

ORDINANCE O:30-2023

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MONROE
TO AMEND CHAPTER 74 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MONROE,
ENTITLED "FEES"**

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of Monroe has recommended certain amendments to Chapter 74 of the Code of the Township of Monroe and has determined that it is in the best interest of the Township to amend this specific section.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Monroe that the Code of the Township of Monroe is hereby amended to include the amendments herein.

SECTION I. Chapter 74, entitled "Fees" is hereby amended as follows:

§ 74-10 Pfeiffer Community Center.

- A. Multipurpose room: parties only.
 - (1) Resident: \$75 per hour.
 - (2) Nonresident: \$125 per hour (maximum four hours).
- B. Meeting rooms A and B: monthly meetings.
 - (1) Nonprofit: \$20 (up to two meetings a month). There shall be no fee for any sports organization regulated by the Township falling under Ordinance No. O:47-2019.^[2]
 - (2) For-profit: \$25 (up to one meeting a month).
- C. Multipurpose room: monthly meetings.
 - (1) Nonprofit and resident: ~~\$25~~ **35** (maximum three hours for up to two meetings a month). There shall be no fee for any sports organization regulated by the Township falling under Ordinance No. O:47-2019.
 - (2) For-profit and nonresident: \$50 (maximum three hours for up to one meeting a month).
- D. Applicants will pay a non-refundable 50% use fee, if the room request is approved. The fee will be applied to the room rental deposit. The rest of the fee must be paid in full no later than 24-48 hours prior to event.**

§ 74-39 Police off-duty assignments.

The party requesting the service of a member of the Monroe Township Police Department provided for in § 69-20 of the Code of the Township of Monroe shall be charged and pay for such service at the following rates:

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A. Churches, schools, and nonprofit entities:

- (1) Per hour per police officer: ~~\$55~~ **70**.

NOTE: *All requests are a minimum of three hours. If the job is not canceled at least one hour prior to the start time, a three-hour minimum will be paid to the officers assigned to work the assignment.

- (2) Per hour administrative charge: \$5.

B. All requests other than churches, schools, and nonprofit entities:

- (1) Per hour per police officer: ~~\$70~~ **90**.

NOTE: *All requests are a minimum of three hours. If the job is not canceled at least one hour prior to the start time, a three-hour minimum will be paid to the officers assigned to work the assignment.

- (2) Per officer and per hour administrative charge: \$10.

- (3) Per hour for police car used as traffic control or traffic alert device: \$15. (No fee for police cars utilized for county projects.)

- (4) An additional \$5 per hour administrative charge may be assessed to accounts that do not have sufficient deposits on hand prior to the date that services are rendered.

C. All sums received on account of such service shall be deposited into the appropriate municipal account.

§ 74-43 Township sponsored events.

- A. Single space: \$35.

- B. Double space: \$55.

- C. Additional spaces: \$35.

D. Food vendors fee:

- (1) Mobile food unit: ~~\$400~~ **300**.

- (2) Open air single food cart: \$150.

E. Beer and wine garden is subject to a bid package TBD.

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§ 74-57 Cannabis – Municipal Licensing (Chapter 175-163.4)

A. The non-refundable application fee for the initial license and license renewal for Classes 1 through 6 licenses shall be as follows:

- (1) Class 1 cannabis (grower) cultivator: \$500.**
- (2) Class 2 cannabis (processor) manufacturer: \$500.**
- (3) Class 3 cannabis wholesaler: \$500.**
- (4) Class 4 cannabis distributor: \$500.**
- (5) Class 5 cannabis retailer: \$500.**
- (6) Class 6 cannabis deliverer: \$500.**

B. Probate License fees. The annual license fees and maximum number of licenses for the cultivation, manufacture, wholesale, distribution, retail sale and delivery of cannabis shall be as follows:

(a) The initial license fee for Classes 1 through 6 licenses shall be as follows:

- (1) Class 1 cannabis (grower) cultivator: \$10,000 per location.**
- (2) Class 2 cannabis (processor) manufacturer: \$10,000 per location.**
- (3) Class 3 cannabis wholesaler: \$10,000 per location.**
- (4) Class 4 cannabis distributor: \$10,000 per location.**
- (5) Class 5 cannabis retailer: \$10,000 per location.**
- (6) Class 6 cannabis deliverer: \$10,000 per deliverer.**

(b) The license renewal fee for Classes 1 through 6 licenses shall be as follows:

- (1) Class 1 cannabis (grower) cultivator: \$2,500 per location.**
- (2) Class 2 cannabis (processor) manufacturer: \$2,500 per location.**
- (3) Class 3 cannabis wholesaler: \$2,500 per location.**
- (4) Class 4 cannabis distributor: \$2,500 per location.**

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(6) Class 5 cannabis retailer: \$2,500 per location.

(7) Class 6 cannabis deliverer: \$2,500 per deliverer.

§ 74-58 Community Garden

A. \$10 per lot, annually

SECTION II. All prior Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION III. If any word, phrase, clause, section or provision in this Ordinance shall be found by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable, illegal, or unconstitutional, such word phrase, clause, section or provision shall be severable from the balance of the Ordinance and the remainder of the Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION IV. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after final passage and publication as required by law.

TOWNSHIP OF MONROE

CNCL. PRES., CAROLANN FOX

ATTEST:

**Twp. Clerk, Aileen Chiselko, RMC
or Deputy Clerk, Jennifer Harbison, RMC**

CERTIFICATION OF CLERK

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Monroe held on the 24th day of July, 2023, and will be considered for final passage and adoption at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Monroe to be held on 28th day of August, 2023 at the Municipal Building, 125 Virginia Avenue, Williamstown, New Jersey 08094, at which time any person interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard.

**Twp. Clerk, Aileen Chiselko, RMC
or Deputy Clerk, Jennifer Harbison, RMC**

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ROLL CALL VOTE

1st Reading

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Cncl. Adams				
Cncl. Garbowski				
Cncl. Heverly				
Cncl. McKinney				
Cncl. O'Reilly				
Cncl. Valcourt				
Cncl. Pres. Fox				
Tally:				

2nd Reading

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Cncl. Adams				
Cncl. Garbowski				
Cncl. Heverly				
Cncl. McKinney				
Cncl. O'Reilly				
Cncl. Valcourt				
Cncl. Pres. Fox				
Tally:				

The foregoing ordinance was hereby approved by the Mayor of the Township of Monroe on this _____ day of _____, 2023.

MAYOR GREGORY A. WOLFE