

MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP
CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 4 - 2019

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING VARIOUS STOP
INTERSECTIONS AT OR ADJOINING WEST POINT DRIVE (T-415),
MACARTHUR DRIVE (T-414) AND NORTH MIDDLESEX ROAD (T-
496)

WHEREAS, the Township of Middlesex is a Local Authority under the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code (Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162, No. 81, as amended [75 Pa.C.S.A. 101, et seq.]) having certain roads or highways under its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Middlesex has conducted all necessary engineering and traffic investigations incidental to its exercise of authority hereunder; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Middlesex deems it in the best interest of its residents and the users of highways in Middlesex Township to require the use of traffic control devices in order to promote safety to vehicular traffic and the efficient movement of vehicles within Middlesex Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Middlesex deems it in the best interest of its residents and the users of certain roads and highways to control intersections and access to the intersections by the use of stop signs.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the Board of Township Supervisors in and for the Township of Middlesex, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1: PREAMBLE AND POLICY.

The foregoing paragraphs and preamble are incorporated herein as the background and policy of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION.

Words and phrases used in this Ordinance shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code (Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162, No. 81) as amended, except that in this Ordinance the word "road" may be used interchangeably with the word "highway" and shall have the same meaning as the word "highway" as defined in the Vehicle Code.

SECTION 3: STOP INTERSECTIONS ESTABLISHED AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

(a) The following intersections are hereby established as stop intersections, at which an official stop sign shall be erected within the legal right-of-way limits of the road and positioned as specified:

1. The intersection of MacArthur Drive (T-414) and West Point Drive (T-415), at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the northern side of MacArthur Drive to stop traffic traveling west on MacArthur Drive approaching West Point Drive from the east.

2. The intersection of MacArthur Drive and West Point Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the northern side of MacArthur Drive to stop traffic traveling east on MacArthur Drive approaching West Point Drive from the west.

3. The intersection of West Point Drive (at the intersection with the western end of Patton Drive) and West Point Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on

the western side of West Point Drive to stop traffic traveling north on West Point Drive approaching West Point Drive from the south.

4. The intersection of Marshall Drive (T-416) and West Point Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the northern side of Marshall Drive to stop traffic traveling west on Marshall Drive approaching West Point Drive from the east.

5. The intersection of Marshall Drive (T-416) and MacArthur Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the southern side of Marshall Drive to stop traffic traveling east on Marshall Drive approaching MacArthur Drive from the west.

6. The intersection of Patton Drive (T-418) and West Point Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the northern side of Patton Drive to stop traffic traveling west on Patton Drive approaching West Point Drive from the east.

7. The intersection of Patton Drive (T-416) and MacArthur Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the southern side of Patton Drive to stop traffic traveling east on Patton Drive approaching MacArthur Drive from the west.

8. The intersection of MacArthur Drive (T-414) and Patton Drive, at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the eastern side of MacArthur Drive to stop traffic traveling north on MacArthur Drive approaching Patton Drive from the south.

9. The intersections of the two southbound exits off of the property at 1075 Harrisburg Pike and MacArthur Drive, at which two locations official stop signs shall be erected on the western side of each driveway exit to stop traffic traveling south on

the driveway exits approaching MacArthur Drive from the north.

10. The intersection of Elizabeth Way and North Middlesex Road (T-496), at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the northern side of Elizabeth Way to stop traffic traveling west on Elizabeth Way approaching North Middlesex Road from the east.

11. The intersection of Michele Drive and North Middlesex Road (T-496), at which an official stop sign shall be erected on the southern side of Michele Drive to stop traffic traveling east on Michele Drive approaching North Middlesex Road from the west.

(b) Every driver of a vehicle approaching or entering the above mentioned intersections in the directions indicated in subsection 3(a), 1 through 11, above, shall stop the vehicle as required by Section 3323(b) of the Vehicle Code and shall not proceed into, through or across said intersection of streets or roads until he/she has followed all applicable requirements of that section of the Code.

(c) Any person who violates any provision of this Section is guilty of a summary offense and shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars and costs of the proceeding.

SECTION 4: SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid, that decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance. It is declared to be the legislative intention that this Ordinance would have been enacted had the unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid provisions not been included in the Ordinance.

SECTION 5: CONTINUATION OF EXISTING REGULATIONS.

The provisions of this Ordinance insofar as they are the same as those of ordinances and regulations in force immediately before the enactment of this Ordinance are intended as a continuation of those earlier ordinances and regulations. Nothing in this Ordinance shall affect any act done or any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted under any earlier ordinances or regulations repealed or superseded hereby.

SECTION 6: EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with existing law.

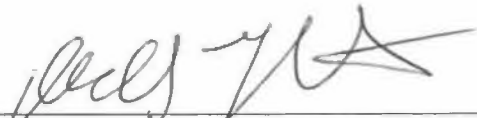
ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 29th day of March, 2019.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX



Township Secretary

By: 

Chairman, Board of Township
Supervisors

(Township Seal)