

WEST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP

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RESOLUTION #99-18

WHEREAS a decennial census of every resident is required under Article 1, Section 2 of the U.S. Constitution; *and*

WHEREAS an accurate census is essential to Pennsylvania's representation in the U.S. House of Representatives, and impacts Pennsylvania's voting districts; *and*

WHEREAS in 1998, Pennsylvania and its municipalities received 12 billion dollars in Federal funds which are a direct result of the Census count; *and*

WHEREAS census data is used for investment, job development and marketing guidance and to determine the impact of educational, health and social programs; *and*

WHEREAS individual and family information is held completely confidential by laws supported by court rulings at all levels and is never released even to other units of local, state or federal governments except in large statistical totals, or to family members after 72 years for genealogical purposes only; *and*

WHEREAS the next Decennial Census will be taken in the Year 2000; *and*

WHEREAS in order to insure that everyone residing in West Pennsboro Township is accurately counted in the Year 2000 Census, it is in the best interest of West Pennsboro Township to create a Census 2000 Complete Count Committee; *and*

WHEREAS the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, and the U.S. Census Bureau, all recommend the creation of the Census 2000 Complete Count Committee in all 2,568 municipalities; *and*

WHEREAS the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, and the U.S. Census Bureau also recommend that representatives be appointed to said committee:


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Supervisors of West Pennsboro Township that a Census 2000 Complete Count Committee be created in partnership with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, and the U.S. Census Bureau, to ensure that every resident in West Pennsboro Township is counted in the Year 2000 Census.;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors will serve as the Census 2000 Complete Count Committee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the first meeting of the committee shall convene within 30 days of the enactment of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Governor's Center for Local Government Services, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, and the U.S. Census Bureau.


WEST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS


Richard E. Adler, *Chairman*

DATED: December 6, 1999

I, Mitchell L. Hoffman, of WEST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Resolution adopted at the meeting of the West Pennsboro Township Board of Supervisors held on Monday, December 6, 1999.

DATE: 12/6/99


Mitchell L. Hoffman, *Manager/Secretary*

