## Township of Bridgewater, New Jersey

## PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING A MARRIAGE LICENSE IN BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP

The following information applies to couples being married in New Jersey and the bride and/or the groom live in Bridgewater. Applications are accepted in the Health Office, Monday through Thursday 9:00 am to 4:30 pm and on Fridays 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. There is a mandatory waiting period before a license can be issued.

## <u>Items required by applicants at time of application</u>

- Birth certificate with raised seal or a valid passport. NOTE: All foreign documents must be translated in writing into English and sealed by the proper authority.
- Proof of residency. (Driver's License) If you do not have a driver's license contact the Registrar.
- \$28.00 cash or check only.
- If married before, death certificate, divorce papers, etc., whatever applies.
- Know your social security numbers.
- Witness over the age of 18 that speaks English. (Witness must bring a driver's license.)
- Bride and Groom must know their parents birthplaces, mother's maiden names and the name and address of person performing their ceremony.

Please note: you may access an application on line at the New Jersey Vital Statistics website at www.state.nj.us/health/vital/index.shtml. Please contact the Bridgewater Health Department with further questions. 908-725-5750.

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