Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan

Municipal Adoption Resolution

Resolution No. 2013-14

Rush Township, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania

WHEREAS, the Township of Rush, Pennsylvania is most vulnerable to natural and human-made hazards which may result in loss of life and property, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety, and

WHEREAS, Section 322 of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) requires state and local governments to develop and submit for approval to the President a mitigation plan that outlines processes for identifying their respective natural hazards, risks, and vulnerabilities, and

WHEREAS, the Township of Rush acknowledges the requirements of Section 322 of DMA 2000 to have an approved Hazard Mitigation Plan as a prerequisite to receiving post-disaster Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funds, and

WHEREAS, the Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Schuylkill County Planning and Zoning Office and Schuylkill County Emergency Management Agency in cooperation with other county departments and officials and citizens of the Township of Rush, and

WHEREAS, a public involvement process consistent with the requirements of DMA 2000 was conducted to develop the Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan, and
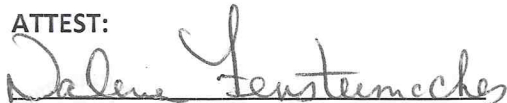
WHEREAS, the Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan recommends mitigation activities that will reduce losses to life and property affected by both natural and human-made hazards that face the County and its municipal governments.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body for the Township of Rush:

- The Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the Township of Rush, and
- The respective officials and agencies identified in the implementation strategy of the Schuylkill County 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan are hereby directed to implement the recommended activities assigned to them.

ADOPTED, this 21st day of November, 2013

ATTEST:

Darlene Feustemecchos

TOWNSHIP OF RUSH

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By _Jeannine Motroni_