

**APPROVED**

Sept 19 2018  
  
MAYOR

**TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE**

**ORDINANCE 2018-24**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE  
AMENDING CHAPTER 140 OF THE FLORENCE TOWNSHIP CODE  
ENTITLED 'WATER AND SEWERS' TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL  
TYPES OF PIPING SUITABLE FOR WATER SERVICES AND MAINS**

**WHEREAS**, the Township Water and Sewer Director and the Water and Sewer Engineer have reviewed the current ordinance related to the various types of piping material that can be used for water services and mains; and

**WHEREAS**, there are currently additional materials that are suitable for making connections for water services and mains; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Council of the Township of Florence has determined that it is in the best interest of the utility users in the Township to include additional suitable materials to the list currently authorized by township code;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Township Council of the Township of Florence that:

1. Chapter 140, Article IV entitled "Rules Applicable to Water Service," Section 40, entitled "Service Connections" shall be amended as follows:

Size and kind. The Township reserves the right to determine the size and kind of service lines from the main to the curb stop or meter pit and from the curb stop or meter pit to the property to be served. Type-K Copper tubing or Polyethylene (PE) Pressure Pipe/Tubing SDR-9 250 psi being 1" – 2" for Water Services and Type-K Copper or C-900 Polyvinylchloride (PVC) Pressure Pipe and Fittings, 4" and greater for Water Distribution and Transmission Systems shall be permitted and shall comply with AWWA C901 and/or AWWA C906. For larger services, ductile iron pipe meeting American Water Works Association standards for Class 200 water pipe or C-900 Polyvinylchloride (PVC) Pressure Pipe and Fittings shall be used. The pipe from the main to the curblines shall be installed by the owner. For a single residential water service customer, the Township will provide the curb stop and curb box for up to a 1" service and make the tap at direct cost to the owner. These costs are in no way related to the connection charges listed in the rate schedule. The service lateral, from the corporation valve on the water main to the house, shall be furnished and installed by the owner or a registered plumber and shall be laid in a straight line at right angles to the curb and shall be at least four feet below the surface of the ground when final grading of the property is complete. All work shall conform to the Township's standard design details as contained herein. The service lateral shall be inspected by the

Township prior to backfilling the trench, and any construction not approved shall be immediately removed and reconstructed in an approved manner. The entire service lateral from the main to the house shall be maintained by the owner after original installation.

**The remainder of Chapter 140, Article IV, Section 40 shall be unchanged.**

**Section 2.** If any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof.

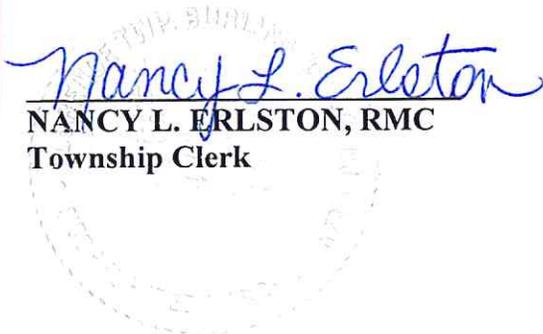
**Section 3.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Township of Florence heretofore adopted that are inconsistent with any of the terms and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

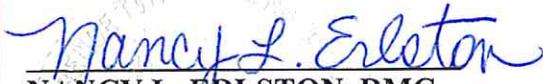
**Section 4.** This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage. Notice of adoption shall be published as provided by law.



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**PAUL C. OSTRANDER**  
**Council President**



  
**NANCY L. ERLSTON, RMC**  
**Township Clerk**

TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 140

**Take Notice** that the Ordinance identified above 2018-24, which amends Chapter 140 of the Florence Township Code entitled 'Water and Sewers' to include additional types of piping suitable for water service mains, has received final adoption by the Township Council and was approved by the Mayor of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, following a public hearing held on September 19, 2018 at 8:00 P.M. in the Municipal Complex, Council Chambers, 711 Broad Street, Florence, New Jersey.

Nancy L. Erlston, RMC  
Township Clerk

Ordinance No. <u>2018-24</u>
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