RESOLUTION #5 OF 2003

A Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the township of Mount Joy, Adams County, Pennsylvania, authorizing the payment of recurring and customary bills and expenses prior to the approval of the bills list at the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors ("Board") of the Township of Mount Joy, Adams County, Pennsylvania, ("Township") meets once a month;

Whereas, at each meeting of the Board of Supervisors, a list of bills and expenses incurred by the Township is presented for review and approval or denial for payment;

Whereas, the Township experiences recurring and customary expenses each month for items such as payroll, utility services, and professional services;

Whereas, some of the said recurring and customary expenses have penalties and/or late fees if not paid within a stated time period, which time period may expire prior to the monthly meeting of the Board, and payroll must be paid more often than monthly; and,

Whereas, the aforesaid expenses, because they are recurring, can be adjusted in later billings should there be an overcharge, or an undercharge, or other irregularity in the amount billed and paid prior to approval of the bills list by the Board;

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the township officials authorized to make and sign drafts, checks, and other forms of payment from the Township funds for expenses of the township be, and hereby are, authorized to pay recurring and customary bills and expenses of the Township prior to approval of payment of those bills and expenses by the Board of Supervisors of Mount Joy Township when those bills meet the following criteria:

- The bill or expense is a recurring expense, such as a utility bill, a bill from a professional adviser to the Township, an employee wage or salary, etc.;
- It is reasonably expected that if there is an error in the payment made prior to approval of the Bills List by the Board, there will be a subsequent opportunity adjust for the error; and,
- The bill or expense is for an employee, or is from a vendor or creditor who has presented billings in the past that have been approved by the Board and who has not been the subject of disputes or differences concerning such prior billings.

Adopted this 6th day of January 2003.