

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-11

WHEREAS, the municipalities are responsible for the labor relations of those who are employed by them, and;

WHEREAS, the municipalities are regulated in the conduct of its labor relations through various federal and state standards, and;

WHEREAS, the Municipality is required by the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania to pay for and maintain the coverage of workman's compensation; and

WHEREAS, local employees are able to collectively bargain relative to the conditions under which they are employed, and;

WHEREAS, federal oversight of the municipalities will only create additional costs on the federal and local government, while not providing measurable safe guards for the employees, given the numerous local governments involved.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of Westtown Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania do resolve that oversight of the labor relations at the local level would be counterproductive, and;

That oversight by the federal government would only serve to increase the operating costs of local governments as they are compelled to respond to such oversight, and;

That the local governments budgets which are normally spread thin are especially in these difficult economic times, and;

That therefore any effort at further oversight at the federal level should be rejected.

RESOLVED this 6th day July 2010

Chair

Supervisor

Supervisor

Attest

Secretary