FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP, TIOGA COUNTY RESOLUTION 122118

RESOLUTION TO OPPOSE HR 291 AND ANY FURTHER LEGISLATIVE INITIATIVES TO MANDATE CENTRALIZATION TO THE STATE

WHEREAS, Farmington Township, Tioga County, is responsible for monitoring the current EIT collections process; and

WHEREAS, Farmington Township, Tioga County, through the Tioga County Tax Collection Committee currently has the authority to establish the most cost-effective, efficient method to collect and distribute EIT revenues for its taxing district, and

WHEREAS, Farmington Township, Tioga County, has experienced increased revenue collections, reduced collection costs, and expanded efficiency and service since the inception of Act 32, and

WHEREAS, Farmington Township, Tioga County, values its ability to choose its own service provider for daily operational services, to ensure the highest degree of accuracy, efficiency and customer service for the taxpayers of Farmington Township, Tioga County; and

WHEREAS, Farmington Township, Tioga County, is aware of an initiative (H.R. 291) to study mandated consolidation of collection, distribution and administration of EIT collections within the PA Department of Revenue.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Farmington Township, Tioga County, hereby expresses its support of maintaining the current EIT collection processes established by Act 32 of 2008.

AND, IT IS FUTHER RESOLVED, that Farmington Township, Tioga County, opposes H.R. 291 of 2018 and any further legislative initiatives to remove local control and oversight of EIT revenues from the TCC.

RESOLVED and ADOPTED this 18th day of December 2018.

ATTEST:

FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP, TIOGA COUNTY

Martha K. Baker Secretary (SEAL) Wallaugh Ke Chairperson