

Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan Municipal Adoption Resolution

Resolution No. 2017-03
Swarthmore Borough, Delaware County, Pennsylvania

WHEREAS, the Borough of Swarthmore, Delaware County, Pennsylvania is most vulnerable to natural and human-made hazards which may result in loss of life and property, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, Section 322 of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) requires state and local governments to develop and submit for approval to the President a mitigation plan that outlines processes for identifying their respective natural hazards, risks, and vulnerabilities; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Swarthmore acknowledges the requirements of Section 322 of DMA 2000 to have an approved Hazard Mitigation Plan as a prerequisite to receiving post-disaster Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funds; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Delaware County Planning Department and the Delaware County Department of Emergency Services in cooperation with other county departments, and officials and citizens of Swarthmore Borough; and

WHEREAS, a public involvement process consistent with the requirements of DMA 2000 was conducted to develop the Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan recommends mitigation activities that will reduce losses to life and property affected by both natural and human-made hazards that face the County and its municipal governments;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body for the Borough of Swarthmore:

- The Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the Borough of Swarthmore, and
- The respective officials and agencies identified in the implementation strategy of the Delaware County 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan are hereby directed to implement the recommended activities assigned to them.

ADOPTED, this 13th day of March, 2017

ATTEST:

Jane C. Billings
Borough Manager/Secretary

For the Borough of Swarthmore:

David L. Grove
Council President