PEDDLING AND SOLICITING / NON SOLICITATION FORM

Date: __________

Name (owner/occupant) ________________________________

Address __________________________________________

Contact Phone Number ________________________________

Note that only your address will appear on the Non Solicitation List. If you wish to be removed from the list, please contact the Township Clerk’s Office @ 973-691-0900 ext. 7291

For residents of Mount Olive Township who do not wish to have Peddling / Soliciting at their place of residence, please fill out the short form above and submit the form to the Township Clerk’s Office. Email – clerk@mtolivetwp.org

Fax – 973-691-2080 or you may also hand deliver or mail to:

Mount Olive Township
ATTN: Township Clerk
PO Box 450
Budd Lake, N.J. 07828

Your name will then be added to our non-solicitation list. A copy of the Ordinance pertaining to this process is below.

ORD.#11-2019

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 294, PEDDLING AND SOLICITING

WHEREAS, the Township Council has reviewed and assessed the Township Code sections regarding peddling and soliciting; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has determined that restrictions on such activity are not included in the Code; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has determined that it is in the best interest and protection of Township residents that certain restrictions be set forth in the Township Code.
NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 294, Peddling and Soliciting, Article I, General Provisions, is hereby amended to add new Section 294-13, Restrictions for Peddlers and Solicitors, to read as follows:

§ 294-13. Restrictions for Peddlers and Solicitors

A. Entering on posted property prohibited. No individual who has obtained a license pursuant to this Chapter shall enter onto any property displaying a sign or signs stating "no solicitors" or carrying a similar message forbidding the entry of any persons onto the property.

B. Collection, preparation and maintenance of a nonsolicitation list.

(1) Collection, preparation and maintenance of a nonsolicitation list. The Office of the Township Clerk shall collect, prepare and maintain a list of addresses of those premises where the owner and/or occupant has notified the Township Clerk that soliciting and canvassing is not permitted on his/her premises. To be included on the nonsolicitation list, residents shall complete a form. With the adoption of this Section, the Office of the Township Clerk shall have the form available in the Office of the Township Clerk during normal business hours, Mondays through Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except on weekends and legal holidays.

(2) The Township Clerk and/or the Deputy Township Clerk shall submit the nonsolicitation list to the Chief of Police on a quarterly basis. The nonsolicitation list shall be distributed to applicants seeking a license to solicit or canvass pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter by the Office of the Township Clerk. The licensee shall not solicit or canvass at any address on the nonsolicitation list.

(3) Updating of nonsolicitation list. On or about January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 of each year, the Office of the Township Clerk shall update the list. The updated list shall then be forwarded to the Chief of Police.

(4) Any individual violating the provisions of § 294-14A described above shall be punishable by a fine and/or imprisonment as prescribed in § 294-14.

SECTION 2. Chapter 294, Peddling and Soliciting, Article I, General Provisions, current Section 294-13 (renumbered to 294-14), Violations and penalties, is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 294-14 Violations and Penalties.

Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be punishable by a fine not exceeding $2,000 or such other penalties consistent with N.J.S.A. § 40:49-5. A separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Township of Mount Olive inconsistent herewith are repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court or competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This law shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval and publication as required by law.

NOTE:
This Ordinance was adopted on June 11, 2019 and will take effect on July 5, 2019