

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE
A FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WINFIELD".

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Winfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, that in the future, the following requirements which are primarily for the purposes of the General Relief Fund Benefit, shall be incorporated in fire department ordinances, of any city, town, township, or borough, prior to the formation of a firemen's relief associations:

SECTION 1. No person shall hereafter become a member of the Fire Department of the Township of Winfield, or any unit thereof, unless above the age of twenty-one (21) and not over the age of thirty-five (35) a citizen of the United States, a resident of the Township of Winfield, County of Union, for upwards of one (1) year. He shall be physically fit to perform the duties of a fireman evidenced by a certificate to that effect by a practicing physician of the State of New Jersey after physical examination for that purpose.


SECTION 2. Every member of the Fire Department shall in each and every year perform at least sixty per cent (60%) of duty to be composed of actual attendance and duty at fires and drills and a record shall be kept of such attendance and duty by the Chief of the Fire Department and reported to the municipal officers annually.

SECTION 3. Every person seeking to join the Fire Department shall make application to the company or unit which he desires to join, and upon his election to membership by vote of a majority of the unit present and voting, he shall become a member in good standing of the fire department after approval of his membership by the Chief and confirmation by the Municipal Officers and his name shall be entered on a roll of firemen kept by the Municipal Clerk. He shall be given a badge of membership in his unit by the Township Committee, which badge shall be worn at all times when on duty and which shall be delivered up to the Chief at any time upon demand of the Chief, or whenever said person shall be under charges involving moral turpitude or neglect of duty, or for any cause shall cease to be an active fireman.

SECTION 4. Exemption Certificates will be issued to members of the Fire Department who shall have served seven years in active duty, under municipal control, as required by law of April 29, 1935, as amended May 26, 1936.

Chairman Township Committee

Introduced by



Guy J. Riccardi.

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Motioned by

George Bradbee.

Seconded by

Guy J. Riccardi.DATED: August 18, 1947NOTICE

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Winfield, held on August 18, 1947, and was given a second reading on August 22, 1947, and will be considered for final reading Friday, August 29, 1947, at 7 P.M.

The foregoing Ordinance was passed on final reading at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Winfield, held Friday, August 29, 1947.

Dorothy A. McElwee
Dorothy A. McElwee, Township Clerk.