# PRELIMINARY Franconia Township Subdivision/Land Development Application

Date Submitted:

The undersigned hereby applies for a preliminary review of the plans submitted. In addition to the application, 5 sets of full-sized plans, 3 11x17 copies of record plan and property deed, an electronic version of plan, all applicable checks, and a completed checklist have been submitted. If the applicant is submitting land development plans then 3 stormwater specification booklets should also be enclosed. Please describe plan below:

1. Name of Subdivision/Land Development

	Location
	County Deed Book # Page # Zoning District County Tax Map Block# Unit # Total Acreage County Assigned Parcel #
2.	Give a brief description of the proposed subdivision/land development:
3.	Name of Property Owner (s) (If a Corporation, list Corporation's name, address, and two officers) Address: Email: Telephone Number:
4.	Name of Applicant (if other than owner) Address: Email: Telephone Number:
5.	Engineer, Surveyor or Planner responsible for the preparation of the plan: Address: Email: Telephone Number:
6.	Single Femily Semi Deteched (Twin)

Planned residential development

 Commercial Industrial	
 Land Development Subdivision of Land Only	

7. Check additional materials and note fee amounts submitted with this application: Please remember that checks must be separate and not lumped into one sum. Twp. Official Acceptance

Plan Checklist Franconia Twp Escrow Agreement Form Montgomery County Conservation Service Application (send original; attach copy) MCPC Municipal Request for Review Form PA DEP Planning Modules- 2 Copies Franconia Twp Application Fee (Make payable to Twp) Amt: <u>\$</u>\_\_\_\_\_ **Escrow Agreement Fund** (Make payable to Twp) Amt: \$ Montgomery County Planning Commission Fee (Make payable to Mont. Co. Treasurer) Montgomery County Conservation Service Fee (Send directly to MCCD) Other (Please Specify) Subdivision/Land Development Approval Extension

- 8. Please indicate which sewer item pertains to the proposed project:
- Public sewer is available and "will serve" letter from the Franconia Sewer Authority is attached to this application
- No Public sewer is currently available but an application for an extension Of public sewer has been submitted to the Franconia Sewer Authority
  - On-Lot System

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Application Received and Reviewed By:	

Date Received and Reviewed:

Accepted:\_\_\_\_\_

Number of copies of Plan submitted:

Not Accepted:

Reason for Denial:	
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Approval Extension:

#### FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP ESCROW FUND AGREEMENT

Name of Subdivision or Land Development

Location of Subdivision or Land Development

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#### \*\*Name of Owner/Developer and Firm, if applicable

hereby agree and acknowledge that as Owner/Developer, I will be responsible for any fees incurred when plans are reviewed by Franconia Township or any of its appointed officials or representatives. These fees shall be payable for any of the following services as applicable:

- (1) Professional services: the services of the Township Engineer and/or Solicitor. In addition, all costs for other engineering, legal and professional certification as deemed necessary.
- (2) Material and facilities tests: the actual cost of all drainage, water, and/or material tests.
- (3) Inspection: all costs of the Township Inspector at the current hourly rate while engaged on the project.
- (4) Dedication: legal fees, advertising, and other costs involved in the dedication of streets and public improvements to the Township.

Escrow funds in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_, pursuant to the current Franconia Township fee schedule as adopted by the Board of Supervisors, are submitted herewith.

On a monthly basis, payment of bills for services in conjunction with the review process for the referenced subdivision or land development will be withdrawn from the escrow account established by this agreement. Upon completion of the review process, plan approval and payment of all service fees, I understand that any remaining escrow funds provided, if any, will be returned to me.

**Signature of Owner/Developer		Date Signed		
	/	/		
Address	City	State		
Zip Code	Tele	ephone Number		
Tax ID# or S.S. #				
Accepted by Township		Date		

\*\*Note: The person signing this agreement will be the individual directly accountable for the payment of the subject fees. Accordingly, if it is desired to assign this responsibility to another party or firm, said party or the appropriate officer of said firm must execute this document.

Franconia Township Board of Supervisors 671 Allentown Road Telford, PA 18969-2205

### Re: Subdivision/Land Development Approval Extension

The Subdivision/Land Development Plan titled \_\_\_\_\_\_was submitted by\_\_\_\_\_\_(applicant) to Franconia Township on\_\_\_\_\_\_for official filing. With respect to the abovenamed application, submitted herewith, and as an authorized representative of the applicant, I hereby waive any time limitations set forth in the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code and/or elsewhere for the rendering of a decision in this matter. This waiver may be revoked upon ninety (90) days prior written notice to the attention of Franconia Township Manager at the administrative offices of the Township sent certified mail return receipt requested.

Applicants Name (printed)

Applicants Signature

Date

# **Municipal Request for Review**

This request must be submitted by the municipality to our office with the appropriate plans/information and fee.



