

Ordinance No. HR-_____
TREDYFFRIN TOWNSHIP
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

AN ORDINANCE OF TREDYFFRIN TOWNSHIP, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, APPROVING THE REQUEST OF TREDYFFRIN EASTTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ASSUME THE HIRING AND OVERSIGHT OF SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS PURSUANT TO 53 P.S. §66915(C)

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Supervisors of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, as follows:

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, has been requested by the Tredyffrin Easttown School District (the “School District”) for the School District to assume the hiring and overseeing of school crossing guards at the School District’s facilities and functions; and

WHEREAS, the request and this Ordinance was made and is being adopted by virtue of the authority found in the Second Class Township Code, 53 P.S. §66915(c); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania is willing to permit the School District to assume the hiring and overseeing of school crossing guards at the School District’s facilities and functions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same as follows:

1. The Board of Supervisors of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania hereby approves the request of the School District to permit the School District to assume the hiring and overseeing of school crossing guards at the School District’s facilities and functions.
2. The School District shall immediately notify Tredyffrin Township of the name, address and contact information upon the hiring of those hired by the School District to serve as school cross guards.
3. The School District shall assume full and complete responsibility for the cost of compensation of the school crossing guards.
4. Immediately upon receipt of notice by Tredyffrin Township of the identity of those individuals hired by the School District as school crossing guards, the Chief of Police of Tredyffrin Township, in cooperation with the Police Departments of other political subdivisions, if any, who are part of the School District in which the School District has also assumed the hiring and overseeing of the school crossing guards at School District facilities and functions, shall provide training to and develop procedures for assisting the school crossing guards, as necessary.

5. The necessary training of the school crossing guards shall include, but not be limited to, developing procedures and methods for safe and orderly pedestrian and traffic control and taking into account different potential weather conditions and time of the day during which the same many occur. There shall also be developed an efficient and prompt method by which school crossing guards may request any necessary assistance from police and other emergency personnel if the need may arise. The school crossing guards shall only be authorized in the management of traffic and pedestrians in and around areas identified by the respective police departments and the School District Superintendent. All training, assistance and emergency procedures throughout the entire School District for all school crossing guards shall be uniform and consistent.

6. Should any section or provision of this Ordinance be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof.

7. Any Ordinance or any part of any Ordinance conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this Ordinance.

8. Related Action. The proper officials of the Township are hereby authorized and empowered to take such additional action as they may deem necessary or appropriate to implement this Ordinance.

9. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect at the time of adoption.

DULY ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Tredyffrin Township Board of Supervisors on this 19th day of June, 2017.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
TREDYFFRIN TOWNSHIP**

Reaves C. Lukens, III, Chairman

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Attest:

William Martin, Secretary