

RESOLUTION 73-4

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Monroe Township, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, being cognizant of the recurring flooding and the threat of flooding of the Susquehanna River and Penns Creek and the resulting damage to property located within Monroe Township, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and,

WHEREAS, there is a desire and need for the program of insurance coverage for those who reside or hold title to property located within such flood-prone areas; and,

WHEREAS, relief is available in the form of flood insurance as authorized by the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, the regulations promulgated by the Federal Insurance Administrator under said Act require: (1) an official legislative or executive act indicating a local need for flood insurance and a desire to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program and (2) assurances in the form of action by the appropriate local legislative body committing the local legislative body to certain future courses of action; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Monroe Township, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is the appropriate local legislative body as authorized by the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code (P.L. 247 of July 31, 1968) to define watercourses and to regulate the use of the land by enacting flood regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Monroe Township, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

THAT, Monroe Township, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, hereby evidences a positive interest in securing flood insurance coverage under the National Flood Insurance Program because of a clear danger of flooding and the resultant damage to property in the Township of Monroe, Snyder County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and,

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THAT, it will comply with the regulations of the National Flood Insurance Program:

- (1) To recognize and duly evaluate flood hazards and/or mudslide hazards in all official actions relating to land use in the areas having special flood hazards and/or mudslide hazards.
- (2) To take such other official action as may be reasonable necessary to carry out the objectives of the program. Such actions must include, but will not be limited to:
 - (a) Delineating or assisting the Administrator, at his request, in the delineation of the limits of the flood plain having special flood hazards and/or mudslide hazards on available local maps of sufficient scale to identify the location of building sites.
 - (b) Providing such information as the Administrator may request concerning present uses and occupancy of the flood plain and/or mudslide areas.
 - (c) Maintaining for public inspection and furnishing, upon request, with respect to each area having special flood hazards, information on elevations (in relation to mean sea level) of the lowest floors of all new or substantially improved structures and, where there is a basement, the distance between the first floor and the bottom of the lowest opening where water flowing on the ground will enter.
 - (d) Cooperating with Federal, State and local agencies and private firms which undertake to study, survey, map and identify flood plain or mudslide areas as well as cooperation with neighboring jurisdictions with respect to management of adjoining flood plain or mudslide areas in order to prevent aggravation of the flooding problem.
- (3) To appoint or designate the Zoning Board of Adjustment of

Monroe Township through its Zoning Officer with the responsibility, authority and means to implement the commitment made herein and to submit, on each anniversary date of the community's eligibility, an annual report to the Administrator on the progress made during the past year within the community in the development and implementation of flood plain and/or mudslide area management measures.

ADOPTED this 11 day of *April*, 1973, A.D.

Attest:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MONROE TOWNSHIP

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