

# HAYCOCK TOWNSHIP

## ORDINANCE No. 4

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An ordinance providing for the levy and collection of a tax, for general revenue purposes, on the use or occupancy of house trailers suitable for living quarters within the Township of Haycock, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Supervisors of the Township of Haycock, pursuant to the Act of June 25, 1947, P. L. 1145, its amendments and supplements, as follows:

SECTION I. A monthly tax of \$2.00 is hereby imposed, for general revenue purposes, upon the use or occupancy of each house trailer suitable for living quarters within the Township of Haycock.

SECTION II. A tax in the amount of \$2.00 shall be due and payable by the person in charge of any house trailer suitable for living quarters, used or occupied within the Township of Haycock, thirty days after the effective date of this ordinance or thirty days after the inception of any use or occupancy within the Township, whichever shall last occur, and monthly thereafter.

SECTION III. In the event that the person in charge of the house trailer shall fail or refuse to pay the tax hereinbefore imposed, then such tax may and shall be collected from the person or persons, partnership, association, or corporation owning the real estate upon which the said trailer is or shall have been located.

SECTION IV. Upon payment of the said tax as aforesaid, the tax collector shall issue a receipt to the person paying the said tax, which receipt shall bear the name of the person in charge of the trailer for which the tax is paid, a brief description of the trailer, the location of the trailer, the name of the owner of the land on which the trailer is located, the amount of tax paid, the date the tax fell due, and the date of payment. The receipt so issued shall be kept in the

trailer in connection with which the receipt was issued and shall evidence the right and privilege of using or occupying the said trailer for a period of one month from the due date of the said tax.

SECTION V. If the tax levied in pursuance of this ordinance shall not be paid when due, a penalty of twenty per cent of the amount of the tax due and unpaid shall be added thereto.

SECTION VI. All taxes imposed by this ordinance, together with all penalties, shall be recoverable by the Township Solicitor as other debts of like amount are recovered.

SECTION VII. The various sections of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and in the event that any portion or portions of this ordinance shall be declared void and unconstitutional and of no effect, the remaining sections shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION VIII. Any person convicted before any Justice of the Peace of the Township of violating or failing to carry out any of the provisions or requirements of this ordinance, or of knowingly making any false statement with regard to his liability for or payment of the said tax, or of attempting to do anything whatever to avoid the payment of the whole or any part of the tax imposed under this ordinance, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for each and every offense, and the costs of prosecution thereof, and in default of such fine, to undergo imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not exceeding five days.

SECTION IX. This Ordinance shall become effective on the 4th day of January, 1960.

ATTEST: George C. Heaverly,

Secretary.

FRANKLIN J. REICHENBACH,  
Dec. 4-11-18 Chairman.