

**TOWNSHIP OF SHREWSBURY  
ORDINANCE NO. 2022-01**

**AN ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022  
MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND  
TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK  
(N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.14)**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury as follows:

WHEREAS, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.1, et seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget to 2.5% unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exceptions; and,

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.15a provides that a municipality may, when authorized by ordinance, appropriate the difference between the amount of its actual final appropriation and the 3.5% percentage rate as an exception to its final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury in the County of Monmouth finds it advisable and necessary to increase its CY 2022 budget by up to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting the health, safety and welfare of its citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the Township Committee hereby determines that a 1% increase in the budget for the said year, amounting to \$6,309.88 in excess of the increase in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary; and,

WHEREAS, the Township Committee hereby determines that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury, in the County of Monmouth, a majority of the full authorized membership of this Township Committee affirmatively concurring, that, in the CY 2022 budget year, the final appropriations of the Township of Shrewsbury shall, in accordance with this ordinance and N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.14, be increased by 3.5%, amounting to \$22,084.58 and that the CY 2022 municipal budget for the Township of Shrewsbury be approved and adopted in accordance with this ordinance; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that a certified copy of this ordinance as introduced be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a certified copy of this ordinance, upon adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon, be filed with said Director within 5 days after such adoption.

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the Ordinance 2022-01 by the Township Committee at the Meeting held on April 19, 2022 First Reading.

Name	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Puhak						X
Letfice	X		X			
Jennings		X	X			

Katrina Thornton  
Acting Municipal Clerk



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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing Ordinance 2022- 01 was introduced at the Regular Meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury held on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April 2022 and was then read for the first time. Said Ordinance will be further considered for final passage by the Township Committee at the Regular Meeting to be held on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 2022 at the Township of Shrewsbury Municipal Building, 1979 Crawford Street, at such time and place, or at any time and place to which said meeting may be adjourned, all persons interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the said Ordinance.



Lester Jennings  
Mayor