**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WOOLWICH AMENDING CHAPTER 140 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WOOLWICH ENTITLED “PEDDLERS, SOLICITORS, VENDORS AND TRANSIENT MERCHANTS”**

**2012-17**

**WHEREAS,** the Township Committee of the Township of Woolwich has established a procedure towards the issuance of permits for the distribution or sale of goods within the boundaries of the Township by Peddlers, Solicitors, Vendors or Transient Merchants; and

**WHEREAS,** said procedure towards the application, approval and issuance of said licenses is fully set forth in Chapter 140 of the Code of the Township of Woolwich entitled “Peddlers, Solicitors, Vendors and Transient Merchants”; and

**WHEREAS,** Section 140-11 of said Code entitled “Safety, Business Practices and Quiet Enjoyment Requirements” sets forth rules by which any peddlers, solicitors, vendors and transient merchants must comply which includes those exempted from any licensing requirements; and

**WHEREAS,** the Township of Woolwich finds the need to further amend said Chapter and Section to prohibit the solicitation of goods, wares, advertisements within Private Communities and to enforce said solicitation restrictions for those communities posted with “No Solicitation” signage; and

**WHEREAS,** the Township Committee of the Township of Woolwich therefore wishes to amend Chapter 140 section 11 as follows:

**SECTION I Amendment**

**The following Chapter and section shall be amended to add section (18) to the following as written:**

**140.11(18)** Licenses issued under the terms of this Chapter including solicitation by those who are deemed to be exempt from licensing requirements, shall not enter upon or within any private community within the Township of Woolwich, nor any other community which shall be posted with “No Solicitation” signage.

**SECTION II Inconsistency:**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances that are inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of their inconsistency.

**SECTION III Effective Date:**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon proper passage, publication in accordance with law and after final adoption as provided by law. TOWNSHIP OF WOOLWICH

ATTEST:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Jane DiBella, Township Clerk Samuel Maccarone Jr., Mayor

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Woolwich, held on the 6th day of August, 2012 and will be considered for final passage at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Woolwich, to be held on the 20th day of August, 2012 at 7:00 pm, at which time and place any interested party will be given the opportunity to be heard.

Jane DiBella, Township Clerk

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

The foregoing ordinance was passed upon second reading subject to a public hearing conducted on the \_\_\_\_\_th day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2012, and therefore becomes effective according to Law.

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Jane DiBella, Clerk