

MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP
CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 1 -2000

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL
COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP
AND NORTH MIDDLETON TOWNSHIP RESPECTING THE
EMPLOYMENT OF A RECREATION DIRECTOR

WHEREAS, Middlesex Township and North Middleton Township are second class townships located within Cumberland County, Pennsylvania and are therefore local governments that may jointly cooperate in the exercise or performance of their respective governmental functions, powers and responsibilities under applicable law (Act of December 19, 1996, P.L. 1158, No. 177; 53 Pa.C.S.A. 2301, et seq.); and

WHEREAS, Middlesex Township and North Middleton Township believe it is in the best interest of their respective citizens to employ jointly a recreation director in order to more efficiently and economically develop, promote and provide recreation programs and services for the respective citizens of Middlesex Township and North Middleton Township; and

WHEREAS, Middlesex Township and North Middleton Township desire to enter into an agreement to employ jointly a single recreation director for their respective park and recreation programs in accordance with the terms and provisions of a certain written Agreement which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as "Exhibit A" (hereinafter the "Agreement");

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the Board of Township Supervisors of Middlesex as follows:

SECTION 1: PREAMBLE AND POLICY.

The foregoing paragraphs or preamble is incorporated herein as the background and policy of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2: AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENT.

The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Middlesex Township is hereby authorized to enter into and execute the Agreement with North Middleton Township in the form attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

SECTION 3: DISCLOSURES REQUIRED BY 53 Pa.C.S.A. § 2307.

The Agreement provides for the joint employment of a recreation director by the Townships, with services to be provided equally to each Township based upon 37.5 hour work week. The Agreement shall expire December 31, 2000; however, the Agreement may be

extended and modified for effective periods after December 31, 2000 by mutual written agreement of the Townships without the necessity of the passage of another ordinance. The purposes of the Agreement are set forth in the Preamble, above. Middlesex Township shall finance the Agreement through Township funds, subject to reimbursement of one-half of salary, benefits and related employment expenses by North Middleton Township. There is no organizational structure necessary to implement the Agreement and there will be no joint acquisition of any property or the creation of a new entity through the Agreement.

SECTION 4: SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid, that decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance. It is declared to be the legislative intention that this Ordinance would have been enacted had the unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid provisions not been included in this Ordinance.

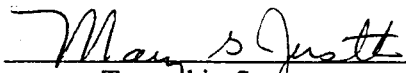
SECTION 5: EFFECTIVE DATE.

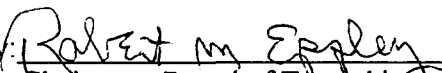
This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with existing law. The Agreement shall become effective on or after the effective date of this Ordinance and upon the occurrence of all of the following: the proper enactment of an ordinance authorizing the Agreement by North Middleton Township and the execution of the Agreement by Middlesex Township and North Middleton Township.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 28 day of January, 2000

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX


Township Secretary

By: 
Chairman, Board of Township
Supervisors

(Township Seal)