

I have amendments to the ordinance

1) I move to amend Ordinance Serial No. 19-088 on pages 1 and 2 of the ordinance to strike the references to 3 years and insert 1 year in its place.

This amendment will preserve the intent of the current ordinance to prohibit Assemblymembers from doing business with the borough while in office. However, this amendment will preserve the current 1 year restriction on Assemblymembers not doing business with the borough after leaving office.

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2) I move to amend Ordinance Serial No. 19-088 on page 2 of the ordinance to remove the words: The borough assembly in its sole and absolute discretion may waive application of this section in advance of any bid, response, or offer being placed.

This amendment removes the waiver provision from the code. This amendment will make the one year restriction for Assemblymembers more definite and certain because there will be no questions about any waiver.

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3) I move to amend Ordinance Serial No. 19-088 on page 4 of the ordinance to remove the words: unless the provisions of MSB 2.71.090 are waived by Assembly action in advance of the bid being placed.

This amendment is as a result of the removal of the waiver process. Since the ability of former Assemblymembers to get a waiver is being removed, this reference should be removed so as not to cause confusion.