



# AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING ORDINANCE ADOPTION

State of New Jersey  
County of Monmouth

I, **Trina Lindsey**, of full age, being duly sworn according to law, depose and say:

1. I am the duly appointed **Municipal Clerk** of the **Borough of Eatontown**, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey.
2. On **May 13, 2026**, the governing body of the Municipality adopted **Ordinance No. 08-2026**, entitled:

**"Ordinance of the Borough of Eatontown to Exceed the Municipal Budget Appropriations Limit and to Establish a CAP Bank (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45-14)."**

3. In accordance with applicable provisions of New Jersey law, including but not limited to N.J.S.A. 40:49-2 and other applicable statutes, I caused a true and correct copy of said ordinance, together with a notice of its adoption, to be posted on the official website of the Municipality located at:

<https://www.eatontownnj.com/>

4. The ordinance and notice of adoption were posted on:
  - o **Date of Posting: May 14, 2026**
  - o **Time of Posting (if applicable): 10:00 am**
5. The ordinance and notice remained continuously available for public inspection on the municipal website for the period required by law.
6. A true and correct copy of the ordinance and the notice as posted are attached hereto.

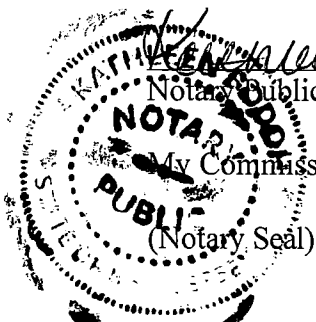
I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

*Trina Lindsey*

Printed Name: **Trina Lindsey**  
Municipal Clerk, RMC  
Borough of Eatontown

Date: May 15, 2026

Sworn and subscribed before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2026.



*Kathleen Bodoh*  
Notary Public of New Jersey

My Commission Expires: 08/18/2027

**KATHLEEN BODOH**  
Notary Public, State of New Jersey  
Comm. # 0050202318  
My Commission Expires 08/18/2027

**BOROUGH OF EATONTOWN – NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION**

NOTICE is hereby given that **Ordinance 08-2026 - Ordinance of the Borough of Eatontown Entitled "ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14)"** was passed after a public hearing at the regular meeting of **May 13, 2026**, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Eatontown, at 47 Broad Street, Eatontown, NJ 07724. Borough of Eatontown - Trina Lindsey, RMC, Borough Clerk

**ORDINANCE 08-2026**

**BOROUGH OF EATONTOWN**

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

**ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14)**

**WHEREAS**, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S. 40A: 4-45.1 et seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget to 2.0% unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exceptions; and,

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.15a provides that a municipality may, when authorized by ordinance, appropriate the difference between the amount of its actual final appropriation and the 3.5% percentage rate as an exception to its final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Eatontown in the County of Monmouth finds it advisable and necessary to increase its CY 2026 budget by up to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council hereby determines that a 3.5% increase in the budget for said year, amounting to \$1,005,124.89 of the increase in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council hereby determines that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Eatontown, in the County of Monmouth, a majority of the full authorized membership of this governing body affirmatively concurring, that, in the CY 2026 budget year, the final appropriations of the Borough of Eatontown shall, in accordance with this ordinance and N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14, be increased by 3.5 %, amounting to \$1,005,124.89 and that the CY 2026 municipal budget for the Borough of Eatontown be approved and adopted in accordance with this ordinance; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that any that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that a certified copy of this ordinance as introduced be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that a certified copy of this ordinance upon adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon, be filed with said Director within 5 days after such adoption.