

RESOLUTION

FOR

INTERGOVERNMENTAL EMERGENCY COOPERATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TWO OR MORE MUNICIPALITIES TO AGREE TO DELEGATE MUNICIPAL POWERS TO ONE LOCAL MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR FOR LOCAL MANAGEMENT/COORDINATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES CODE 35 PA. C.S. SECTION 7101 ET SEQ. AS AMENDED AND 35 PA. C.S. 7503(1), AND HAS DETERMINED THAT PARTICIPATION WILL BE BENEFICIAL AND CONVENIENT FOR ITS RESIDENTS BOTH IN TERMS OF COST AND EFFICIENCY OF ADMINISTRATION ALL OF WHICH PROTECT AND PRESERVE THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF ITS CITIZENS;

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Township of Germany and the Township of Union,
located within the County of Adams, Pennsylvania;

WHEREAS, the Municipalities recognize that the growth and development in Adams County in general, and in the geographic limits of the municipalities in particular, their responsibility for the protection of their citizens in case of disaster; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township have recognized that the coordinating of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code through an Resolution of the municipalities would be beneficial for its residents and would protect and preserve the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township have recognized that administration of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code would be best undertaken through the employment/appointment or contract of one trained professional Emergency Management Official; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township shall provide all normal and appropriate management/coordination of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Service Code within the geographic limits of the said Municipalities, on the same basis as the services that area provided within the geographic limits of each municipality.

The Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township shall have those powers and abilities as appertain to municipal officers under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or the Rules of the Supreme Court, or the Ordinances of the municipality relating to the coordinating of the Pennsylvania Emergency management Service Code.

WHEREAS, the Act of July 12, 1972, P.L. 762, as amended, 53 P.S. 481 et seq., also known as the Intergovernmental Cooperations Act, permits Municipalities to enter into agreements to cooperate in the performance of their respective functions, powers or responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution adopted herewith shall constitute a binding agreement and shall be sufficient warrant and authority for the officials and agents as appointed by the Municipality to cooperate and assist the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township in carrying out its duties and responsibilities under the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement.

WHEREAS, this Resolution shall commence upon adoption by the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township Agreement governing shall be for an indefinite term and dependent upon the continued participation of the various municipalities. Participating municipalities can withdraw from the Resolution upon reasonable notice.

WHEREAS, the qualified Emergency Management Official hired, appointed or contracted by the Municipality of Germany Township and the Municipality of Union Township is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Municipalities in coordinating the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code related to and all provisions of the Ordinance and Resolutions of Municipality related to the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code.

WHEREAS, WITNESS OF THE PROPER ADOPTION OF THIS RESOLUTION AND APPROVAL OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL EMERGENCY COOPERATIONS AGREEMENT SET FORTH HEREIN, the duly appointed officers of the governing bodies of the respective municipalities have hereunto set forth their hands and seals.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 13th day of October A.D., 2014, by
Board of Supervisors of Germany Township.

By: [Signature]
(Chairman)

By: Jocie McKeeterman
(Vice-Chairman)

By: [Signature]
(Supervisor)

ATTEST:

[Signature]
(Secretary)

(SEAL)

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 16th day of September A.D., 2014, by
Board of Supervisors of Union Township.

By: [Signature]
(Chairman)

By: [Signature]
(Vice-Chairman)

By: _____
(Supervisor)

ATTEST:

[Signature]
(Secretary)

(SEAL)

