



BOROUGH OF OAKLAND BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY



ORDINANCE NO. 23-CODE-932

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 9, SECTION 1.2 OF THE OAKLAND CODE RELATED TO VENOMOUS SNAKES

WHEREAS, the Borough of Oakland has regulated the parking of vehicles over three (3) tons; and

WHEREAS, the Borough wishes to amend the ordinance governing same to comply with the Endangered and Nongame Species Conservation Act ("ENSCA"), N.J.S.A. 23:2A-1 through 13;

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

Section I. Chapter 9, Section 1.2(a)(8) of the Borough of Oakland Code entitled "Prohibited Activities" is hereby amended as follows:

9-1.2 Prohibited Activities.

- a. No person in a public park or in a public recreation area or Green Acres or open space area shall:
 - 8. Hunt, molest, harm, frighten, kill, trap, pursue, chase, tease, shoot or throw missiles at any animal, wildlife, reptile or bird or remove or have in possession the young of any wild animal, or the eggs or nest, or young of any reptile or bird.

Section II. All other parts, portions and provisions of Chapter 9 of the Borough of Oakland Code be and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed, except where inconsistent with the terms hereof. In the event of any such inconsistency, the terms of this Ordinance shall be deemed to govern.

Section III. The terms of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable; should any part, portion or provision hereof be declared invalid or unconstitutional, said finding shall not affect any other part, portion or provision thereof.

Section IV. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication according to law.

Adopted this ___ day of _____, 2023

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF OAKLAND
COUNTY OF BERGEN
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

By: _____
Wendi Seelin, Deputy Borough Clerk

By: _____
Linda H. Schwager, Mayor