

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Ordinance #16-11 was introduced and passed on first reading on regular meeting of the Mayor and Council on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016, 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2016 at 8:00 p.m. in the Westwood Council Chambers, 101 Washington Avenue, Westwood N.J., 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.

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Karen Hughes, Borough Clerk  
Borough of Westwood

ORDINANCE NO. 16- 11

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION OF \$150,000 FOR THE PAYMENT OF CONTRACTUALLY REQUIRED SEVERANCE LIABILITIES RESULTING FROM RETIREMENT OF BOROUGH EMPLOYEES

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-53 provides that a municipality may adopt an ordinance providing for a special emergency appropriation for the payment of contractually required severance liabilities resulting from retirement of Borough employees; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Westwood, in the County of Bergen, New Jersey (the "Borough") has determined to undertake the payment of contractually required severance liabilities resulting from retirement of Borough employees; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of payment of contractually required severance liabilities resulting from retirement of Borough employees is \$150,000; NOW THEREFORE

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

Section 1. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-53, the sum of \$150,000 is hereby appropriated for the payment of contractually required severance liabilities resulting from retirement of Borough employees, and the same shall be deemed a special emergency appropriation as defined and provided for in N.J.S.A. 40A:4-55.

Section 2. The authorization to finance the appropriation shall be provided for in succeeding annual budgets commencing in 2016 by the inclusion of at least one fifth of the amount authorized by this ordinance and as provided in N.J.S.A. 40A:4-55.

Section 3. All contracts, expenditures, encumbrances and charges made pursuant to Resolution No. 15-272 (the "Resolution") adopted on December 1, 2015 are hereby ratified and approved and shall hereafter be deemed to have been made pursuant to this ordinance and the Resolution.

Section 4. A copy of this ordinance shall be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication as required by law.

Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

Approved:

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Karen Hughes, Borough Clerk

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John Birkner, Jr., Mayor