

**TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM
NOTICE OF
INTRODUCTION**

ORDINANCE 2008-01

I, Joy M. Wiley, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Chatham, do hereby certify that the following ordinance was introduced on first reading at a regular meeting held on January 17, 2008 and said ordinance will be submitted for consideration and final passage at a regular meeting to be held on February 14, 2008 at 7:30 p.m., in the Municipal Building at which time and place any person who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said ordinance.

January 18, 2008

Joy M. Wiley
Municipal Clerk

ORDINANCE 2008-01

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING MUTUAL AID AGREEMENTS AND
INTERLOCAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE TOWNSHIP POLICE
DEPARTMENT AND NEIGHBORING POLICE DEPARTMENTS**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:14-156.1 provides that the governing bodies of two or more municipalities may by reciprocal ordinances enter into agreements with each other for mutual police or fire aid in case of emergency; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40:8A-1 et seq. provides that the governing bodies of two or more municipalities may by resolution enter into interlocal service agreements; and

WHEREAS, The Chief of the Chatham Township Police Department desires to enter into such agreements with surrounding police departments; and

WHEREAS, the Chatham Township Police Department and most other police departments have contractual provisions with their officers permitting off-duty employment, including but not limited to construction traffic duty, for third parties when such work is provided through the police department and the officer is paid by the third party; and

WHEREAS, there may be times when there are no local officers available to perform off-duty traffic duty for third parties;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the mutual aid agreements with Chatham Borough, City of Summit, Madison Borough, Borough of New

Providence, Township of Berkeley Heights, Town of Morristown, Morris Township, Long Hill Township, Harding Township, Warren Township, and Bernards Township, copies of which are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the police interlocal service agreements with Chatham Borough, City of Summit, Madison Borough, Borough of New Providence, Township of Berkeley Heights, Town of Morristown, Morris Township, Long Hill Township, Harding Township, Warren Township, and Bernards Township, copies of which are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

3. Any and all other ordinances or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with any of the terms hereof are hereby repealed to such extent as they are so in conflict or inconsistent.

4. In case any part of the ordinance shall be held invalid in any court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect any other part of this ordinance except insofar as the part declared invalid shall be inseparable from the remainder of any other part thereof.

5. This ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY
OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Introduced: January 17, 2008
Adopted:
Attest:

BY: _____
Kevin R. Tubbs, Mayor

Joy M. Wiley, Clerk