

COUNTY OF BERGEN
BOROUGH OF PARAMUS
ORDINANCE No. 2024-26

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 277 OF THE
CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF PARAMUS TITLED "LANDSCAPING"**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Paramus as follows:

Section 1. The Code of the Borough of Paramus is hereby amended by amending Chapter 277 by the addition of the following to Ordinance 277-3 titled "Chapter 277, or Application," as follows:

§ 277-3Application.

[Amended 6-12-2018 by Ord. No. 18-11]

Every applicant for a license under this chapter shall sign an application on forms furnished by the Borough Clerk. The application shall require, at a minimum, the following information:

A. Name, address, and telephone number of the individual or business providing landscaping services, and a valid, unexpired drivers' license for any driver.

B. Make, model, year, color, registration number, and license plate number of all motor vehicles used in connection with providing landscaping services. If the registration is due to expire within one month of the application, the applicant must provide proof that the applicant has applied for renewal of the registration.

C. Proof of insurance, including statutory workers' compensation insurance, motor vehicle insurance for each motor vehicle used in providing landscaping services, and liability insurance for both personal injury and property damage in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 for personal injuries and \$500,000 for property damage.

D. If pesticides are used in connection with yard-maintenance services, proof that the applicant is licensed by the State of New Jersey to administer pesticides.

E. Proof of New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission commercial registration.

Section 1. The Code of the Borough of Paramus is hereby amended by amending Chapter 277 by the addition of the following to Ordinance 277-4 titled "Chapter 277, License fees, badge or sticker," as follows:

§ 277-4License fees; badge or sticker.

[Amended 4-25-1989 by Ord. No. 89-12]

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The license fee shall be \$25 for the first truck and \$15 for each truck thereafter per calendar year, and no part of said fee shall be prorated for any part of the year. Upon payment of the fee, the Clerk shall issue an identification badge or sticker for the calendar year for which the application was filed, which shall be affixed to the vehicle, visibly displayed. Should a replacement sticker be required, an additional \$15 fee is required for each replacement sticker.

Section 3. If any part of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or amended to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication according to law.

Attest:



ANNEMARIE KRUSZNIS, RMC, CMC
Borough Clerk

Approved:



CHRISTOPHER DI PIAZZA,
Mayor

Introduced: August 21, 2024

Adopted: September 3, 2024