

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF MERCER, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA ADOPTING THE MERCER COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, DATED THIS 27th DAY OF April, 2006 AS PREPARED BY THE MERCER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, AND FACILITATED BY THE MERCER COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III AND ARTICLE XI OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPALITIES PLANNING CODE.

Whereas, the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan is an update to the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan previously adopted by the County Commissioners in 1996; and,

Whereas, a copy of the comprehensive plan, which includes the text, maps, charts and any other items which form the whole of the comprehensive plan and was made available for public review at the Mercer County Courthouse and the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission office, is attached hereto as exhibit "A"; and,

Whereas, the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan includes five volumes: Volume One – Mercer County Today, Technical Background Studies; Volume Two – Mercer County Tomorrow, Plans for the Future; Volume Three – Mercer County Long Range Transportation Plan; Volume Four – Mercer County Greenways, Open Space and Outdoor Recreation Plan; and Volume Five – Supporting Studies; and,

Whereas, the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan was reviewed and recommended for adoption by the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission to the Mercer County Board of Commissioners on November 22, 2005 and,

Whereas, the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan was sent to the forty-eight municipalities within Mercer County, the twelve school districts within Mercer County, the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission and contiguous counties on December 2, 2005; and,

Whereas, Mercer County has received no substantial comments from the contiguous counties, school districts, municipalities and the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission within forty-five (45) days of submission of the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan; and,

Whereas, notice of a public hearing was forwarded to the Sharon-Herald and Greenville Record Argus newspaper to be advertised and published on February 27, 2006 and March 6, 2006; and,

Whereas, the Mercer County Board of Commissioners held a public hearing on Monday, March 13, 2006 to hear and consider public comments, and that the comments received at the public hearing were duly noted; and,

Whereas, the Mercer County Board of Commissioners, after consideration of comments received (or lack thereof, as the case may be), has determined that the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan, as originally set forth in Exhibit "A", should not be substantially revised in whole or in part; and,

Whereas, the County has found the comprehensive plan is beneficial to the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the County.

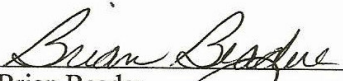
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MERCER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE SAME:


SECTION I. The Board of Commissioners of Mercer County, by this resolution, adopts the Mercer County Comprehensive Plan as attached hereto as Exhibit "A", as pursuant to Article III and Article XI of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code.

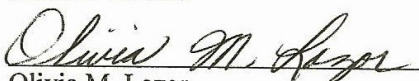
SECTION II. Any and all previous comprehensive planning documents are hereby repealed.

Resolved and enacted this 27th day of April, 2006.

Mercer County Board of Commissioners


Brian Beader


Michele Brooks


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Attest: Norma M. Corderon
Chief Clerk, Mercer County