the Code of the Township of Washington in large part duplicates the Pay to Play provisions adopted by the State of New Jersey as N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq., and

WHEREAS, Chapter 178 contains inconsistencies, is difficult to enforce, and has caused confusion with regard to its interpretation; and

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey, in adopting N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq. provided a thorough procedure to prevent campaign finance abuses in municipalities and counties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

Articles I and II of Chapter 178 of the Code of the Township of Washington are hereby deleted and replaced with the following:

The Township of Washington is governed by the "Pay to Play" provisions as adopted by the State of New Jersey as N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.1 et seq. to the extent they are applicable to municipalities.

This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after final passage by Council or twenty (20) days after approval by the Mayor, whichever comes first.

Introduced: May 25, 2016

	NEWMAN	FAZZIO	MARTIN	DONATO	LONGFELLOW
YES	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ABSTAIN					
NO					
ABSENT					
RECUSE					

Public Hearing: June 8, 2016

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YES	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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