ORDINANCE NO. 332

AN ORDINANCE OF UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP BUCKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE **OFFICERS** THE TOWNSHIP ENTER OF TO INTO AN **INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH NEWTOWN TOWNSHIP** AND WRIGHTSTOWN TOWNSHIP AMENDING AND RESTATING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP, NEWTOWN TOWNSHIP AND WRIGHTSTOWN TOWNSHIP WHICH ESTABLISHED THE ENTITY THAT DRAFTED, ADOPTED AND IMPLEMENTS THE NEWTOWN AREA COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, THE NEWTOWN AREA JOINT MUNICIPAL ZONING **ORDINANCE AND ALL AMENDMENTS THERETO**

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania Intergovernmental Cooperation Law, 53 Pa. C.S.A. §2301, et. seq., as well as Section 1507 of the Pennsylvania Second Class Township Code authorize townships to enter into agreements with other municipalities in order to cooperate in performing governmental powers, duties and functions and in carrying into effect provisions of law relating to said subjects which are common to such political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, Newtown Township, Wrightstown Township and Upper Makefield Township determined, in 1982 that it is in the best interests of their residents to form an entity to adopt a joint municipal zoning ordinance and comprehensive plan in accordance with the provisions of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code, Act 805 of 1968, as reenacted and amended by Act 170 of 1988 and Act 67 of 2000, (53 P.S. 10101 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, Upper Makefield Township has further determined that it is in the best interest of the residents of each Township to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement, entitled Addendum No. 9 and Restatement of Agreement by and Between Newtown Township, Wrightstown Township and Upper Makefield Township; and

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania Intergovernmental Cooperation Act requires that each municipality cooperating with other municipalities enact an ordinance authorizing its officers to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement that sets forth the terms and conditions of cooperation with other municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Upper Makefield Township desires to authorize its appropriate officers to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement authorizing the execution of Addendum No. 9 and Restatement of Agreement By and Between Newtown Township, Wrightstown Township and Upper Makefield Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it hereby *ORDAINED* by the Board of Supervisors of Upper Makefield Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

- 1. The appropriate officers of Upper Makefield Township are hereby authorized to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with Newtown Township and Wrightstown Township for the purpose of entering into Addendum No. 9 and Restatement of Agreement By and Between Newtown Township, Wrightstown Township and Upper Makefield Township, and any other documents and ordinances or amendments to ordinance which are authorized by the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code. A true and correct copy of the Addendum No. 9 and Restatement of Agreement By and Between Newtown Township, Wrightstown Township and Upper Makefield Township, which is adopted hereby, is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference.
- 2. The conditions, duration and term, purpose and objective, scope and authority delegated, manner and extent of financing, organizational structure and manner in

which real or personal property shall be acquired, managed and disposed of, are set forth in the attached Exhibit "A".

This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) days after its legal enactment by each municipality.

UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP

ATTEST:

DAVID R. NYMAN

DATE: May 21, 2024

ÉTTE TAYLOR, CHAIR