ORDINANCE NO. 2023-07

TOWNSHIP OF GREEN, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NJ

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 9-9, MAINTENANCE AND USE OF FACILITIES, TO INCLUDE A NEW SUBSECTION (e) PROHIBITING ANY FLYING OBJECTS AT ALL TOWNSHIP FACILITIES

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Green that Section 9-9 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of Green is hereby amended to add a new subsection (e) prohibiting any motorized or battery-powered flying objects at all Township facilities absent prior Township approval, as follows:

SECTION 1.

Section 9-9, Maintenance and Use of Facilities, shall be revised by addition of a new subparagraph (e) as follows:

e. No motorized or battery-powered flying objects, including but not limited to drones, remote control objects, ultralight vehicles and/or paragliders, are permitted at any Township facility, unless prior Township approval has been obtained, through application and approval of the Township Use of Facilities Form, per Code Section 9-15.

It shall not be unlawful for any law enforcement agency or emergency services organization of or servicing the Township of Green, the County of Sussex, the State of New Jersey, or the United States government to operate any motorized or battery-powered flying objects from or on or upon any Township facility, provided the flight is conducted in a lawful manner and for lawful purposes. This section shall not prohibit any federal, state, county or municipal agency from the use of motorized or battery-powered flying objects for any lawful and authorized purpose pursuant to applicable regulation.

See also Chapter 19, Drones.

SECTION 2 - SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application of this Ordinance to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3 - REPEALER

All ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions that are inconsistent or in opposition to

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the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed in their entirety.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption and publication in accordance with law.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF GREEN, IN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX

Mark Zschack, RMC, Township Clerk

Margaret Phillips, Mayor

Record of Vote - Introduction:

	MOTION	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT			
DeYoung	$\sqrt{}$		$\sqrt{}$						
Qarmout			$\sqrt{}$			#/			
Rose			$\sqrt{}$						
Raffay			$\sqrt{}$						
Mayor Phillips									

Record of Vote - Adoption:

	MOTION	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
DeYoung			$\sqrt{}$			
Qarmout						
Rose			$\sqrt{}$			
Raffay						
Mayor Phillips						

INTRODUCED: May 15, 2023 ADOPTED: May 21, 2023

ADVERTISED: May 21, 2023 ADVERTISED: June 9, 2023