

**TOWNSHIP OF CRANFORD  
CRANFORD, NEW JERSEY  
ORDINANCE NO. 2024-01**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CRANFORD,  
CHAPTER 410, SECTION 65, SCHEDULE XII: TRUCKS OVER CERTAIN WEIGHTS  
EXCLUDED FOR THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF LEXINGTON AVENUE**

**WHEREAS**, Lexington Avenue between South Union Avenue and the Conrail line excludes trucks over four (4) tons for the health, safety, and welfare of the residential neighborhood; and

**WHEREAS**, increasingly large trucks and tractor trailers have been using Lexington Avenue between Walnut Avenue and Raritan Road; and

**WHEREAS**, for the health, safety, and welfare of the community, the Township has determined that the entire length of Lexington Avenue should be added to the list of streets that restricts large trucks and tractor trailers and acts to deter cut-through traffic in this residential neighborhood except for the pickup and delivery of materials.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Cranford, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, that §410-16 of the Code of the Township of Cranford is hereby amended as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 410, Article VIII, Section 65 is hereby amended as follows:

**§410-65. Schedule XII: Trucks Over Certain Weights Excluded.**

In accordance with the provisions of §410-16, trucks in excess of the registered gross weights indicated are hereby excluded from the following streets or parts of streets, except for the pickup and delivery of materials on such streets or the performance of construction, maintenance, or landscaping contracted by residents at addresses located on such streets:

<b>Name of street</b>	<b>Weight Limit (tons)</b>	<b>Location</b>
....	....	....
Lexington Avenue	4	<u>Entire length</u> <del>Between South Union Avenue and the Conrail line</del>
....	....	....

**SECTION 2.** In the event of any inconsistencies between the provisions of this Ordinance and any prior ordinance of the Township of Cranford, the provisions hereof shall be determined to govern. All other parts, portions and provisions of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of Cranford are hereby ratified and confirmed, except where inconsistent with the terms hereof.

**EXPLANATION – Matter struck through ~~thus~~ in the above Ordinance is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law. Matter underlined thus is new matter.**

**SECTION 3.** If any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance and they shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 4.** Upon final passage and publication according to law, this ordinance shall become effective immediately.

Introduced: January 16, 2024

Adopted: February 20, 2024

Approved:

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Brian Andrews  
Chair, Township Committee

ATTEST:

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Patricia Donahue  
Township Clerk

**RECORDED VOTE**

**INTRODUCED**

**ADOPTED**

Brian Andrews

Aye

Aye

Terrence Curran

Aye

Aye

Paul Gallo

Aye

Aye

Kathleen Miller Prunty

Aye

Aye

Gina Black

Absent

Aye