

**COLLEGE TOWNSHIP
CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION R-21-31

**A RESOLUTION OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
(hereinafter the "Township") ADOPTING AN ACT 537 SEWAGE FACILITIES PLAN UPDATE**

WHEREAS, Section 5 of the Act of January 24, 1996, P.L. 1535, No. 537, known as the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act, as amended, and the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection adopted thereunder, Chapter 71 of Title 25 of the Pennsylvania Code, requires the Municipality to adopt an Official Sewage Facilities Plan providing for sewage services adequate to prevent contamination of waters and/or environmental health hazards with sewage wastes, and to revise said plan whenever it is necessary to meet the sewage disposal needs of the Township, and

WHEREAS, The University Area Joint Authority has prepared an Act 537 Sewage Facilities Plan Update to amend the Centre Region Sewage Facilities Plan by replacing the aging composting facility with a biosolids upgrade facility (anaerobic digester), and

WHEREAS, The Act 537 Sewage Facilities Plan Update:

- Identifies the need to upgrade the current composting facility,
- Evaluates multiple alternative options for upgrading the current composting facility,
- Describes the selected option (replacing the composting facility with a biosolids upgrade facility (anaerobic digester), and
- Is consistent with the adopted Centre Region Comprehensive Plan.

WHEREAS, the Township finds that the Act 537 Plan Sewage Facilities Plan Update described above conforms to applicable zoning, subdivision, other municipal ordinances and plans and to a comprehensive program of pollution control and water quality management.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township does hereby adopt and submit to the Department of Environmental Protection for its approval as a revision to the Official Plan of the Township, the above referenced Act 537 Sewage Facilities Plan Update.

I, Adam Brumbaugh, Township Secretary, College Township, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Township's Resolution R-21-31 adopted this 19th day of August, 2021.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

TOWNSHIP SEAL

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Council Chair

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