

ORDINANCE #2020-3

NOTICE OF PENDING ORDINANCE

The ordinance below was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the governing body of the Township of Marlboro, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, on held on March 5, 2020. Said ordinance was tabled on March 19, 2020. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of the governing body to be held remotely on April 23, 2020 at 7 o'clock p.m.

Anyone who wishes to comment on the adoption of this ordinance may do so by contacting the Township Clerk up until 3:30 pm on April 23, 2020 at 732 536-0200 x1805. You will be asked to provide your name, address and phone number, and identify Ordinance #2020-3 as the item you wish to address. If you are directed to voicemail when you call, please indicate that you wish to speak on Ordinance #2020-3 on April 23, 2020, and leave your name, address and phone number. Just prior to the start of the meeting you will be called at your phone number to attend. The call will appear to come from a Webex number in California, and you must accept the call in order to participate. At the appropriate point in the meeting, you will be unmuted by the meeting host so that you may comment. Note that these instructions will also be available on the Township's website at www.marlboro-nj.gov/documents/agendas-minutes. Below is the ordinance in full:

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CALENDAR YEAR 2020

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 up to 2.5% 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 Township Council of the Township of Marlboro in the County of Monmouth finds it advisable and necessary to increase its CY 2020 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 Township Council hereby determines that a 3.5% increase in the budget for said year, amounting to \$309,741.51 in excess of the increase in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary; and,

WHEREAS, the Township 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 appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of Marlboro in the County of Monmouth, a majority of the full authorized membership of this governing body affirmatively concurring, that, in the CY 2020 budget year, the final appropriations of the Township of Marlboro shall, in accordance with this ordinance and N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14, be increased by 3.5%, amounting to \$1,084,095.29, and that the CY 2020 municipal budget for the Township of Marlboro 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.