

**COUNTY OF BERGEN
BOROUGH OF PARAMUS
ORDINANCE 2026-05**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND §3 OF CHAPTER 103 OF THE CODE OF THE
BOROUGH OF PARAMUS TITLED "POLICE DEPARTMENT"**

Section 1. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Paramus that Sections 103-3 of Chapter 103 of the Code of the Borough of Paramus titled "Police Department" is amended by deleting the existing section and replacing it with the following:

§ 103-3 Composition of Paramus Police Force.

The Paramus Police Force shall consist of the following personnel:

- A. Not more than one (1) Chief of Police.
- B. Not more than one (1) Deputy Chief of Police.
- C. Not more than four (4) Captains.
- D. Not more than nine (9) Patrol Lieutenants.
- E. Not more than six (6) Detective Lieutenants.
- F. Not more than sixteen (16) Sergeants.
- G. Not more than two (2) Traffic Sergeant.
- H. Not more than eight (8) Detective Sergeants.
- I. Not more than sixteen (16) Detectives.
- J. Not more than six (6) traffic officers.
- K. Not more than sixty (60) patrol officers.

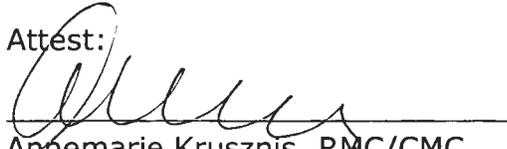
Section 2. If any part of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

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Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication according to law.

Attest:



Annemarie Krusznis, RMC/CMC
Borough Clerk

Approved:



Christopher DiPiazza
Mayor

Introduced: January 20, 2026

Final: February 3, 2026