

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SMITHFIELD
MONROE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 11-2021-2

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE MONROE COUNTY 2021
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE**

WHEREAS, Township of Middle Smithfield (the “Township”), Monroe County, Pennsylvania, is a Pennsylvania Second Class Township, governed by its Board of Supervisors (the “Board”); and

WHEREAS, the Township is most vulnerable to natural 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 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 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Monroe County Office of Emergency Management in cooperation with other county departments, and officials and citizens of the Township; and

WHEREAS, a public involvement process consistent with the requirements of DMA 2000 was conducted to develop the Monroe County 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Monroe County 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan recommends mitigation activities that will reduce losses to life and property affected by natural hazards that face the County and its municipal governments.


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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors as follows:

- The Monroe County 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the Township, and
- The respective officials and agencies identified in the implementation strategy of the Monroe County 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan are hereby directed to implement the recommended activities assigned to them.

ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors of Middle Smithfield Township this 18th day of November, 2021.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SMITHFIELD
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS


Chairperson

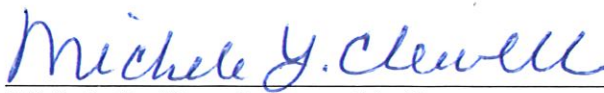

Vice Chairperson


Supervisor

I, Michele Clewell, duly qualified Secretary of Middle Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, hereby certify that the forgoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted by a majority vote of the Middle Smithfield Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting held November 18,, 2021, and said Resolution has been recorded in the Minutes of the Middle Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors and remains in effect as of this date.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I affix my hand and attach the seal of Middle Smithfield Township, this 18th day of November, 2021.

Township of Middle Smithfield
Monroe County, Pennsylvania


Michele L. Clewell, Township Secretary

[SEAL]

Michele Clewell

From: Kevin Dixon
Sent: Tuesday, November 16, 2021 10:26 AM
To: Michele Clewell
Cc: Mark Oney
Subject: Monroe County Hazzard Mitigation Plan

In regard to the omission of the Middle Smithfield Risk Assessment from the County Plan, Lynda contacted the consultant and they are going to do an immediate amendment to the plan to add our assessment. (they are in the process of sending Lynda the paperwork). I would advise that we adopt the plan. Not having the survey in the plan would have no affect on us getting any future grants from FEMA, not adopting the plan would.

Once adopted would you please send a copy to Lynda cc me so that she may forward to FEMA.

Thank you

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