TOWNSHIP OF LATIMORE COUNTY OF ADAMS, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2019 - _1_

Adopted: December 9, 2019

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LATIMORE TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF ADAMS, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, REPEALING AND RESCINDING A PRIOR ORDINANCE OF SAID BOARD, AND THEREBY ABOLISHING THE RECREATION BOARD.

WHEREAS, the Township of Latimore (hereafter, the Township) is a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and it is governed under The Second Class Township Code (hereafter, Township Code), Act of May 1, 1933, P.L. 103, No. 69, reenacted and amended November 9, 1995, P.L. 350, No. 60, 53 P.S. § ____ et seq.; and

WHEREAS, under Section 601 of the Township Code, 53 P.S. § ____, the Township is governed and supervised by a board of supervisors (hereafter, the Board); and

WHEREAS, under Section 2204(a) of the Township Code, 53 P.S. §____, the Board "* * may by ordinance create a recreation board to supervise, regulate, equip and maintain township-funded recreation programs and facilities[;] and

WHEREAS, when established, "[r]ecreation boards * * * shall consist of five, seven or nine persons * * * [and t]he members shall be appointed by the [B]oard of [S]upervisors * * * [,]" 53 P.S. _____; and

WHEREAS, on October 13, 1997, the Board enacted Ordinance No. 1997-01, and thereby established a recreation board known and referred to as the "Park Board of Latimore Township" (hereafter, Park Board); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2204(b), of the Township Code, 53 P.S. §_____, the Board thereafter appointed persons to the Park Board; and

WHEREAS, upon review, the Board has determined that the supervising, regulating, equipping and maintaining of township-funded recreation programs and facilities are best undertaken by the Board itself; and

WHEREAS, the Board therefore wishes to abolish the Park Board and assume all powers, if any, previously delegated to the Park Board by either official action of the Board or custom of the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board as follows:

- Section 1. Ordinance No. 1997-01 is hereby repealed and rescinded in its totality.
- Section 2. The Park Board is hereby abolished. The Board hereby assumes any and all powers previously delegated to the Park Board by either official action of the Board or custom of the Township.

 Henceforth, the Board itself shall supervise, regulate, equip and maintain township-funded recreation programs and facilities consistent with the Township Code.
- Section 3. The unexpired terms of any and all persons previously appointed to the Park Board by the Board are hereby ended.
- Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after adoption.

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