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A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF KINGSTON, A HOME RULE MUNICIPALTY OF THE COUNTY OF LUZERNE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA APPROVING THE 2021 LUZERNE COUNTY MUNICIPAL WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania enacted statewide recycling in 1988 with the passage of the Municipal Waste Planning Recycling and Waste Reduction Act (Act 101) that requires larger municipalities to recycle; and

WHEREAS, the Act requires the creation of a county Municipal Waste Management Plan so as to comply with the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection's mandate that Municipal Waste Management Plans be updated every ten years; and

WHEREAS, the existing Waste Management Plan expired at the end of 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Luzerne County Council adopted the Luzerne County Solid Waste Management Plan at its meeting on January 12, 2021 and said plan has now been transmitted to municipalities within the county for ratification; and

WHEREAS, the plan has been made available to the Municipality of Kingston on the Luzerne County Solid Waste Management website (luzernecountyswmp.com) for its review and consideration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Municipality of Kingston Luzerne County, Pennsylvania hereby approves and ratifies the Luzerne County Solid Waste Management Plan effective January 2021 in the form adopted by the Luzerne County Council on January 12, 2012.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Municipality of Kingston, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania held virtually pursuant to Act 15 of 2020 during the COVID 19 pandemic on the 1st day of February, 2021.

FOR THE TOWN COUNCIL

Robert Thompson, Jr., President

ATTEST:

Julie Norton, Secretary

APPROVED:

Paul J. Roberts, Jr., Mayor

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