

ORDINANCE NO. ~~08~~ 01

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LACEY,
COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF BLOCK 2275,
LOTS 23 AND 24 FROM THE ESTATE OF CATHERINE B.
VENNELL IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A:12-5(a)(1)**

WHEREAS, Catherine B. Vennell is the assessed owner of Block 2275, Lots 23 and 24; and

WHEREAS, Catherine B. Vennell is deceased; and

WHEREAS, the heirs of the Estate of Catherine B. Vennell wish to donate the subject property to the Township of Lacey; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:12-5(a)(1) authorizes a municipality to accept property as a gift by the adoption of an ordinance authorizing the acquisition of the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Lacey, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor and Township Committee do hereby authorize the acquisition of Block 2275, Lots 23 and 24 from the Estate of Catherine B. Vennell. This property is being acquired by the Township of Lacey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12-5(a)(1) as a gift from the Estate of Catherine B. Vennell.

SECTION 2. That the Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary for the acquisition of the subject property from the Estate of Catherine B. Vennell.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect after second reading and publication as required by law.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed by the Township Committee on first reading at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Lacey held on the ____ day of _____, **200__**, and will be considered for second reading and final passage at a regular meeting of the Township Committee to be held on the ___ day of _____, **2008**, at 8:00 p.m., at the Municipal Building located on Lacey Road in Forked River, New Jersey, at which time and place any persons desiring to be heard upon the same will be given the opportunity to be so heard.

VERONICA LAUREIGH, CMC, AAE
Township Clerk, Township of Lacey

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