

**The Borough of Hightstown
County of Mercer
Ordinance 2025-16**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGHTSTOWN, COUNTY OF
MERCER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING A ARTICLE 4-14, ENTITLED
“FILMING” IN THE BOROUGH CODE TO REGULATE COMMERCIAL FILMING
IN THE BOROUGH**

Summary: This ordinance amends Article 4-14, entitled “Filming,” in the Borough Code to update and strengthen regulations governing commercial filming within the Borough of Hightstown. The amendments establish clear permit requirements, insurance and safety standards, notification procedures, and fee structures for film and television productions. The ordinance also aligns the Borough’s policies with New Jersey’s “Film Ready” community standards, ensuring that filming activities are properly managed to minimize disruption, protect public safety, and support economic development opportunities.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Borough Council of the Borough of Hightstown, at a meeting held on October 20, 2025, at the Hightstown Firehouse Hall, 140 North Main Street, Hightstown, did adopt finally the aforementioned Ordinance.

Peggy Riggio, RMC
Borough Clerk