

ORDINANCE NO. 2002- 1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF UNION, UNION COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, CONSENTING TO THE TOWNSHIP JOINING THE CENTRAL KEYSTONE COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS AND AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH OTHER MUNICIPALITIES TO ACCOMPLISH THE SAID COUNCIL'S PURPOSES AND TO ALSO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS WITH THE SAID COUNCIL TO PROVIDE SERVICES, PROGRAMS AND JOINT PURCHASES.

Be enacted and ordained by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Union, Union County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. The Township hereby consents to joining the Keystone Central Council of Governments, a council of governments formed under the provisions of Act 180 for the purpose of providing various services, including, but not limited to, sewage and building code enforcement.

Section 2. The Township is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with such other municipalities desirous of entering into a similar agreement to accomplish the purposes set forth in this Ordinance, which agreement shall provide, inter alia, for the following:

- a. the Council of Governments shall initially provide for a building codes program and an on-lot sewer program and may in the future provide for such other services and programs as it deems appropriate;
- b. the term of the Council of Governments and the agreement shall be perpetual, subject to the right to terminate upon at least twelve (12) months advance notice;
- c. the Council of Governments shall have all the powers necessary to accomplish the intent of the agreement;
- d. the Council of Governments shall be supported by contributions from its members and by grants and fees for services;
- e. the Council of Governments shall be governed by a Board of Directors, Officers and an Executive Committee;

f. real and personal property may be purchased, sold or leased by the Council of Governments in accordance with applicable law; and

g. the Council of Governments shall have the power and authority to enter into contracts for group insurance and employee benefits.

Section 3. The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and the Township Secretary are hereby directed to execute the aforesaid agreement.

Section 4 The Township is hereby authorized to enter into contracts with the Central Keystone Council of Governments to provide such services, programs and joint purchases as the Board of Supervisors may from time to time approve by motion or resolution

Section 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after enactment.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED as an Ordinance of the Township of Union, Union County, Pennsylvania, this 10th day of December, 2002.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF UNION:

Shirley L. Doyle
Shirley L. Doyle, Secretary

(SEAL)

R. Nelson Poe
R. Nelson Poe, Chairman
Thomas S. Reitz
Thomas S. Reitz, Supervisor

K. Palmer Felmey
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