

Ord. #13-2009

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 56-2005 DEALING WITH
THE RESIDENCY OF SEX OFFENDERS**

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive adopted Ordinance 56-2005 on or about November 22, 2005, which Ordinance prohibits where convicted sex offenders may live;

WHEREAS, this type of Ordinance was specifically reviewed by the New Jersey Supreme Court in the matter of G.H. v. Township of Galloway, in which decision, the Supreme Court issued an opinion on or about May 7, 2009 declaring specifically that no municipal action could be taken in connection with the residency of sex offenders based upon the fact that the legislature, having adopted Megan's Law, N.J.S.A. 2C:7-12-19, precludes any municipal action in this area of legislation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance 56-2005 is hereby repealed;

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with law.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE.

ATTEST:

Russell J. Tepper
Mount Olive Twp. Council President

Lisa M. Lashway
Mount Olive Township Clerk

