

RESOLUTION 2020 - 10

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA PROVIDING REAL PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR THE PAYMENT OF TOWNSHIP REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE TO THE COVID-19 DISASTER EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, by Act 15 of 2020 (the "Act"), enacted April 20, 2020 Middlesex Township, as a Taxing District authorized by laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to impose and collect real property tax, was given the option to provide certain real property tax relief as a result of the COVID-19 disaster emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Middlesex Township by ordinance established, inter alia, real property tax rates including a fire appropriation tax rate on real estate for 2020, allowing for a discount for earlier payment and a penalty for late payment of such taxes; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Middlesex Township believes such authority provided through the Act should be exercised due to the devastating economic impact the COVID-19 disaster has had to those owning real property in Middlesex Township.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby **RESOLVED** by the Board of Supervisors of Middlesex Township as follows:

1. Middlesex Township's prescribed penalty rate of ten per centum (10%) for the late payment of real property tax is hereby waived for the period beginning July 1, 2020 through and including October 31, 2020 provided the full amount of the tax due at the face amount is paid on or before October 31, 2020. Commencing November 1, 2020, the penalty rate of ten per centum (10%) shall be assessed.
2. This Resolution shall become effective upon enactment.

RESOLVED this 6th day of May, 2020.

ATTEST:


Eileen Gault, Secretary

MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP:


Chairman, Board of Township
Supervisors

(Township Seal)

