RESOLUTION NO. 8 OF 2023

Richland Township	
(Municipality Name)	

WHEREAS, Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, has established the Community Development Block Grant Program ("CDBG"); and

WHEREAS, the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, as amended, has established the HOME Investment Partnerships Program ("HOME"); and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD"), has determined that the County of Allegheny (the "County"), has the powers to qualify as an "urban county" under the CDBG Program and the HOME Program; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has issued a legal opinion that the County can undertake essential community development and housing assistance activities within the jurisdiction of Richland Township (the "Municipality") only upon the consent of said Municipality; and

WHEREAS, the County, through its Department of Economic Development, has requested the Municipality give its consent for the County to undertake essential community development and housing assistance activities within the Municipality from annual CDBG grants and HOME funds for program years 2024, 2025, and 2026.; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality is willing to give its consent for the County to undertake the aforementioned activities within its jurisdiction for program years 2024, 2025, and 2026, and to include the Municipality's population as part of the threshold population figure necessary to qualify the County as an "urban county".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The Municipality is hereby authorized to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with the County for the County to undertake essential community development and housing assistance activities within the Municipality from annual CDBG grants and HOME funds received by the County from HUD for the program years 2024, 2025, and 2026.
- 2. The appropriate officers and officials of the Municipality are hereby authorized to take whatever actions are necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

ENACTED this 16th day of August	, 2023.
ATTEST: Signature	Township OF Richland (classification) (name) Signature
Dean E. Bastianini, Township Manager	Raymond P. Kendrick, Chairman
Printed Name/Title	Printed Name/Title