

Mr. Caizza offered the following Ordinance pass third and final reading and moved on its adoption and authorized its publication:

**O-09-31**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 4 OF THE REVISED  
GENERAL CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS  
SECTION 4-11 ENTITLED  
FERRY COMMUTATION SERVICE**

**[additions shown in underline, deletions shown by ~~strikeout~~]**

**WHEREAS**, the annual ferry license fee as been reviewed by the Governing Body and it has been determined that the annual fee has been the same for a long period of time and is need of being increased; and

**WHEREAS**, prior administration relieved the ferry's of having to provide the off duty officers and it is the desire of the Governing Body to amend the ordinance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED THAT SECTION 11-5 of CHAPTER 4 of the REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS BE AND HEREBY IS ESTABLISHED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:**

**4-11.5 License Fees.**

The license fee for one year shall be ~~four thousand eight hundred (\$4,800) dollars which shall be paid quarterly in advance at the beginning of each calendar quarter.~~ nine thousand six hundred dollars (\$9,600) which shall be paid at the beginning of each calendar license year. No ferry service shall be licensed until an insurance policy is filed with the borough clerk providing liability insurance coverage in such an amount as may be deemed by the Governing Body to be necessary for the protection of the public interest, which amount shall be fixed by Resolution of the governing body from time to time.

~~In addition to the above fee each licensee shall pay a sum of money to cover the cost of "off duty" police officers which shall be calculated based upon the rate of forty (\$40.00) dollars per hour for three hours per day, five days per week, said sum to be divided equally among all holders of ferry licenses. The money due shall be deposited quarterly in advance at the beginning of each calendar with borough supervisor of accounts by the respective licensees.~~

Seconded by Mr. Francy and adopted on the following roll call vote:

**ROLL CALL:**

**AYES:** Mr. Francy, Ms. Kane, Mr. Caizza, Mr. Urbanski

**NAYES:** Mayor Little

**ABSENT:** None

**ABSTAIN:** None

**DATE:** December 16, 2009

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**CAROLYN CUMMINS, BOROUGH CLERK**

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I hereby certify this to be a true copy of the Ordinance adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands on December 16, 2009.

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**BOROUGH CLERK/DEPUTY CLERK**