READINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF HEALTH

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 274 ENTITLED "TOBACCO" OF THE CODE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE TOWNSHIP OF READINGTON

ORDINANCE BH:01-2025

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: That an Ordinance of which the above is the title was presented and passed on First Reading at a meeting of the Readington Township Board of Health, in the Township of Readington, County of Hunterdon, New Jersey, on April 16, 2025, and will be considered and adopted at the Board of Health regular meeting held on May 21, 2025, at 7:00 PM. The ordinance amendment raises the age of prohibition on the sale of tobacco from 18 to 21, and also expands the prohibition to include tobacco products, vapor products, and any other similar substances prohibited by New Jersey law. In addition, as required by New Jersey law, non-flavored vapor products shall not be sold in retail establishments in Readington Township, regardless of age. Appropriate signage outlining the above prohibitions must be provided and posted by those who sell tobacco, tobacco products, and vapor products in their establishments. The ordinance authorizes enforcement by the Township's police department, the Health Officer, or other designee. A copy of the ordinance in full is posted on the Township Website and available at the Township Board of Health office.

Danielle Monaghan,

Board of Health Secretary