

**BOROUGH OF PALISADES PARK
BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE #2022-1

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 12 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF PALISADES
PARK ENTITLED "CLAIMS, PAYMENT OF".**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Palisades Park, County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, that those portions of the aforesaid set forth below are hereby amended as follows and that those portions of the Ordinance not set forth below shall remain unchanged:

Ch.12. Claims, Payment of

Sec. 12-1 Certification prior to payment.

The Borough of Palisades Park, by its governing body, shall not pay out any of its money;

B. Unless it carries a written order or electronic certification of a Department Head or duly designated employee of the local unit and the Chief Financial Officer having knowledge of the facts that the goods have been received by, or the services rendered, to the local unit.

C. As to services rendered by professionals, unless the Borough Administrator and the Chief Financial Officer having knowledge of the facts that the goods have been received by, or the services rendered, to the local unit.

D. As to invoices submitted by the Borough Administrator, unless the Borough Clerk and the Chief Financial Officer having knowledge of the fact that the goods have been received by, or the services rendered, to the local unit.

If any section, sentence or other part of this Ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Ordinance, but shall be confirmed in its effect to the section, sentence or other part of this Ordinance directly involved in the controversy which such judgment shall be rendered.

All Ordinances of the Borough of Palisades Park which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication as provided by law.

Approved:



Christopher J. Chung, Mayor

Attest:



Gina S. Kim, Borough Clerk

First Reading: February 22, 2022

Second Reading: April 26, 2022