

ORDINANCE #13-12

**AN ORDINANCE
TO AMENDING CHAPTER X ("PERSONNEL") OF THE REVISED GENERAL
ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF KEYPORT TO PROHIBIT THE RECEIPT OF
GIFTS BY BOROUGH EMPLOYEES**

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Keyport find it to be in the best interest of all residents of the Borough of Keyport that Borough employees perform their jobs and exercise discretion in a manner that is fair, consistent and free from the influence of gifts or other things of value.

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

1. Section 10-2 ("Personnel Policy") of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Keyport is revised to read as follows:

The Borough personnel policy shall be as follows:

a.-k. No change

l. No employee of the Borough of Keyport shall solicit or accept, from any member of the public or vendor doing business with or seeking to do business with the Borough, anything of value, including any tangible or intangible item (including food), gift, loan (excluding any loan from a recognized bank institution), reward, or gratuity, and further including any favor, service, or promise of future employment (excluding any work assignment approved by the Borough Council, Borough Administrator or the Chief of Police), that could be interpreted to affect the official duties of the employee.

2. All Ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

3. Each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase of this Ordinance is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase, and the finding or holding of any such portion of this Ordinance to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause, or reason, shall not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and any publication as may be required by law.

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