

BOROUGH OF RARITAN
BOARD OF HEALTH

ORDINANCE BH: 2013-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE RARITAN BOROUGH CODE BY
AMENDING CHAPTER 68 ENTITLED "SMOKING" TO PROHIBIT SMOKING
ON MUNICIPALLY OWNED LANDS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Health of the Borough of Raritan, in the County of Somerset, that the Code of the Borough of Raritan of 1966 as heretofore amended be further amended as follows:

SECTION ONE:

§68-2 entitled "Definitions", §68-3 entitled "Smoking Prohibited; signs" and §68-4 entitled "Violations and Penalties" are hereby replaced in their entirety with the following:

§68-2. Definitions.

For purposes of this Chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

SMOKING – The burning of, inhaling from, exhaling the smoke from, or possession of a lighted cigarette, cigar, pipe or any other lighted device containing tobacco or any other substance that can be smoked, or the inhaling from or exhaling the vapor or smoke from an electronic smoking device.

§68-3. Smoking prohibited; signs.

- A. Smoking is not permitted within 25 feet of the ingress or egress of any Borough owned or leased building.
- B. Smoking is not permitted within the exterior property line of any Borough park, playground or recreation area.
- C. A "Smoke Free Zone" sign shall be clearly and conspicuously posted at every area where smoking is prohibited by this Ordinance. Each such sign shall have the words "Smoke Free Zone" in lettering that is no less than two inches in height, and shall contain the international no smoking sign or symbol thereon.

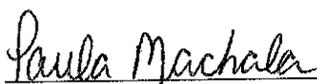
§68-4. Violations and Penalties.

Any person observed to be in violation of this section shall be subject to a fine pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2C:33-13.1b and/or N.J.S.A. 26:3D-62 as same may be amended from time to time.

SECTION TWO:

This Ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage and publication according to law.

ATTEST:



Paula Machala, Board President


Rayna E. Harris, Secretary

INTRODUCED: November 13, 2013

HEARING AND ADOPTION: December 11, 2013