

BOROUGH/TOWNSHIP OF HARRISVILLE
BUTLER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA¹
ORDINANCE NO. 02-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH/TOWNSHIP OF HARRISVILLE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, PROVIDING FOR ENTERING INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY AND OTHER MUNICIPALITIES LOCATED WITHIN BUTLER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING ONE JOINT EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN FOR THOSE PARTICIPATING MUNICIPALITIES.

WHEREAS, certain municipalities located within Butler County, Pennsylvania, desire to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement to adopt the Butler County Emergency Operations Plan as their municipal operations plan; and

WHEREAS, said municipalities, for the purpose of carrying the provisions of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act into effect, deem it appropriate to enter into such agreement; and

WHEREAS, said municipalities have determined that the residents of each municipality will be best served by adopting the Butler County Emergency Operations plan as their own plan rather than having numerous, separate emergency operations plans in each of the respective municipalities.

NOW THEREFORE, be it Ordained and enacted by the Council of the Borough of Harrisville, Board of Supervisors of _____, _____ County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby Ordained and Enacted by the authority of and pursuant to the provisions of the Act of July 12, 1972, No. 180, P.L. 762, 53 P.S. 481-490, and pursuant to the authority and the provisions of the Emergency Management Services Code, 35 Pa. C.S. 7101-7707, as amended, as follows:

Section 1 – Title

This resolution shall be known as the Harrisville Borough/Township Regional Emergency Management Agency Ordinance.

Section 2 – Parties and Purpose

The Borough of Harrisville, Township of _____ hereby resolves to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Borough of _____, Township of _____, and Township of _____, and such other municipalities as would desire to

¹ This form and its format have been accepted by the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency (PEMA) on March 21, 2003.

enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement in the future, and hereby agree that the Butler County Emergency Operations Plan will serve as the emergency operations plan for each municipality that signs the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement.

Section 3 – Conditions of Agreement

The conditions of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement to be entered into between the participating municipalities and the County are described as follows:

- A. The municipalities agree that they shall adopt and declare the Butler County Emergency Operations Plan to be the emergency operations plan of each of their municipalities for the purpose of fulfilling the requirement in Subsection 7503(1) of the Emergency Management Services Code to prepare, maintain and keep current a disaster emergency management plan for each of their municipalities.
- B. Each municipality's emergency management coordinator shall annually review the Butler County Emergency Operation Plan and recommend changes, improvements or additional information to the Plan in order to ensure that the Plan adequately addresses the public safety and welfare needs of each municipality's residents.

Section 5 – Repeal of Inconsistent Resolutions and Ordinances

All resolutions and ordinances, or parts of either, which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 6 – Invalidity

The invalidity of any part of this Ordinance shall not effect the validity of any other part of this Ordinance.

Section 7 – Registration with County

A copy of this Ordinance shall be filed with the County Emergency Management Agency and shall remain in effect unless amended. Any amendments shall also be filed with the County Emergency Management Coordinator.

Section 8 – Effective Date

This Ordinance shall become effective upon enactment by the Borough Council of Harrisville Borough/Board of Supervisors of _____ Township, Butler County, Pennsylvania.

RESOLVED and Enacted by the Borough Council of Harrisville,
Butler County/Board of _____ Supervisors
_____, Pennsylvania, on this 5th day of
May, 2003.

Harrisville Borough/Township

By: [Signature]
President of Council/Township Supervisor

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Borough/Township Secretary

Borough
APPROVED by the Council, this 5th day of May, 2003