

**TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF  
SCOTT PLAZA  
WYCKOFF, NEW JERSEY**

**ORDINANCE NO. 1846**

NOTICE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, that the proposed Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a meeting of the Wyckoff Township Committee, of the Township of Wyckoff, Bergen County, New Jersey, held on January 1, 2018 and that said Ordinance will be taken up for further consideration for final passage at a regular meeting of the said Wyckoff Township Committee to be held in the Municipal Court Room at Memorial Town Hall, 340 Franklin Avenue, Wyckoff, New Jersey, on the 16<sup>th</sup> of January, 2018 at 8:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be reached, at which time and place all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same.

**TAKE FURTHER NOTICE**, that the Municipal Clerk has posted a copy of said Ordinance on the Bulletin Board in Memorial Town Hall and will make copies of the Ordinance available to members of the general public who request the same.

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Joyce C. Santimauro  
Municipal Clerk

The ORDINANCE referred to is as follows:

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**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 49 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF,  
“LENGTH OF SERVICE PROGRAM”, SECTION 49-5 “POINTS”, SCHEDULE A,  
FIRE DEPARTMENT POINT SYSTEM**

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**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Wyckoff, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey that Section 49-5, “Points” is amended as follows:

**SECTION 1 – Section 49-5, “Points”**

Schedule A

**LOSAP Point System  
100 Points Needed for a Qualifying Year**

**FIRE DEPARTMENT POINT SYSTEM**

**1. Fire Department Responses - 50 points maximum, 30 points minimum;** points are credited based upon the following schedule of percent attendance at the Fire Department Responses to which the Wyckoff Volunteer Fire Department has been dispatched:

	40% Attendance	50 Points
4	30% Attendance	40 Points
	20% Attendance	30 Points

**2. Drills - 40 points maximum, 20 points minimum;** points are credited for participation in Fire Company, Department, and Mutual Aid and Special Drills.

2 points per drill, minimum 90 minute drill, minimum of 10 drills to qualify for any points.

**3. Training - 50 points maximum;** points are credited for Certified Firematic Training Courses upon receipt of certificate of completion, including all mandated training courses.

- A. Courses under 20 hours duration - 2 points per hour, with a maximum of 10 points per course.
- B. Courses 20 to 45 hours duration - 2 points per hour for each hour over 20 hours, with a maximum of 20 points per course.
- C. Courses over 45 hours duration - 2 points per hour, 330 points per course.

**4. Holder of an Elected Specified Position - 50 points maximum;** points are credited for completion of one-year term in an elected position. Only one position can be credited per year.

Department Chief	50 points
<u>Assistant Chief</u>	<u>45 points</u>
Deputy Chief/Battalion Chief	40 points (Batt as of 1/1/2015)
<del>Battalion Chief</del>	<del>45 points</del>
Captain	20 points
Fire Police Chief	20 points
Lieutenant	15 points
Fire Police Captain	15 points
<u>Departmental Safety Officer</u>	<u>15 points</u>
Department Training Officer	10 points
Department Secretary	10 points
Department Treasurer	10 points
Ex-Department Chief	30 points
<u>Ex-Assistant Chief</u>	<u>25 points</u>
<u>Ex-Deputy Chief/Ex-Battalion Chief</u>	<u>15 points (Batt as of 1/1/2015)</u>

**5. Meetings – 30 points maximum, 6 points minimum;** points will be credited for attendance at regular fire company meetings and qualifying departmental meetings, relief and exempt association meetings and Northwest Bergen Mutual Aid Meetings.

2 Points per meeting with a minimum of 3 meetings to qualify for any points.

**6. Stand-by or Sleep-in - 20 points maximum;**

A. Stand-by: 2 points each - a stand-by is defined as line of duty activity of the Volunteer Fire Company, lasting a minimum of four hours, not falling under one of the other categories.

B. Sleep-in: 2 points each full night.

**7. Miscellaneous Activities - 25 points maximum;** points will be credited for participation in the following activities which are deemed Official Fire Department Activities by the Board of Firematic Officers:

2 points per occurrence for each of the following activities  
(minimum 2 hour duration)

Work details  
Regularly scheduled clean-ups

Preventative Maintenance of trucks and equipment  
Fire Prevention Activities (exclusive of regular fire inspection activities)  
Fund Raising Activities  
Wakes and memorial services  
Firematic competitions  
Committee meetings (maximum of 4 meetings per committee per year)  
Apparatus inspections  
Wyckoff Memorial Day Parade

**8. Mutual Aid, FAST Team and single Company Responses – 15 points maximum;** Points will be credited for attendance Mutual Aid, FAST Team and single Company Responses.

1 Point per call with a minimum of 5 points to qualify.

### **Highlights of Plan**

1. Member for one (1) year to be eligible to participate in plan.
2. Five (5) years of active service to be vested.
3. Eligible to collect no earlier than age 62 and no later than age 70.
4. Time served in active military service during plan participation will be substituted for qualification.
5. Members are entitled to buy back up to five years of service for time served prior to plan initiation.
6. Funds will be distributed in a lump sum at qualifying age and member election

**SECTION 2** – Except as hereby amended, all other sections of Chapter 49 shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 3** – This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication according to law.