ORDINANCE 24-13

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6.04 ENTITLED "DOGS AND CATS" OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF STRATFORD

WHEREAS, the Borough of Stratford (the "Borough") is a municipal corporation organized and operating under the laws of the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:48-2, the Governing Body is authorized to enact and amend ordinances as deemed necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare and as may be necessary to carry into effect the powers and duties conferred and imposed upon the Municipality by law; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Stratford that the Code of the Borough of Stratford is hereby amended, revised and/or supplemented as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 6.04 entitled DOGS AND CATS, 6.04.060 entitled Kennel license – Pet Shops of the Code of the Borough of Stratford is hereby supplemented:

D. If the location of the kennel is in a C - Commercial District as noted in Chapter 17.24 of the Title 17 ZONING, the maximum number of dogs to be maintained in a kennel shall not exceed seventy-seven (77). The building housing the kennel shall be no closer than one-hundred (100) feet to a residential structure. It is unlawful for the holder of any kennel license to permit any dog or dogs covered thereby to run at large. There can only be one (1) of this type of kennel license.

SECTION 2. Except as set forth in Section 1 above, the balance of the Code of the Borough of Stratford shall not be affected by this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. All Ordinances contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent that they are inconsistent herewith.

SECTION 4. If the provisions of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance shall be judged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon posting, publication, and final passage in the manner prescribed by law.

Introduced: December 10, 2024 Adopted: December 30, 2024

	ATTEST:	
Mayor Linda Hall		Stephenie Cianfrani Borough Deputy Clerk
NOTICE OF PENDING ORDINANCE The ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed upon first reading at the Regular Meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford, in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, held on December 05, 2024. It will be further considered for final passage after public hearing thereon, at the meeting of the Governing Body to be held via electronic video conference provided by ZOOM or in the Borough Hall, in the Borough of Stratford on the 30th day of December 2024 at 2:00 PM. To attended the meeting visit, https://us06web.zoom.us/j/6553784906 or enter Meeting ID: 655 378 4906 in the Zoom application. Copies of the ordinance will be made available during the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting at the Clerk's Office in the Borough Hall to the members of the general public who shall request the same.		

Stephenie Cianfrani Borough Deputy Clerk