

**UPPER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 618

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF UPPER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF UPPER PROVIDENCE, CHAPTER 16 “ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL”, SECTION 16-2 “MEMBERSHIP; TERMS”, SUBSECTIONS D AND E TO REMOVE REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL, AND ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION F RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF NON-VOTING LIASONS FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND RECREATION BOARD.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Upper Providence Township (the “Board”) is duly empowered by Section 65607 of the Second Class Township Code, 53 P.S. § 65607, to enact regulations that protect and advance the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Board adopted Ordinance No. 593 on March 21, 2022 by which it established an Environmental Advisory Council (“EAC”) in accordance with the provisions of 53 Pa.C.S.A. §§ 2321 through 2329; and

WHEREAS, the Board now wishes to amend the required composition of the EAC.

NOW THEREFORE, be it **ORDAINED** and **ENACTED**, by the Board of Supervisors of Upper Providence Township, Montgomery County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 16 “*Environmental Advisory Council*”, Section 16-2 “*Membership; Terms*” is hereby amended by repealing and replacing subsection D and E, and creating a new subsection F, which shall read as follows:

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- D. In case of a vacancy in any membership for any reason, said vacancy shall be filled by the Board of Supervisors for the balance of the unexpired term.
- E. The Council shall elect its own officers, which shall include a chair and a vice-chair.

- F. The Planning Commission or Park and Recreation Board may appoint a non-voting liaison to the Council. That liaison will serve a term to be determined by the body appointing the liaison.

SECTION 2. Repealer

Any and all other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in violation of or in conflict with the terms, conditions, and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such irreconcilable conflict.

SECTION 3. Severability

The terms, conditions and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and, should any portion, part, or provision of this Ordinance be found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, unenforceable, or unconstitutional, the Board hereby declares its intent that the Ordinance shall have been enacted without regard to the invalid, unenforceable, or unconstitutional portion, part, or provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. Effective date

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

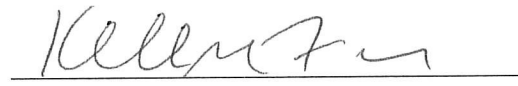
ORDAINED and **ENACTED** an ordinance of the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Upper Providence this 27th day of April, 2026.

Attest:



Timothy J. Tieperman,
Township Secretary

**UPPER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**



Kelly Stevens, Chair