

# Ordinance 2022-13

BOROUGH OF HIGHTSTOWN  
COUNTY OF MERCER  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A NEW TRAFFIC RESTRICTION AND AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING ARTICLE 7-1, ENTITLED “ON-STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS,” OF CHAPTER 7, “TRAFFIC,” OF “THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGHTSTOWN,” IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH A NEW SECTION 7-1-29 THEREOF TO BE KNOWN AS “NO PASSING IN BIKE LANES”.**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Hightstown (the “Borough”) has previously established certain traffic regulations within the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, the previous regulations as referenced above, which are codified in Chapter 7 of the Borough Code, shall be collectively referenced herein as the “prior traffic regulations”; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Borough Council have determined to revise the prior traffic regulations in order to establish certain new traffic restriction(s) as set forth herein.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hightstown as follows:

Section 1. That the prior traffic regulations are hereby revised in order to establish the new traffic restriction(s) as set forth in more detail herein.

Section 2. That Article 7-1, entitled “On-Street Traffic Regulations,” of Chapter 7, “Traffic,” of “The Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Hightstown,” (the “Borough Code”) is hereby amended and supplemented in certain limited respects, in order to establish a new Section 7-1-29, to be known as “No Passing in Bike Lanes,” to read as follows:

**§ 7-1.29. No Passing in Bike Lanes.**

No person shall utilize a motor vehicle to pass another vehicle in a manner that causes the driver’s vehicle to enter into the bike lane(s) marked upon any of the streets or parts of streets described.

<b>Name of Street</b>	<b>Side</b>	<b>Location</b>
North Main Street	Both	All designated bike lanes

Section 3. That all other provisions of Article 7-1 of the Borough Code which are not referenced in Section 2 of this Ordinance shall remain unaffected/unchanged and remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. That all parts and provisions of any Ordinance which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 5. That the provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable. In the event that any portion of this Ordinance is found to be invalid for any reason by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall be limited in its effect only to the portion of the Ordinance actually adjudged invalid and shall not be deemed to affect the operation of any other portion thereof, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 6. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon final passage and publication in accordance with the law, following the receipt of any approvals deemed necessary by any other governmental agencies or authorities which may have jurisdiction over the matters set forth in the within Ordinance and the installation of proper signage by the Borough of Hightstown and/or the County of Mercer.

Introduction: June 20, 2022

Adoption:

**ATTEST:**

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MARGARET RIGGIO  
MUNICIPAL CLERK

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LAWRENCE D. QUATTRONE  
MAYOR