

**ORDINANCE NO. 2208-18**

**AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK PURSUANT TO  
NJSA 40A: 4-45.14 FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2018**

WHEREAS, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.1 et.seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said final budget appropriations to 2.50% unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5% over the previous years final appropriations; and,

WHEREAS, a municipality may, by ordinance, bank the difference between its final budget appropriations and the 3.5% increase authorized by this ordinance when said difference is not appropriated as part of the final budget; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Hawthorne, County of Passaic, hereby determines that this difference in the amount of \$148,159.77 that is not appropriated as part of the final 2018 budget shall be retained as an exception to the final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that any amount authorized herein above that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that a certified copy of this ordinance as introduced be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that a certified copy of this ordinance upon adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon, be filed with said Director within 5 days after such adoption.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication as provided by law.

Frank E. Matthews  
Council President

Attest:  
Lori DiBella, RMC  
Borough Clerk

**NOTICE OF PENDING ORDINANCE**

The Ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Borough of Hawthorne, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey, held on March 28, 2018. It will be further considered for final passage after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of said Municipal Council to be held in the Municipal Building, 445 Lafayette Avenue, in said Borough on May 2, 2018 at 7:00 p.m., at which time and place all interested members of the public who desire will be given an opportunity to be heard in connection with said Ordinance, and during the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of said Ordinance will be posted on the Borough website, [www.hawthornenj.org](http://www.hawthornenj.org), and made available at the Clerk's Office in said Municipal Building to the members of the general public who shall request the same.

Lori DiBella, RMC, Borough Clerk

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF AN ORDINANCE INTRODUCED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE AT A REGULAR MEETING ON MARCH 28, 2018.**

**ATTEST:**

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**Frank E. Matthews, Council President**

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**Lori DiBella, RMC, Borough Clerk**

**APPROVED:**

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**Richard S. Goldberg, Mayor**