

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ordinance #15-10 was introduced and passed on first reading at the regular meeting of the Mayor and Council on the 21st day of April, 2015 and that said Ordinance will be taken up for further consideration for final passage at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Council to be held on the 19th day of May, 2015 at 8:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as said matter can be reached, at which time and place all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning same.

Karen Hughes, Borough Clerk
Borough of Westwood

ORDINANCE NO. 15-10

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY, AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 59 OF THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 59-10(1). **Establishment of the Police Department**

There is hereby created in and for the Borough of Westwood a Police Department, which shall consist of no more than one Chief of Police, one Captain, three Lieutenants, five Sergeants, and 20 police officers, to be appointed to these positions by the Governing Body of the Borough Westwood. Notwithstanding the foregoing, at such time as any officer serving in the rank lieutenant is promoted to a higher rank, the number of positions as lieutenants in the Police Department shall be reduced from three to two. The decision whether or not to fill the mentioned positions remains within the discretion of the Governing Body.

Section 59-10(4).

Notwithstanding anything in this chapter to the contrary, the Borough of Westwood reserves the right to waive the written examination and/or oral interview components of the promotional process, when the number of eligible candidates for a particular position is equal to the number of vacant positions and the Borough intends to fill all vacant positions. If the Borough elects to so waive the written examination and/or oral interview components, all other components of the promotional process within this ordinance shall remain in effect.

Adopted: _____

Approved:

Attest:

John Birkner, Jr., Mayor

Karen Hughes, Borough Clerk