## BOROUGH OF BROOKLAWN COUNTY OF CAMDEN ORDINANCE 9-2025

## AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT CHAPTER 32 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLAWN ENTITLED "LAND USE PROCEDURES"

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Brooklawn heretofore established "Land Use Procedures" governing the Joint Land Use Board codified within Chapter 32 of the Borough Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Brooklawn finds it necessary to amend and supplement Chapter 32 to provide for the appointment of "Alternate Members" to serve on the Joint Land Use Board.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED,** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Brooklawn, with the Mayor concurring, that Chapter 32 of the Borough Code entitled "Land Use Procedures" be amended and supplemented with the following:

## **SECTION I:**

## Chapter 32. Land Use Procedures, Article I. Planning Board

- § 32-1 "Establishment; membership" is amended and supplemented by the following new Section §32-1E. to read as follows:
- §32-1.E.: Alternate Members: Four (4) alternates meeting the qualifications of Class IV members and appointed by the Mayor and designated as, respectively, Alternate No. 1, 2, 3, and 4". Alternate members may participate in all matters but may not vote, except in the absence or disqualification of a regular member of any class. A vote shall not be delayed in order that a regular member mat vote instead of an alternate member. In the event a choice must be made as to which alternate member is to vote, Alternate No. 1 shall vote and if Alternate No. 1 is unavailable, then in descending order of numerical designation.
- §32-2 "Terms of Office" is amended and supplemented by the following new Section §32-2D. to read as follows:
- §32-2D: Alternates. The terms of the alternate members shall be for two years, except that the terms of the alternate members shall be such that the term of not more than two alternate members shall expire in any one year. In no instance shall the terms of the alternate members first appointed exceed two years. A vacancy occurring otherwise by expiration of term shall by filled by the Mayor for the unexpired term only.

**SECTION II:** All other ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

**SECTION III**: Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining portions of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

**SECTION IV:** This Ordinance shall take effect after its adoption, publication and as otherwise required by law.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLAWN	
BY:	
ATTEST:	
BY: RYAN GILES, BOROUGH CLERK	
Notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a meeti of the Borough Council of the Borough of Brooklawn, held on the 17thth day of March, 2025 and will considered for final passage at a meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Brooklawn, to be how on the 21st day of April, 2025 at 6:30 pm, at which time and place any interested party will be given to opportunity to be heard.	be eld
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