June 6, 1963

Bingo Ordinance\*\*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ORDINANCE ADOPTED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF MORIAH, ESSEX COUNTY, NEW YORK, DATED 4-18-58, AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF BINGO IN SUCH TOWN

In order to accomplish the purposes herein set forth, the Town Board of the Town of Moriah hereby ordains as follows:

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend an ordinance adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Moriah, Essex County, New York, dated 4-18-58 authorizing the conduct of bingo in such town to change the reference in such ordinance from Article 14-G of the General Municipal Law to Article 14-H of the General Municipal Law, as so renumbered by Chapter 438 of the Laws of 1962, and to set forth therein the following additional amended and renumbered restrictions concerning the conduct of the game of bingo by an authorized organization in such Town, as required by section 479 of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York as amended by Chapter 438 of the Laws of 1962:

- 1. No person, firm association, corporation or organization other than a licensee under the provisions of Article 14-H of the General Municipal Law, shall conduct such game or shall lease or otherwise make available for conducting bingo a hall, or other premises for any consideration whatsoever, direct or indirect.
- 2. No bingo games shall be held, operated or conducted on or within any leased premises if rental under such lease is to be paid, wholly or partly, on the basis of a percentage of the receipts or net profits derived from the operation of such game.
- 3. No authorized organization licensed under the provisions of Article 14-H of the General Municipal Law shall purchase or receive any supplies or equipment specifically designed or adapted for use in the conduct of bingo games from other than a supplier licensed under the bingo control law or from another authorized organization.

(\*\* See pages 26 and 27 of Minute Book - 1963)

- 4. The entire net proceeds of any game of bingo and of any rental shall be exclusively devoted to the lawful purposes of the organization permitted to conduct the same.
- 5. No prize shall exceed the sum or value of two hundred fifty dollars in any single game of bingo.
- 6. No series of prizes on any one bingo occasion shall aggregate more than one thousand dollars.
- 7. No person except a bona fide member of any such organization shall participate in the management or operation of such game.
- 8. No person shall receive any remuneration for participating in the management or operation of any game of bingo.
- 9. The unauthorized conduct of a bingo game and any wilful violation of any provision of this ordinance shall constitute and be punishable as a misdemeanor.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after date of the enactment hereof as provided by section 497 of the General Municipal Law and after due publication and posting as provided by section 133 of the Town Law.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF MORIAH.

ERNEST J. BROWN
TOWN CLERK

DATED: JUNE 6, 1963.

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WHEREAS, after d\_ue publication of notice, a public hearing upon an ordinance authorizing conduct of the game of bingo in the Town of Moriah, County of Essex, and State of New York, having been held in the Town Clerk's Office on the 11th day of April, 1958,

NOW, THEREFORE, at a special meeting of the Town Board held on the 18th day of April, 1958, on motion of Councilman Mark Bigalow, seconded by Councilman George Hilliard, be it

RESOLVED AND ORDAINED, that it shall be lawful for any authorized organization, as defined in Section 476 of Article 14-G of the General Municipal Law, upon obtaining the required license, to conduct the game of bingo within the territorial limits of the Town of Moriah, subject to the provisions of this ordinance, Article 14-G of the General Municipal Law amd Article 19-B of the Executive Law, and the following restrictions:

- 1. No person, firm, association, corporation or organization, other than an authorized organization licensed under the provisions of this article, shall be permitted to conduct such games.
- 2. The entire net proceeds of any game shall be exclusively devoted to the lawful purposes of the organization permitted to conduct the same.
- 3. No single prize shall exceed the sum or value of two hundred fifty dollars.
- 4. No series of prizes on any one occasion shall aggregate more than one thousand dollars.
- 5. No person except a bona fide member of any such organization shall participate in the management or operation of such game.
- 6. No person shall receive any renumeration for participating in the management or operation of any such game.
- 7. The unauthorized conduct of a bingo game and any willful violation of any provision of any such local law or ordinance shall constitute and be punishable as a misdemeanor.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing ordinance was duly put to a vote which resulted as follows:

Joseph Guerin Justice of the Peace Voting Aye George N. Weston Justice of the Peace Voting Aye Mark Bigalow Councilman Voting Aye George Hilliard Councilman Voting Aye duly

The ordinance was thereupon/declared adopted and was approved by the Supervisor.

(\*\* See pages 153-4-5 of Minute Book - 1958)