Introduced: January 13, 2020

Adopted: January 27, 2020

THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE

ORDINANCE #2020-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING CHAPTER 3, SECTION 36B, "UNIFORMED OFFICERS" BY AMENDING THE NUMBER OF UNIFORMED OFFICERS.

WHEREAS, the Township of South Orange Village (the "Township") has by ordinance created a police department, with a Chief of Police and a certain number of police officers; and

WHEREAS, in order to comply with N.J.S.A. 40A:14-118 regarding the creation and organization of the police department, the civilian line of authority, and to ensure that internal investigations and discipline of police officers conforms with statute, regulations and appropriate guidelines promulgated by the Attorney General, and to provide Township Police Officers with appropriate due process, it is appropriate to amend sections of the Police Department ordinance,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Township of South Orange Village, a municipal corporation of New Jersey located in Essex County thereof, as follows:

Section 1.

Chapter 3, Section 36B is hereby amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

3-36.B. Uniformed officers. The South Orange Police Force shall consist of uniformed officers who shall occupy the following ranks:

(1) One (1) Chief of Police;
(2) No more than one (1) Captain of Police;
(3) No more than eight (8) Lieutenants of Police, including Detective Lieutenant;
(4) No more than eight (8) Sergeants of Police, including Detective Sergeant;
(5) No more than twenty – nine (29) police officers, inclusive of detectives; and
(6) No more than ten (10) Class 1 special police officers

Section 2.

Repealer

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 3.

This ordinance shall take effect after final passage and publication as required by law.

Section 4.

On passage this ordinance shall be codified.

Introduction – First Reading

Trustee Member	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Clarke			X			
Coallier			X			
Hartshorn Hilton			X			
Jones	X		X			
Schnall						X
Zuckerman		X	X			

CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin D. Harris, Village Clerk of the Township of South Orange Village, County of Essex, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that this Ordinance was introduced on first reading by the Board of Trustees at their meeting held on January 13, 2020.

Kevin D. Harris
Village Clerk

Adoption – Second Reading

Trustee Member	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Clarke	X		X			
Coallier			X			
Hartshorn Hilton			X			
Jones		X	X			
Schnall			X			
Zuckerman			X			

CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin D. Harris, Village Clerk of the Township of South Orange Village, County of Essex, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that this Ordinance was adopted on second reading by the Board of Trustees at their meeting held on January 27, 2020.

Kevin D. Harris
Village Clerk

Adopted:

Sheena C. Collum, Village President

Attest:

Kevin D. Harris, Village Clerk