To Be Comp	leted By Munici	pality							
Date:					Meeting Dates:				
Municipality:		Municipal Planning Commission Date:							
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Municipal Official's Signatur								cheduled	
Municipal Official 3 Olghatur	(Only applications	with original signature will be accepted)					Jung C	Cheduled	
Position:									
MCPC File Nun	nber (If Known):								
Review Fee:	Fee Attached \$		Fee Not Applicable						
To Be Comp	leted By Applica	nt							
-			Zoning:						
			Existing District						
			Proposed District						
			Special Exception Grar	nted	🗌 Yes	🗆 No			
			Variance Granted		🗌 Yes	🗆 No	F	or	
Applicant's Representative:									
Business Phone:									
Business Email:			Plan Infomation:						
	<b>D</b> 1		Tax Parcel Number						
	Requested: (Check All Approp	iate Boxes)	_						
Unofficial Sketch Plan (	(No Fee)								
Subdivision Plan	~								
Land Development Plan									
Zoning Ordinance or Map A	Private Petitions (Fee		—						
Subdivision Ordinance	,	<i>)</i>	—						
	Amenument (No Fee)		_						
Curative Amendment	Private Petitions (Fee		Total Tract Area						
Conditional Use (Fee)		2)	Total Tract Area Impacted By Development						
Other:									
						Sen	ior	Open	Nonresidential
Type of Plan: Type of Submission:			Number of New		Housing		Space	New	
Tentative (Sketch)	New Proposal		Land Use(s)	Lots	Units	Yes	No	Acres	Square Feet
Preliminary	Revision to Prior Pr		Single-Family						
Final	Phase of Prior Prop	osal	Townhouses/Twins						
Plan Submission	Apartments								
PLANS SUBMITTED AS (Check A	Commercial Industrial		-		·				
	Digital PDF Format	Digital PDF Format	Office		-				
Copies	on CD	e-mailed to MCPC			-				

#### **Proposed Utilities:**

Т	Сара	city		
Water	Sewer		Water	Sewer
Public	Public	Available		
Individual Well	On-Lot: 🗌 Individual	Not Available		
Community System	Centralized	Unknown		

# Additional Information: \_

Institutional Other

# FINAL Franconia Township Subdivision/Land Development Application

Date Application and Revised Plans Submitted:

The undersigned hereby applies for Final Approval of a plan submitted herewith 5 paper copies of the plan, 3 11 x 17 record plan copies, and an electronic version of the plan set, all applicable permits and anything else pertaining to the completion of the subdivision/land development application.

1. Name of Subdivision/Land Development

Location \_\_\_\_\_\_County Assigned Parcel #\_\_\_\_\_

- 2. Legal Property Owner:
- 3. Check off the items that have been included with this application.

 Highway Occupancy Permit (HOP)- PennDot
 Wastewater Treatment Facility NPDES Permit- DEP
 Montgomery County Health Department- MCHD
 Stormwater Management NPDES Permit- MCCD/DEP
 Planning Module
 NPWA letter evidencing willingness to serve
 Information on lender providing financial guarantee
 List of requested waivers and any legal description necessary
for preparation of easements, deeds of dedication or any other
legal documents
 Estimated cost of public improvements

- 4. Franconia Sewer Authority items applicable to this application:
  - FSA Sewer Extension Agreement
    - \_\_\_\_ FSA letter evidencing willingness to serve
  - On-lot sewer system approval

□ Waiver of 90-day time limitation signed

\*Incomplete applications will not be processed

#### Do Not Write Below This Line

Application received and reviewed b	y:	
Date received and reviewed:		
Accepted	Not Accepted	
Date Accepted		

#### Franconia Township SUBDIVISION AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN CHECKLIST

This form must be completed by applicant's engineer and/or surveyor and submitted as part of the subdivision and/or land development applications for Preliminary Plan, Construction Development Plan and Record Plan

#### I. INFORMATION

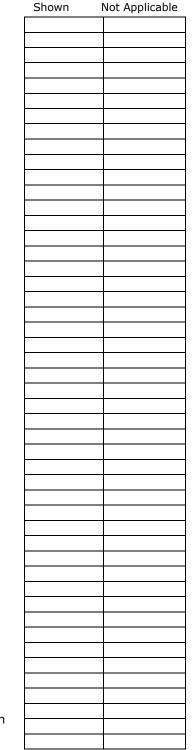
- A. <u>Drafting Standards</u> does the plan show:
  - 1. Scale 40' to 1 inch
  - 2. Dimensions feet and decimals
  - 3. Bearings Degrees, minutes and seconds
  - 4. Courses and distances of boundary line survey
  - 5. Sheet size 24 X 36
  - 6. Are sheets numbered if more than one

#### B. Location and Identification

- 1. Title consisting of:
  - (a) Name and address of subdivider
  - (b) Name and address of registered engineer
  - (c) Location and area of subdivision
  - (d) Drawing date, scale and north point
  - (e) Drawing revisions
- 2. Tract boundary with bearings and distances
- 3. Location map

