

**ORDINANCE NO. 05-2016  
TOWNSHIP OF TEWKSBURY  
COUNTY OF HUNTERDON  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

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**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 8.16, ENTITLED "FIRE PREVENTION," OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF TEWKSBURY**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Tewksbury, in the County of Hunterdon, and State of New Jersey that Chapter 8.16, entitled "Fire Prevention" of the Code of the Township of Tewksbury is hereby amended by inserting section 8.16.043 as follows:

**8.16.043 Fire Safety Permits**

Fire Safety Permits will be issued in accordance with the New Jersey Uniform Fire Code Section N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.7 with fees charged as per N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.9.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that Chapter 8.16, entitled "Fire Prevention" of the Code of the Township of Tewksbury is hereby further amended as follows and all other sections will remain unchanged:

**8.16.050 - Organization.**

The local enforcing agency established by Section 8.16.020 of this chapter shall be a part of the Township of Tewksbury.

**8.16.060 - Appointments—Term of office—Removal.**

A. *Appointment of fire official.* The local enforcing agency shall be under the direct supervision and control of the Tewksbury Township Fire Marshal who shall report to the township administrator according to the reporting procedures established in Section 2.04.070 of this Code.

B. *Term of office.* The Fire Marshal shall serve for a term of one (1) year.

D. *Removal from office.* Fire Marshal, inspectors and other employees of the enforcing agency shall be subject to removal by the township committee for inefficiency or misconduct. Each inspector or employee to be so removed shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard by the appointing authority or a designated hearing officer.

All other provisions of Chapter 8.16 shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and adoption and publication according to law.

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Peter Melick  
Mayor

Attest:

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Roberta A. Brassard  
Municipal Clerk