

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

AMENDED ORDINANCE
No. 160

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING THAT NO DRIVEWAY OR PARKING AREA OPENING INTO OR ABUTTING A WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP STREET OR ROAD BE CONSTRUCTED WITHOUT FIRST SECURING A PERMIT AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the authority of the Supervisors of the Township of Washington and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the same as follows:

SECTION 1: No person, firm or corporation shall hereafter construct or cause to be constructed upon privately owned land, driveways, access drive, access ramp, parking lot, pad or area opening into, connecting, intersecting, or entering upon designated Washington Township roads or streets until a permit has been secured from the Secretary of Washington Township.

SECTION 2: The application for a permit shall be on a form prescribed by the Township and submitted to the Township in triplicate accompanied by application and inspection fees totaling \$30.00 for a residential driveway encroachment and \$40.00 for commercial and industrial driveway encroachments. The applicant shall complete the application showing the plan of intended construction in accordance with specifications promulgated by the Township Engineer.

SECTION 3: A permit shall be issued by the Township Secretary to the applicant after all the aforementioned requirements have been complied with.

SECTION 4: All installations shall be made in accordance with specifications promulgated by the Township Engineer. Upon

completion of the work, the applicant shall give written notice thereof to the Township secretary.

SECTION 5: Upon completion of the work authorized by the permit, the Township may inspect the work, and when necessary, enforce compliance with the applicable specifications. Where any defect in the work occurs, the applicant shall correct the same within sixty (60) days after written notice from the Township to do so. If the applicant shall fail to comply with the notice to correct, the Township may, without limiting any other remedy or recourse it may have, make the necessary corrections and shall impose upon the applicant the cost thereof, together with an additional twenty (20%) per centum of such cost.

SECTION 6: Any person, firm, partnership or corporation which shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject, upon conviction before a District Justice, to pay a fine of not more than Three hundred (\$300.00) Dollars and cost of prosecution, and in default of the payment of such fine and costs to imprisonment in the County jail for not more than five (5) days.

SECTION 7: Any ordinance or part of ordinance inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed insofar as it is inconsistent herewith.

SECTION 8: The provisions of this Ordinance are severable; and if any part thereof shall be held to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by any Court, such decision shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions of the Ordinances. It is

declared to be the intent of the Board of Supervisors that this Ordinance would have been adopted even if such invalid provision had not been included therein.

Said amended Ordinance to be effective five (5) days after its adoption.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this Twelfth day of September, 1977.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

Paul B. Wagner
Chairman

Paul T. Miller

ATTEST:

Barbara J. Hallett
Secretary