

**TOWN COUNCIL OF CENTREVILLE
ORDINANCE NUMBER 06-2017**

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING CHAPTER 54 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF CENTREVILLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING THE DATE REQUIRED BY CANDIDATES TO BE LOCAL ELECTED OFFICIALS TO FILE THEIR FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORM AND ALL MATTER GENERALLY RELATED THERETO.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Centreville is authorized by §5-202 of the Local Government Article of the Maryland Annotated Code to pass ordinances that the Town Council deems necessary to protect the health, comfort and convenience of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, General Provisions Section 5-807 requires each county and each municipal corporation to enact provisions to govern the public ethics of local officials relating to conflicts of interest, financial disclosure and lobbying;

WHEREAS, Chapter 54 of the Code of the Town of Centreville provides for a Code of Ethics applicable to Town of Centreville elected officials, employees, and members of all Boards and Commissions of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council believes that it is in the best interests of the citizens of Centreville to amend Chapter 54 of the Town Code to modify the date required by candidates to be local elected officials to file their financial disclosure form.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that Chapter 54-5.D(2) of the Code of the Town of Centreville be amended as attached hereto as Exhibit A, with new material underlined and material to be deleted is enclosed in double bold faced brackets [[]]:

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or applications, and to this end, all the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force effective twenty days after its enactment.

ATTEST

TOWN COUNCIL OF CENTREVILLE



Carolyn M. Brinkley
Town Clerk



Timothy E. McCluskey, President



Jim A. Beauchamp, Vice President

First Reading: September 21, 2017
Second Reading: October 17, 2017
Enacted: November 2, 2017
Effective: November 23, 2017
(21st calendar day after enactment)



Jeffrey C. Morgan, Member

Chapter 54-5. Financial disclosure: local elected officials and candidates to be local elected officials.

D. Candidates to be local elected officials.

- (2) A candidate to be an elected local official shall file a statement required under this section: in the year the certificate of candidacy is filed, with the Town of Centreville Clerk or Board of Election Supervisors with the certificate of candidacy or with the Commission prior to filing the certificate of candidacy and no later than the filing of the certificate of candidacy; in the year of the election, with the Commission on or before 4:00 p.m. ~~[[on the first Monday in March]]~~ by the filing deadline for elections; and in all other years that a statement is required, with the Commission on or before April 30.