ORDINANCE 2024-26

AN ORDINANCE OF COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 213 OF THE CODE OF COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP ENTITLED "TOWING"

WHEREAS, a need by the Colts Neck Police Department to ensure the availability of qualified towing companies for regular and heavy-duty towing in the Township; and

WHEREAS, to achieve this there is a desire to expand the geographic distance allowed for towing companies to be eligible to apply for a permit from two miles to five miles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey as follows: (additions to text indicated by underline; deletions to text indicated by ~~strikeout~~).

§213-4. Permit required.

No operator shall be eligible for inclusion on the rotating call lists described in this chapter unless such operator shall obtain a permit from the Chief of Police of the Township of Colts Neck or his or her designee for each tow truck/wrecker vehicle which will respond to towing calls. All permittees must possess a storage facility as described and defined in § 213-13 physically located within the Township or no further than ~~two~~ five driving miles from the Township border. Permittees shall be included on a rotating call list pursuant to § 213-16. The maximum number of businesses eligible for inclusion on the rotating call list where a permittee has common ownership or interest shall be two.

§213-13. Authorized storage facility requirements.

A. The permittees shall have their principal place of business, garage and/or storage facility opened to the public and operated at least during normal business hours, Mondays through Fridays and at least 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Saturdays. These requirements do not apply to legal holidays. The storage facility must be physically located within the Township or no further than ~~two~~ five driving miles from the Township Border.

I hereby certify the Ordinance foregoing to be a true copy of an Ordinance introduced by the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township on the 30th day of October 2024. A public hearing will be held on November 13, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Town Hall, 1 Veterans Way.

Frank Rizzuto, Mayor

Trina Lindsey, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF VOTE										
	First Reading					Second Reading				
	October 30, 2024					November 13, 2024				
	M	S	Yes	No	NV	Ab	M	S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Rizzuto												
Deputy Mayor Buss												
Viola												
Bartolomeo												
Fitzpatrick												
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent												