

ORDINANCE

Of The Township Of Pittsgrove

**In The County Of Salem
AN ORDINANCE PERMITTING CHARITABLE
ORGANIZATIONS TO SOLICIT CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE
ROADWAYS SITUATE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF
PITTSGROVE**

WHEREAS, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey have enacted legislation amending *N.J.S.* 39:4-60 prohibiting solicitation of charitable contributions from motorists on roadways in the State of New Jersey unless authorized by ordinance of the municipality in which said roadways are situate; and

WHEREAS, the Pittsgrove Township Committee deems it to be in the public interest to permit charitable organizations as defined by *N.J.S.* 45:17A-20 to solicit contributions in roadways situate in the Township of Pittsgrove, provided same is done in a safe and reasonable manner;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Pittsgrove, in the County of Salem, and State of New Jersey as follows:

Section 1.

The Township of Pittsgrove shall permit charitable organizations as defined in *N.J.S.* 45:1 7A-20 to solicit contributions in roadways situate in the Township of Pittsgrove in accordance with the provisions contained herein.

Section 2.

All charitable organizations as defined in *N.J.S.* 45:1 7A-20 who desire to solicit contributions in roadways situate in the Township of Pittsgrove shall file an application for a permit with the Pittsgrove Township Clerk/Administrator on a form supplied by said Clerk/Administrator specifying the following information:

- A. Name of applicant organization.

- B. Address of applicant organization.

- C. Telephone number of applicant organization.

- D. Contact person of applicant organization.

- B. Specific location or locations of proposed charitable solicitation.

- F. Dates and times of proposed charitable solicitation

- G. If said request pertains to a location or locations on any County highway, or intersection of a County highway, said application shall include a copy of an authorization from the Salem County Board of Chosen Freeholders to permit said charitable solicitation.

- H. If said request pertains to a location or locations on any State highway or intersection of a State highway, said application shall include a copy of an authorization from the Commissioner of Transportation of the State of New Jersey to permit said charitable solicitation.

- I. Identify the manner in which the motorist solicitation will be conducted and the procedures to be used to ensure the safety of the members of the public who will be traveling the roadways situate in the Township of Pittsgrove.

Section 3.

Upon the filing of a complete application in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, the Pittsgrove Township Clerk/Administrator shall present same to the Pittsgrove Township Committee for its review and consideration, after which the Township Committee shall grant or deny the applicant's request. In the event the Township Committee grants the applicant's request, it shall issue a permit to the applicant which shall be subject to the representations contained in the applicant's application and any conditions imposed by the Township Committee.

Section 4.

In no event shall any charitable organization requesting authorization from the Township of Pittsgrove for said charitable solicitation use any individual under the age of 18 years to perform any function or task associated with the said charitable solicitation in any roadway.

Section 5.

Any charitable organization requesting authorization from the Township of Pittsgrove for said charitable solicitation shall comply with all of the terms and conditions of *N.J.S. 39:4-60*, as amended by P.L. 1997, Chapter 82, approved April 30, 1997.

Section 6.

This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to *N.J.S. 39:4-60*, as amended by P.L. 1997, Chapter 82, approved April 30, 1997.

Section 7.

In the event any section, part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid by any Court, such holding shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance or any remaining part of this Ordinance other than the part held unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 8.

All ordinances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of their inconsistencies.

Section 9.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption and publication in the manner required by law.

DATE: _____

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF PITTS GROVE

Stanley Wojculewski, Mayor

SEAL:

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at the regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Pittsgrove in the County of Salem and State of New Jersey on the __ day of _____ 1997, and will be considered for final passage after a public hearing at a meeting to be held by the said Township Committee of the Township of Pittsgrove, at the Municipal Building, 989 Centerton Road.

Pittsgrove, New Jersey, on the __ day of _____ 1997, at __ o'clock p.m.
Constance S. Perry, Clerk/Administrator

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, being duly appointed Clerk/Administrator of the Township of Pittsgrove, in the County of Salem and State of New Jersey, does hereby certify the above resolution to be a true copy of an ordinance lawfully adopted by the governing body of said municipality on the date therein set forth.

Dated: _____

Constance S. Perry, Clerk/Administrator