

**Township of Lawrence  
County of Mercer**

**Ordinance No. 2196 -14**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2191-14 AN ORDINANCE TO MANDATE DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES BY THE TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE PURSUANT TO C. 52:1415f et. seq.**

**WHEREAS, P.L. 2013 c. 28, authorizes local governments to mandate direct deposit for certain governmental employees effective after July 1, 2014; and**

**WHEREAS, P.L. 2013 c. 28 permits governing bodies to grant exemptions on such terms and conditions as they deem necessary.**

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township of Lawrence, located in Mercer County, State of new Jersey according to the following:**

**Section 1.**

**All [full time] employees and elected public officials who receive compensation from the Township of Lawrence are mandated to have direct deposit of their compensation as of January 1, 2015 in accordance with Chapter 28 P.L. 2013, as defined under C.52:14-15f (b).**

**Section 2.**

**Seasonal and temporary employees who are employed by the Township of Lawrence are exempt from the direct deposit mandate.**

**Section 3.**

**Municipal employees may request, in writing, an exemption from the direct deposit mandate to the Municipal Manager. Such requests will be presented to the Lawrence Township Council within fourteen calendar days prior to the next regularly scheduled meeting of the governing body. The Lawrence Township Council may grant such an exemption by resolution and only for good cause.**

**Section 4.**

**If any Section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be judged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the Section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.**

**Section 5.**

**All ordinances or parts of ordinance inconsistent with or in conflict with the Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.**

**Section 6.**

**This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage, adoption and publication according to law.**

**Adopted: September 2, 2014**

**[ ] Indicates deletion**

**RECORD OF VOTE**

<b>COUNCIL</b>	<b>AYE</b>	<b>NAY</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>	<b>MOVE</b>	<b>SECOND</b>
<b>Mr. Brame</b>							
<b>Mr. Kownacki</b>							
<b>Dr. Maffei</b>							
<b>Mr. Powers</b>							
<b>Mayor Lewis</b>							