

Ordinance #2002-978

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 OF ARTICLE 1 OF
ORDINANCE #96-873 BY INCREASING THE MAXIMUM
AGE OF ELIGIBILITY FOR APPOINTMENT TO
THE FIRE DEPARTMENT**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Manville, in the County of Somerset and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. **SECTION 1.** AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 96-873

ARTICLE I, Section 1 of Ordinance No. 96-873 is amended to read as follows:

“Section 1 – In order to become a member of the Fire Department of the Borough of Manville, or any unit thereof, a person shall be: (a) not less than 18 years of age and not more than 45 years of age; (b) a citizen of the United States; and, (c) in good physical condition in order to perform the duties of a firefighter as evidenced by the certification of a licensed physician of the State of New Jersey to that effect, which shall be based upon a physical examination conducted for that purpose. The physical examination of an applicant shall be paid for by the Borough of Manville.”

SECTION 2. CONSTRUCTION

Where consistent with the context in which used in this ordinance, words importing the singular shall include the plural; words importing the plural shall include the singular; and, words importing one gender shall include all other genders.

SECTION 3. INCONSISTENCY

Should any provision of this ordinance be inconsistent with the provisions of any prior ordinances, the inconsistent provisions of said prior ordinances are hereby repealed, but only to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY

In the event that any provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such declaration of invalidity shall not affect any other provision or application of this ordinance which may be given effect, and, to realize this intent, the provisions and applications of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION 8. PURPOSE OF CAPTIONS

Captions contained in this ordinance have been inserted only for the purpose of facilitating reference to the various sections, and are not intended and shall not be utilized to construe the intent and meaning of the text of any section.

SECTION 9. EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon final adoption, approval and publication in accordance with law.

Borough of Manville

Angelo Corradino, Mayor

ATTEST:

Philip E. Petrone, Borough Clerk

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The purpose of this ordinance is to fix the age range of eligibility for appointment to the Fire Department.

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FIRST READING:

ROLL CALL

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
√		ALLAN	√			
		ASHER	√			
		PETROCK	√			
		POLAK	√			
		WEISS	√			
	√	WIERZBA	√			
		MAYOR CORRADINO				

PASSED this 11th day of November, 2002.

Attest:

Philip E. Petrone, Borough Clerk

SECOND READING:

ROLL CALL

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
		ALLAN	√			
		ASHER	√			
√		PETROCK	√			
		POLAK	√			
		WEISS	√			
	√	WIERZBA	√			
		MAYOR CORRADINO				

PASSED this 25th day of November, 2003.

Attest:

Philip E. Petrone, Borough Clerk