

**TOWN OF WEST NEW YORK
COUNTY OF HUDSON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE #7/18

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF WEST NEW YORK ENTITLED
“POLICE CHAPLAIN”**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:14-141 authorizes a Municipality to create the position of Police Chaplain and appoint one or more individuals to this position; and

WHEREAS, the Town of West New York seeks to appoint one (1) Police Chaplain.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of West New York as follows:

SECTION ONE

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-141, there is hereby created the honorary position of Police Chaplain in the Town of West New York Police Department. An individual appointed to be the Police Chaplain shall serve without salary. Such person shall be an ordained clergyman in good standing in the religious body from which such person is selected.

SECTION TWO

Severability. The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof for any reason be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not effect the validity of the remaining sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance, but shall remaining in effect; it being the legislative intent that this Ordinance shall stand notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.

SECTION THREE

Repealer. All Ordinances or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, but only however, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, it being the legislative intent that all Ordinances or part of ordinances now existing or in effect unless the same being conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance shall remain in effect.

SECTION FOUR

This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as required by law.

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

This ordinance creates the position of Police Chaplain within the West New York Police Department.

Introduced: March 15, 2018

Notice

The foregoing Bond Ordinance was adopted for first reading by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of West New York, New Jersey, **on March 15, 2018** and ordered published, and will be further considered before final passage at a public hearing on **April 19, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.** at the Commission Chambers, Municipal Building, West New York, NJ. A copy of this Ordinance has been posted on the bulletin board upon which public notices are customarily posted on in the Town Hall of the Town of West New York, and a copy (at no charge) is available up to and including the time of such meeting to the members of the public of the Town who shall request such copies, at the Office of the Town Clerk in said Town Hall in West New York, N.J.

Carmela Riccio, RMC
Town Clerk