

APPENDIX C

Draft Resolution for Adoption of Wellhead Protection Plan by an Authority

RESOLUTION # _____

A resolution of the _____ Authority to adopt the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Plan and use applicable strategies and programs contained in the plan to protect the groundwater resources and public water supply for the _____ area.

WHEREAS, It is the responsibility of the _____ Authority to consider the health, safety, and welfare of its customers; and

WHEREAS, Groundwater contamination can and does occur as a consequence of a variety of land use activities; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to preserve and protect the quantity and quality of our groundwater resources to ensure a continued safe, adequate, and usable supply, now and in the future; and

WHEREAS, The protection of current and potential future sources of groundwater is of the utmost importance from the standpoint of resource protection; and

WHEREAS, The _____ Authority has participated in the development of a wellhead protection plan with (Boroughs/Townships).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY The _____ Authority that, in order to protect groundwater and particularly the wellhead protection areas delineated for the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Project, the information and recommendations contained in the Wellhead Protection Plan for the _____ Area be used in the development, implementation, and enforcement of all plans, ordinances, and regulations by the authority. Maps of professionally delineated wellhead protection areas are attached and also included in the Wellhead Protection Plan for the _____ Area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT The _____ Authority will continue to work with (Boroughs/Townships) to implement applicable programs and strategies developed by the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Project Steering Committee and contained in the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Plan to protect groundwater resources and the public water supply in the _____ area.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 1996, by the _____ Authority.

Chairman _____

ATTEST: _____

Draft Resolution for Adoption of Wellhead Protection Plan by a Municipality

RESOLUTION # _____

A resolution of (Municipality) to adopt the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Plan and use applicable strategies and programs contained in the plan to protect the groundwater resources and public water supply for the _____ area.

WHEREAS, It is the responsibility of (Municipality) to consider the health, safety, and welfare of its residents; and

WHEREAS, Groundwater contamination can and does occur as a consequence of a variety of land use activities; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to preserve and protect the quantity and quality of our groundwater resources to ensure a continued safe, adequate, and usable supply, now and in the future; and

WHEREAS, The protection of current and potential future sources of groundwater is of the utmost importance from the standpoint of resource protection; and

WHEREAS, (Municipality) has participated in the development of a wellhead protection plan with (Authority/Municipalities).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY The (Municipal Governing Body) that, in order to protect groundwater and particularly the wellhead protection areas delineated for the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Project, the information and recommendations contained in the Wellhead Protection Plan for the _____ Area be used in the development, implementation, and enforcement of all plans, zoning ordinances, subdivision ordinances, and related land use ordinances and regulations by the borough. Maps of professionally delineated wellhead protection areas are attached and also included in the Wellhead Protection Plan for the _____ Area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT (Municipal Governing Body) will continue to work with the (Authority/Municipalities) to implement applicable programs and strategies developed by the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Project Steering Committee and contained in the _____ Area Wellhead Protection Plan to protect groundwater resources and the public water supply in the _____ area.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 1996, by (Municipal Governing Body).

Chairman _____

ATTEST: _____