### TOWN OF HARWINTON ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

January 23, 2018

# ORDINANCE CONCERNING BINGO GAMES, BAZAARS AND RAFFLES

#### Section 1. Authorization.

The Town of Harwinton hereby adopts the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes, §7-169 to §7-186, inclusive, as amended by Public Act. No. 17-231, effective January 1, 2018. Terms as defined in the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended by the Public Act, are hereby incorporated by reference.

Section 2. Bingo Games, Bazaars and Raffles.

The Town of Harwinton hereby confirms its prior authorization of bingo games, bazaars and raffles within the municipality, subject to the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended by Public Act No. 17-231.

Section 3. Application Forms, Permit Fees.

The Town of Harwinton hereby authorizes the use of the application forms prescribed by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection and adopts the maximum permit fees authorized by the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended by Public Act No. 17-231, and as may subsequently be amended by future legislation.

## Section 4. Administration.

The First Selectman, as the chief executive officer of the Town of Harwinton, is hereby authorized to administer the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes applicable to bingo games, bazaars and raffles previously administered by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection and now delegated to the municipality pursuant to Public Act No. 17-231, effective January 1, 2018.

#### Section 5. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect as of January 1, 2018 effective upon publication of a summary of its provisions in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes §7-157(b).

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