

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING
CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC, SUBSECTION 7-20, STOP INTERSECTIONS, OF
THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF
THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, that Nance Road and Warren Road, Crestmont Road and Warren Road, Powell Drive and Blackstock Road and Connel Drive and Blackstock Road shall be designated as a Stop Intersections pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) under the Municipal Engineer's Certification and License Number GE026706 as follows:

Section 1. The Township Council of the Township of West Orange finds it in the interest of public safety to designate Nance Road and Warren Road, Crestmont Road and Warren Road, Powell Drive and Blackstock Road and Connel Drive and Blackstock Road as Stop Intersections pursuant to N.J.S.A.39:4-8(b).

Section 2. The Municipal Engineer of the Township of West Orange has submitted and certified all the legislative requirements pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) and the criteria as set forth by the New Jersey Department of Transportation, Bureau of Traffic Engineering have been met.

Section 3. Subsection 7-20, Stop Intersections, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange is hereby supplemented and amended as follows pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:4-140 (*italic type denotes deletion, bold type denotes addition*):

Intersection	Stop Signs On:
Nance Road and Warren Road	Nance Road
Crestmont Road and Warren Road	Crestmont Road
Powell Drive and Blackstock Road	Powell Drive
Connel Drive and Blackstock Road	Connel Drive

Section 4. If any provisions of this Ordinance or application thereof, under any circumstances, is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect any of the provisions or applications

of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the valid provision(s) or application and to this end, the provisions of the Ordinance are severable.

Section 5. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by New Jersey Statute, every person convicted of a violation of any provision of this Ordinance or any supplement thereto shall be liable to the penalty of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or imprisonment for a term not to exceed fifteen (15) days or both.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with law and approval by the New Jersey Department of Transportation if necessary.

ROBERT D. PARISI, MAYOR

JERRY GUARINO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Introduced: May 26, 2015

Adopted: June 23, 2015

Approved as to form on the basis of
the facts provided

Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

The Ordinance, which amends the Traffic Regulations of the Township, designates the intersections of Nance Road and Warren Road, Crestmont Road and Warren Road, Powell Drive and Blackstock Road and Connel Drive and Blackstock Road as Stop Intersections with Stop Signs to be placed on Nance Road, Crestmont Road, Powell Drive and Connel Drive. Three intersections are “T” intersections with Nance Road, Crestmont Road and Powell Drive forming the stems of the “T”. The fourth intersection is a full cross four way intersection with Connel Drive the minor street. Due to the volume of traffic which travels on Nance Road and Warren Road, Crestmont Road and Warren Road, Powell Drive and Blackstock Road and Connel Drive and Blackstock Road, the Township’s Engineering Division determined that traffic needed to be regulated at these intersections for the safe movement of traffic through them. The Engineering Division recommended designating the intersections as Stop Intersections with Stop Signs on Nance Road, Crestmont Road, Powell Drive and Connel Drive to provide for the safe movement of traffic there. Without Stop Signs on Nance Road, Crestmont Road, Powell Drive and Connel Drive the normal right-of-way rule is not expected to provide reasonably safe operation of these intersections.