

**TOWNSHIP OF MILLBURN
ORDINANCE NO. 2554-20
CALENDAR YEAR 2020
ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS
AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK
(N.J.S.A. 40A:4 45.14)**

WHEREAS, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S. 40A:4-45.1 et seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget to 2.5% unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exceptions; and,

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.15a provides that a municipality may, when authorized by ordinance, appropriate the difference between the amount of its actual final appropriation and the 3.5% percentage rate as an exception to its final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Township of Millburn, in the County of Essex, finds it advisable and necessary to increase its CY 2020 budget by up to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the Governing Body for said year, amounting final appropriations otherwise advisable and necessary; and, hereby determines that a 1% increase in the to \$452,656.94 in excess of the in the Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary; and,

WHEREAS, the Governing Body hereby determines that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated, as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Township of Millburn, in the County of Essex, a majority of the full authorized of this governing body affirmatively concurring, that, in the CY 2020 budget year, the final appropriations of the Township of Millburn shall, in accordance with this ordinance and N.J.S.A. 40: 45.14, be increased by 3.5%, amounting to \$1,584,299.29 and that the CY 2020 municipal budget for the Township of Millburn be approved and adopt accordance with ordinance; and,

BE IF FURTHER ORDAINED, that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, with the that a Director certified copy of this ordinance as of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and,

BE IF FURTHER ORDAINED that a certified copy adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon be within 5 days after such adoption of this ordinance upon field with said Director.

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