

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING
CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC, SUBSECTION 7-20, STOP INTERSECTION OF
THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF
THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, that Marshall Street and Phyllis Road and Holmes Street and Phyllis Road shall be designated as a Stop Intersections pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) under the Municipal Engineer's Certification and License Number GE026706 as follows:

Section 1. The Township Council of the Township of West Orange finds it in the interest of public safety to designate Marshall Street and Phyllis Road and Holmes Street and Phyllis Road as Stop Intersections pursuant to N.J.S.A.39:4-8(b).

Section 2. The Municipal Engineer of the Township of West Orange has submitted and certified all the legislative requirements pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) and the criteria as set forth by the New Jersey Department of Transportation, Bureau of Traffic Engineering and Investigations have been met.

Section 3. Subsection 7-20, Stop Intersections, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange is hereby supplemented and amended as follows pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:4-140 (*italic type denotes deletion, bold type denotes addition*):

Intersection	Stop Signs On:
Marshall Street and Phyllis Road	Marshall Street
Holmes Street and Phyllis Road	Holmes Street

Section 4. If any provisions of this Ordinance or application thereof, under any circumstances, is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect any of the provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the valid provision(s) or application and to this

end, the provisions of the Ordinance are severable.

Section 5. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by New Jersey Statute, every person convicted of a violation of any provision of this Ordinance or any supplement thereto shall be liable to the penalty of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or imprisonment for a term not to exceed fifteen (15) days or both.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with law and approval by the New Jersey Department of Transportation.

Robert D. Parisi, Mayor

Susan McCartney, Council President

Introduced: July 22, 2014

Adopted: August 12, 2014

Approved as to form on the basis of
the facts provided

Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

The Ordinance, which amends the Traffic Regulations of the Township, designates the intersections of Marshall Street and Phyllis Road and Holmes Street and Phyllis Road as Stop Intersections with Stop Signs to be placed on Marshall Street and Holmes Street. These intersections are “T” intersections with Marshall Street and Holmes Street forming the stems of the “T”. Due to volume of traffic which travels on Marshall Street and Phyllis Road and Holmes Street and Phyllis Road the Township’s Engineering Division determined that traffic needed to be regulated at these intersections for the safe movement of traffic through them. The Engineering Division recommended designating the intersections as Stop Intersections with Stop Signs on Marshall Street and on Holmes Street to provide for the safe movement of traffic there. Without Stop Signs on Marshall Street and Holmes Street the normal right-of-way rule is not expected to provide reasonably safe operation of these intersections.