

## **RESOLUTION #3250**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF WARREN, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA PERTAINING TO DCED STMP EIP FUNDING - FIFTH PHASE, INCLUDING EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIOS PROJECT, AND \$40,000 FUNDING ALLOCATION**

WHEREAS, the Municipalities Planning Code, Act of 1968, P.L. 247, as amended (MPC), governs the development of comprehensive plans for local and county governments in Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, the MPC was enacted largely to protect and promote safety, health, and morals; to coordinate development; to provide for general welfare; to promote the preservation of prime agricultural land and historic districts; to promote economic development; and to ensure that municipalities enact zoning ordinances that facilitate the foregoing goals; and

WHEREAS, Warren County is enrolled in the Strategic Management Planning Program (STMP), formerly known as the Early Intervention Program, overseen by the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED); and

WHEREAS, the Recovery Plan prepared by the County's STMP consultant recommended that the County engage a consultant to update the County's Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, upon application, DCED will provide partial funding to the County to complete its Comprehensive Plan Update; and

WHEREAS, the County is in the fifth and final phase of its 5-year plan in cooperation with DCED and has identified the Emergency Services Radios Project as a vital initiative; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Services Radios Project requires a total funding of \$40,000.00, with the DCED providing \$36,000.00 (90%) and the County committing to contribute \$4,000.00 (10%); and

WHEREAS, the County is committed to prudent financial management and strategic investments in infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the County will work in collaboration with DCED throughout the application process, providing necessary documentation and information to ensure a successful approval; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable and in the best interests of the County to seek financial support for the fifth phase of the DCED STMP EIP project and the Emergency Services Radios Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the County of Warren:

Section 1: The Commissioners endorse and support the application for DCED STMP EIP funding for the fifth phase of the County's comprehensive 5-year plan, including the Emergency Services Radios Project.

Section 2: The County staff is authorized to apply for the Phase [Phase Number] grant pursuant to the guidelines of STMP to secure funding for the County's comprehensive plan update and the Emergency Services Radios Project.

Section 3: Upon approval of the County's application by DCED, the County staff is authorized to solicit proposals for consulting services to execute the Comprehensive Plan Update and implement the Emergency Services Radios Project.

Section 4: The County reaffirms its commitment to providing the necessary 10% funding match, totaling \$4,000.00, as required by DCED for the Emergency Services Radios Project.

Adopted this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2023.

COMMISSIONERS OF WARREN COUNTY



Tricia D. Durbin  
Chair

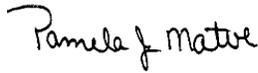


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