## TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP CARBON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

## **ORDINANCE NO. 2025-1**

AN ORDINANCE OF TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP, CARBON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA SETTING FORTH COMPENSATION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has enacted Act 94 of 2024, which sets forth parameters for the compensation of supervisors of townships of the second class, and;

WHEREAS, the act provides that supervisors of townships having a population of not more than 4,999 may be compensated in an amount not to exceed \$3,145.00 per year, and;

WHEREAS, the population of Towamensing Township is 4,427.

NOW, THEREFORE it is hereby enacted and ordained as follows:

- 1. Each supervisor of Towamensing Township entering office after the effective date of this Ordinance shall receive compensation as an elected Township supervisor in the annual amount of three thousand one hundred forty-five (\$3,145.00) dollars.
- 2. Such compensation shall be paid in quarterly installments of seven hundred eighty-six and 25/100 (\$786.25) dollars each.
- 3. If a supervisor attends less than one-half (1/2) of the duly advertised public meetings ("Public Meetings") in a calendar quarter (i.e. January 1 March 31; April 1 June 30; July 1- September 30; October 1 December 31) the supervisor shall not receive his quarterly compensation for that quarter; provided however, that if the number of Public Meetings attended by the supervisor during the quarter added to the number of Public Meetings the supervisor failed to attend during that quarter due to an emergency or illness of the supervisor, or the supervisor's immediate family, or family or business travel, equals one-half (1/2) or more of the number of Public Meetings during that quarter, the supervisor shall receive his/her full quarterly compensation of seven hundred eighty-six and 25/100 (\$786.25) dollars. "Immediate family member" shall be a parent, spouse, child, brother, or sister.
- 4. If any article, clause, provision or portion of this Ordinance or regulation incorporated herein shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect any other article, clause, provision or portion of this Ordinance or regulation.

- 5. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith by and the same are hereby repealed.
  - 6. This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) days after enactment.

**DULY ORDAINED AND ENACTED** this 3rd day of April, 2025, by the Board of Supervisors of Towamensing Township, in lawful session duly assembled.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TOWNSHIP OF TOWAMENSING

AMTEST:

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