

RESOLUTION #2018-85

DECLARATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, ON OR ABOUT August 13, 2018 and subsequently, torrential rain storms have had a major impact on Radnor Township, Delaware County with many incidents causing injury, damage, suffering and some necessitating water extrications from submerged vehicles affecting persons and property of Radnor Township, Delaware County Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, the intense rainfall caused considerable flooding in major portions of the jurisdictional boundaries of Radnor Township which endangered the health, safety, and welfare of a substantial number of persons within the township and has created problems greater in scope than Radnor Township may be able to resolve; and

WHEREAS, emergency management measures are required to reduce the severity of this significant event and to protect the health, safety and welfare of affected residents in Radnor Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, as the President of the Radnor Township Board of Commissioners, and on behalf of the Board, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 7501 of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code, 35 PA., C.S.A., Section 7101 et seq., I hereby declare the existence of a disaster emergency in Radnor Township.

FURTHER, the Radnor Township Emergency Management Coordinator is directed to coordinate the activities of the emergency response, to take all appropriate action(s) needed to alleviate and mitigate the effects of this event, to aid in the maintenance and restoration of essential public services, and to take any other emergency response action deemed necessary to respond to this disaster emergency.

This Declaration shall take effect immediately.


President, Board of Commissioners
Radnor Township

Attest
Date:


August 20, 2018