

**LOWER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP**  
**Montgomery County, Pennsylvania**

**ORDINANCE #638**

**AN ORDINANCE OF LOWER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP,  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ARTICLE  
II, TRAFFIC REGULATIONS, CHAPTER 138, SECTIONS 138-19 and  
138-20 PROHIBITING TRUCKS ON CERTAIN TOWNSHIP ROADS AND  
ESTABLISHING VEHICLE WEIGHT LIMITS**

*WHEREAS*, the Township has established limits on truck traffic upon certain roads within the Township; and

*WHEREAS*, the Township's traffic engineer, McMahon and Associates has performed a Truck Route Evaluation and Restriction Study dated March, 2016; and

*WHEREAS*, the Township desires to add additional truck restrictions on Arcola Road and Level Road in the Township; and

*WHEREAS*, the Township also desires to reestablish and restate truck restrictions and vehicle weight limits on certain Township Roads.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it is hereby **RESOLVED** that the Lower Providence Township Board of Supervisors does hereby revise and restate Article II, Sections 138-19 and 138-20 as follows:

**Article I.** Section 138-19. Establishing vehicle restrictions on certain Township roads.

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a truck or tractor trailer upon any of the highways or portions of the highways which are described below, except for local deliveries. Additionally, this restriction shall not apply to emergency service vehicles, school buses and Township maintenance vehicles.

<b>Name of Highway</b>	<b>Limits</b>
Amy Drive	From Trooper Road to Park Avenue
Arcola Road	Between Eagleville Road and Arcola Road Bridge
Camiel Lane	From Pawlings Road to Vaux Lane
Chapel View Lane	From Pawlings Road to Valentine Lane
Church Road	From the north Township line to Ridge Pike
Clearfield Avenue	From Ridge Pike to Woodland Avenue
Culp Road	From Park Avenue to Egypt Road
Eaglestream Drive	From a point 828 feet south of Ridge Pike to Marilyn Avenue
East Mount Kirk Avenue	From the north Township line to Ridge Pike
Gertrude Avenue	Entire length

<b>Name of Highway</b>	<b>Limits</b>
Grange Avenue	From Ridge Pike to Visitation Road
Level Road	Between Lenape Road and Arcola Road Bridge
Mann Road	Entire length
Marilyn Avenue	From West Mount Kirk Avenue to Eagleville Road
Oakdale Avenue	From Park Avenue to Trooper Road
Orchard Lane	From Park Avenue to Egypt Road
Pinetown Road	From Eagleville Road to Egypt Road
Summit Avenue	From Ridge Pike to Walker Lane
Sunderland Drive	Entire length
Wayne Avenue	Entire length
West Mount Kirk Avenue	From Ridge Pike to Marilyn Avenue
Wetherill Road	Entire length
Woodlyn Avenue	From Park Avenue to Trooper Road

**Article II.** Section 138-20. Vehicle weight limits established. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a commercial vehicle or other tractor, trailer or tractor-trailer combination having a gross weight in excess of that hereinafter prescribed upon any of the highways or portions thereof described below, except for the purpose of making local deliveries:

<b>Name of Street</b>	<b>Weight Limit (tons)</b>	<b>Location</b>
Grange Avenue	5	From Ridge Pike to Germantown Pike
Grange Avenue	12	From Ridge Pike to Visitation Road
Wayne Avenue	12	Entire length
Mann Road	12	Entire length

**Article III.** Pursuant to the McMahon and Associates Truck Route Evaluation and Restriction Study dated March, 2016, the proper Township Officials are directed to establish and/or replace existing signage along Arcola Road and Level Road in accordance with the study.

**Article IV.** REPEALER. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, and amendments thereof which are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed. The existing Sections 138-19 and 138-20 are hereby repealed, replaced and restated in entirety in accordance with this Ordinance.

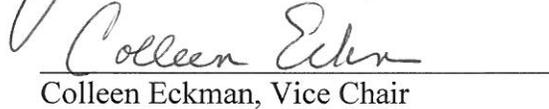
**Article V. SEVERABILITY.** If any section, paragraph, sub-section, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof other than that portion specifically declared invalid.

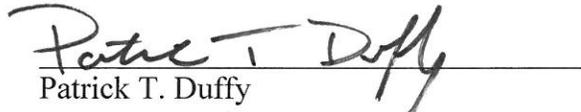
**Article VI. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after final enactment.

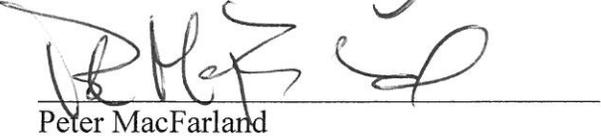
**SO RESOLVED,** at a duly convened meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Lower Providence Township conducted on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016.

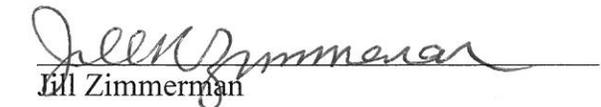
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