

**BOROUGH OF LONGPORT
ORDINANCE NO. 2018-16**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE V - PUBLIC UTILITIES
PERTAINING TO SMALL NETWORK NODE INSTALLATION
ON STREET LIGHTING POLES
OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF LONGPORT
ATLANTIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

Purpose: The purpose of this Ordinance is to require that any communication equipment such as small network communication nodes be erected on poles already containing existing utility infrastructure and not on existing poles paid for by the Borough of Longport for the sole purpose of providing street lighting or guy poles on which no utility infrastructure already exists. The purpose of this Ordinance is not to prohibit the erection of small network nodes for cellular and WiFi communications but to confine their erection to existing utility poles on which there already exists utility transmission lines. This will also allow the Borough to continue with the current method of transitioning existing cobra street lighting poles into a more aesthetic Victorian Globe design. The Borough recognizes that there is already street lighting on existing utility poles carrying utility transmission lines which are available for such use.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE BOROUGH OF LONGPORT that:

SECTION I: The following paragraph is added to Article V – Public Utilities:

147-19.1 – Small Network Node Communication Installations.

No Small Network Node Communication Installations shall be permitted on existing utility poles paid for by the Borough and erected for the sole purpose of providing street lighting. No small Network Communication Installations shall be permitted on existing guy or support poles on which there is no utility transmission lines.

SECTION II: All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, to the extent of such inconsistencies, are hereby repealed. Should any section, subsection, clause, or portion of this Ordinance be adjudged by a Court of competent jurisdiction as invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Ordinance.

SECTION III: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication as required by Law.

Vote on First Reading publication: 12/8/2018

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COMMISSIONERS	MOTION	SECOND	AYE	NAY	NV	AB
Russo		x	x			
Leeds			x			
Lawler	x		x			
XX-indicates vote NV-not voting AB. - Absent						

Vote on Second Reading/Public Hearing publication:

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Russo	x		x			
Leeds			x			
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/s/ **MONICA KYLE**
DEPUTY MUNICIPAL CLERK

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DATE OF ADOPTION: _____

/s/ **MONICA KYLE**
DEPUTY MUNICIPAL CLERK

Nicholas M. Russo, Ed.D, Mayor

James P. Leeds, Sr, Commissioner

Daniel Lawler, Commissioner