Monroe County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan
Municipal Adoption Resolution

Resolution No. 09-2016-1
Middle Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania

WHEREAS, the *Township of Middle Smithfield*, Monroe County, 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 Middle Smithfield* 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 Monroe County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Monroe County Commissioners and the Monroe County Department of Public Safety in cooperation with other county departments, and officials and citizens of *the Township of Middle Smithfield* and

WHEREAS, a public involvement process consistent with the requirements of DMA 2000 was conducted to develop the Monroe County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan, and

WHEREAS, the Monroe County 2016 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 Middle Smithfield*

- The Monroe County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the *Township of Middle Smithfield* and
- The respective officials and agencies identified in the implementation strategy of the Monroe County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan are hereby directed to implement the recommended activities assigned to them.

ADOPTED, this 8th day of September, 2016

ATTEST:

Michele Y. Clewell

Middle Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors