

**TOWNSHIP OF SHENANGO
LAWRENCE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 12 OF 2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY AS A RESULT OF COVID-19

WHEREAS, the Governor has issued an Emergency Disaster Declaration as a result of COVID-19.

WHEREAS, the Lawrence County Commissioners have declared a state of emergency for Lawrence County as a result of COVID-19.

WHEREAS, Shenango Township conducted an emergency meeting of the Board of Supervisors on the 18th day of March, 2020, to discuss COVID-19.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors declares an emergency as a result of COVID-19.

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has announced through the Governor's Proclamation statewide mitigation to help stop the spread of COVID-19, to include suspension of non-essential services.

WHEREAS, Shenango Township is responsible to govern and ensure essential services such as police, fire, emergency services, water, sanitation, trash collection, zoning, code enforcement and maintenance of Township roads must continue.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the undersigned Board of Supervisors of Shenango Township, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, pursuant to the provisions of Section 7501 of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Service Code (35 Pa. C.S. § 7501), as amended, does hereby proclaim the existence of a disaster emergency in the Township of Shenango, as a result of COVID-19, in effect as of the 18th day of March, 2020 emergency meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

FURTHER, we direct the Shenango Township Emergency Management Coordinator to coordinate the activities of the emergency response, to take all appropriate action needed to alleviate the effects of this disaster, to aid in the restoration of essential public services, and to take any other emergency response action deemed necessary to respond to this emergency.

STILL FURTHER, we authorize officials of Shenango Township to act as necessary to meet the current demands of this emergency, namely: by the employment of temporary workers, by the rental of equipment, by the purchase of supplies and materials, and by entering into such contracts and agreements for the performance of public work as may be required to meet the

emergency, all without regard to those time-consuming procedures and formalities normally prescribed by law, mandatory constitutional requirements excepted.

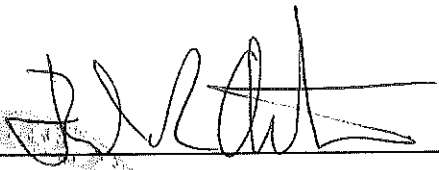
This Proclamation shall be effective as of the March 18th, 2020 emergency meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors, and shall stay in effect until revoked by the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors.

ENACTED AND RESOLVED, this 16th day of April, 2020.

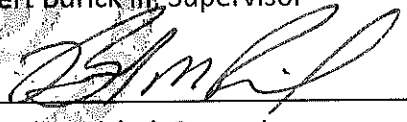
SHENANGO TOWNSHIP

ATTEST:


Albert Burick III, Secretary

By: 
Frank Augustine, Chairman

By: 
Albert Burick III, Supervisor

By: 
Brandon Rishel, Supervisor

