DALLAS TOWNSHIP LUZERNE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION #2011-16

A RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION AND RELATED SERVICES FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF DALLAS FROM THE FIRE COMPANIES LOCATED WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township, under the authority of the Second Class Township Code that:

- 1. Dallas Fire and Ambulance, Inc. and Kunkle Fire Company, Inc., are officially designated and recognized as the fire companies for Dallas Township, and are authorized to provide services to both Dallas Borough and Monroe Township, respectively.
- 2. Authorized Activities for the Fire Companies of Dallas Township are as follows:
 - A. To provide services to the Township, as may be necessary, for the protection of property and persons situated therein, which include, by way of example and not of limitation, the prevention of life and property from fire, automobile accidents, medical emergencies, hazardous material incidents, and other dangerous situations.
 - B. To provide BLS services for Medical Emergencies. The companies may also provide ALS services may opt to contract the ALS services out to an ALS provider.
 - C. To provide non-emergency and public service functions, such as, and again by way of example and not of limitation, BLS non-emergency transports, services of removing water from property after storms, or assistance in the removal, abatement, and prevention of damage or injury to persons or properties, whether through natural causes or man-made situations.
 - D. To conduct and participate in such training activities and drills, either within or outside the Township, as may be deemed necessary by the officers of the fire companies in order to maintain proficiency in providing service.
 - E. To respond to calls and provide service to municipalities outside the Township.
 - F. To provide the Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township with any resulting status change of the fire companies' activities, as the fire companies are recognized as volunteer/non-profit organizations and are covered under Dallas Township's workers compensation insurance.
 - G. To provide the fire companies' and EMS protocols to the Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township for approval before forwarding them to Luzerne County 9-1-1 Center for dispatch purposes.
 - H. In the situation where one of the two fire or EMS companies of Dallas Township is unavailable to respond to an emergency within the Township, due to an existing emergency or unforeseen circumstance, the other fire company or EMS of Dallas Township will respond and provide coverage

until the other fire company or EMS of Dallas Township returns to service.

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- 4. The Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township has divided the Township into two fire districts, North and South. The North District will be covered by Kunkle Fire Company, Inc. and the South District will be covered by Dallas Fire and Ambulance, Inc.
- 5. In assisting the fire companies in their efforts to save and protect the residents of the Township, the Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township will disperse both Foreign Fire Insurance and donations equally between Dallas Fire and Ambulance, Inc. and Kunkle Fire Co., Inc.

ENACTED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Dallas Township on December 6, 2011. THIS RESOLUTION TO BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

	DALLAS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
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