

**LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-11

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER SAUCON, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING AND REVISING CHAPTER 59, BRUSH, GRASS AND WEEDS, OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER SAUCON, SECTION 59-3, TO REDUCE THE MINIMUM DISTANCE FOR WEED REMOVAL FROM 50 FEET FROM A PROPERTY LINE OR ROADWAY TO 25 FEET.

WHEREAS, the Township of Lower Saucon previously adopted Ordinance 2003-08 which completely revised Chapter 59, Brush, Grass and Weeds, of the Code of the Township of Lower Saucon; and

WHEREAS, the Council of Lower Saucon Township now desires to revise Section 59-3 of said Code to reduce the minimum distance for weed removal from 50 feet from a property line or roadway to 25 feet; and

WHEREAS, the Council of Lower Saucon Township has determined that this revision is in the best interest of the Township and its residents

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED, by the Lower Saucon Township council as follows:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 59-3, RESTRICTED VEGETATION.

Section 59-3, Restricted Vegetation, of the Code of the Township of Lower Saucon is hereby amended by revising the fourth line of said Section to change "50 feet" to "25 feet". All other provisions of Chapter 59 shall remain as enacted by Ordinance 2003-08.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY

If any provision, sentence, clause, section, or part of this Ordinance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality, or invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intent of Lower Saucon Township that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such stricken provision not been included herein.

SECTION 3. REPEALER

All other Ordinances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions hereof, are repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after its enactment.

ENACTED and ORDAINED this 17th day of December, 2008.

ATTEST:

LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP

Jack Cahalan
Township Manager

Glenn C. Kern
Council President