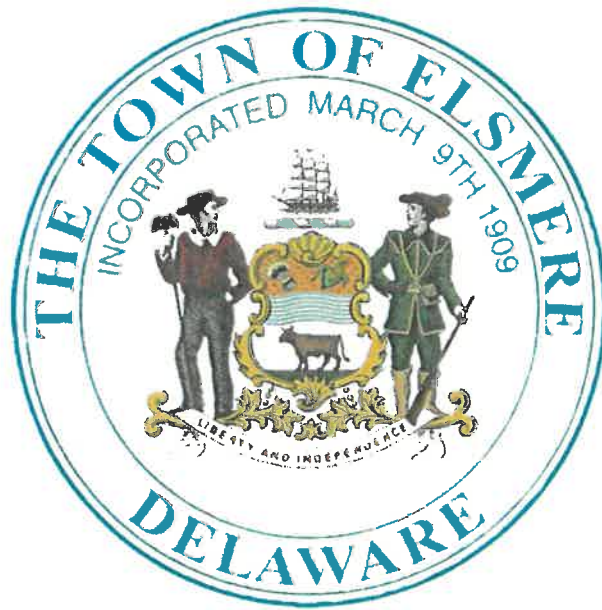




Ordinance 692

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PENALTIES FOR PROHIBITING CERTAIN FACIAL COVERINGS FROM BEING WORN IN CERTAIN SPACES; UNDER CERTAIN TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Sponsored By: Mayor and Council

First and Second Reading: August 13, 2026

Results: Passed 4 In Favor, 3 Opposed

Third and Final Reading: September 10, 2026

Results: Passed 6 In Favor, 1 Opposed

TOWN OF ELSMERE ORDINANCE 692

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WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Town of Elsmere passed Ordinance 683 which prohibited certain facial coverings from being worn in certain spaces; under certain times and conditions, which took effect on September 8, 2025.

WHEREAS, following its adoption, a typographical error was identified in the text of the ordinance; and

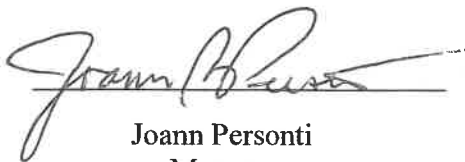
WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to amend the ordinance solely to correct the typographical error without changing the intent or substantive provisions of the ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ELSMERE, THE FOLLOWING:

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Paragraph 3 shall read as follows:

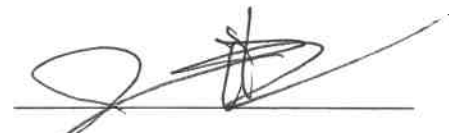
"A person who violate Paragraph (1) of this Section shall be subject to a fine (Fined) not less than (seventy-five dollars (\$75).) and not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2000)."

RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ELSMERE, THIS 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2026.


Joann Personti
Mayor


Jane McDaniel
Secretary

Approved as to form:


Town Solicitor

Ordinance 692

SYNOPSIS

This Ordinance is housekeeping to amend the wording found in Ordinance 683 in Paragraph 3 for the fine/penalty for any perpetrators trying to conceal their identities.

Fiscal Impact:

At this time there is no fiscal impact.