

**CITY OF NORTHFIELD, NJ
ORDINANCE NO. 7- 2013**

**An Ordinance Amending Section 350 of the
City of Northfield Code (Towing)**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Northfield, Atlantic County, is of the opinion that the public interest will best be served by adopting additional provision and revisions to §350 of the Code of the City of Northfield;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Northfield as follows:

1. Chapter 350-5(B)(3) of the Code of the City of Northfield is hereby amended as follows:

B. (3) Each licensed towing operator will be charged a non-refundable annual renewal fee of \$250.

2. Chapter 350-6(B) of the Code of the City of Northfield is hereby amended as follows:

B. Provided the maximum number of licensed towing operators governed by § 350-7, below, is not met or exceeded the Clerk of the City of Northfield shall take applications for the licensing of tow operators from any applicant who asserts that he can comply with the terms of this chapter. In the event the maximum number of licensed towing operators governed by § 350-7, below, is met or exceeded the Clerk of the City of Northfield shall not accept any new applications for the licensing of tow operators.

3. Chapter 350-6(L) of the Code of the City of Northfield is hereby amended as follows:

L. Any applicant aggrieved by the rejection/denial of an application to be added to the list of licensed towing operators of the City of Northfield shall, upon written notice provided to the Chief of Police and the Clerk of the City of Northfield made by the aggrieved applicant within seven calendar days of that rejection/denial, be entitled to a hearing before the Council of the City of Northfield at said Council's next available meeting.

4. Chapter 350-7(I) of the Code of the City of Northfield is hereby amended as follows:

I. Any towing operator aggrieved by the actions of the Chief of Police of the City of Northfield or the Clerk of the City of Northfield in suspending the licensed towing operator's license and/or removal of his name from the list of licensed towing operators of the City of Northfield shall, upon written notice provided to the Chief of Police and the Clerk of the City of Northfield made by the aggrieved towing operator within seven calendar days of that suspension/removal, be entitled to a hearing before the Council of the City of Northfield at said Council's next available meeting.

5. All Ordinances or portions thereof which are inconsistent in whole or in part with the provisions contained herein are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistency.

6. This Ordinance shall take effect following its advertisement, public hearing and adoption in accordance with the law.

Mary Canesi, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Vince Mazzeo
Mayor

The above Ordinance was passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Northfield, New Jersey on the 25th day of June, 2013, and will be taken up for a second reading, public hearing and final passage at a meeting of said council held on the 23rd day of July, 2013, in Council Chambers, City Hall, Northfield, New Jersey.

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