#### C. Existing Features

- 1. Does the plan show features with 200'
- 2. Existing Street
  - (a) Locations
  - (b) Names
  - (c) Widths (legal & Ultimate Right-of-Way)
  - (d) Centerline Courses and distances
  - (e) Curve Data
  - (f) Paved Widths
  - (g) Curb Lines
  - (h) Right-of-Way radii at intersections
  - (i) Curb Line radii at intersections
  - (j) Street location tie-ins by courses and distances to
  - Nearest intersection of existing and planned streets
- 3. Property Lines
- 4. Location and size of water courses and flood plain areas
- 5. Location and size of sanitary sewers
- 6. Location and size of storm drains and water easements
- 7. Location and size of gas mains
- 8. Location of electric facilities
- 9. Location of fire hydrants and/or water supply
- 10. Location of existing buildings
- 11. Location of recreational areas within the land to be subdivided
- 12. Location and character of:
  - (a) Existing buildings
  - (b) Species and size of large trees standing alone
  - (c) Limits of wooded sections
  - (d) Marshland, Wetlands
  - (e) Areas subject to inundation
  - (f) Other topographical features which may affect the location of proposed streets



				Shown	Not Applicable
			13. Existing and proposed contour lines and intervals not to		
			Exceed 2'		
			<ul><li>14. Measured distances from centerline of streets to:</li><li>(a) Existing buildings</li></ul>		
			(b) Large trees standing alone		
			(c) Control points and monuments		
			15. Zoning Requirements		
		D.	Proposed Street and Lot Layout		
			1. Layout of streets to show		
			(a) Names		
			(b) Widths (right-of-way, legal & ultimate)		
			(c) Widths sidewalks		
			(d) Widths cartway		
			(e) Widths cross walks		
			2. Lot layout and gross, NET areas		
			3. Reference to land to be dedicated for public use		
			<ol> <li>Tentative grades to:</li> <li>(a) An existing street</li> </ol>		
			(b) A point 200' beyond boundaries of subdivision		
			5. Location and size of:		
			(a) Sanitary sewers and manholes		
			(b) Storm sewers and inlets		
			6. On-Site Sewerage		
			(a) Location of deep hole tests		
			(b) Location of perculation test holes		
			(c) Delineation of soil types on entire subdivision		
			7. Driveway location and cross section detail		
			8. Shoulder improvement detail		
			9. Water, sewer, gas lateral(s)		
II.					
11.		DO	CUMENTATION SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS		
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	Α.		ur (4) full sized copies of the plan, (3) 11x17 copies, (1)		
		ele	ctronic file of plan set		
	В.	Che	eck list signed and dated below		
	C.	Apr	plication forms		
		1.	Franconia Township		
		2.	Soil Conservation Service		
		3.	MCPC-Municipal Request for Review		
	D.	DEI	P Planning Modules (3 copies)		
	Ε.		crow Agreement Form		
	F.		ecks		
	••	1.	Franconia Township Filing Fee		
		2.	Soil Conservation Service Filing Fee		
		3.	Montgomery County Planning Commission Filing Fee		
			Review Escrow Fee		
	G.	Add	ditional Information		
		1.	List Parcel #, Block and Unit # of subject property on Plan		
		2	Applicant is responsible for all submittals & fees to the MCCD		

2. Applicant is responsible for all submittals & fees to the MCCD (SoilConservation Service)

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Phone Number

#### **RESOLUTION 19-02-21-01**

#### FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

#### A RESOLUTION AMENDING PRIOR TOWNSHIP RESOLUTIONS TO ESTABLISH REVISED IMPACT FEES FOR TRANSPORTATION SERVICE AREAS I, II AND III, IN FURTHERANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP TRANSPORTATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, AS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 209 OF 1990

WHEREAS, by Resolution 96-19-12-11 dated November 12, 1996, the Board of Supervisors adopted revisions to the Transportation Capital Improvement Programs for Transportation Service Areas I, II and III, previously established pursuant to Act 209 of 1990; and

WHEREAS, the revised Transportation Capital Improvement Program requires adjustment of the impact fees, which were based upon the original Transportation Capital Improvement Programs approved for Transportation Service Areas I, II and III; and

WHEREAS, impact fees for Transportation Service Area I are authorized by Township Ordinance No. 187, dated December 9, 1991; impact fees for Transportation Service Area II are authorized by Township Ordinance No. 213 dated October 10, 1994; and impact fees for Transportation Service Area III are authorized by Township Ordinance No. 229 dated January 2, 1996.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Board of Supervisors of Franconia Township that Township Resolutions No. 08-22-20-05, dated May 20, 2008, No. 07-14-21-05 dated May 21, 2007, No. 06-23-15-05 dated May 15, 2006, No. 05-20-25-05 dated April 25, 2005, No. 96-21-09-12 dated December 9, 1996, No. 96-01-02-01 dated January 2, 1996, No. 94-22-10-10 dated October 10, 1994 and No. 91-24-09-12 dated December 9, 1991 be and hereby are revised and amended to reestablish the impact fee in each Resolution in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-One Dollars and Thirty-Nine Cents (\$2,561.39) per PM peak hour trip unit for Transportation Services Areas I, II and III based upon the Transportation Capital Improvement Programs for each Transportation Service Area.

**DULY PRESENTED AND ADOPTED** by the Franconia Township Board of Supervisors, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in a public meeting held this 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 2019.

Attest: Jon A. Hammer, Secretary

FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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#### **RESOLUTION NO. 23-02-21-2**

#### FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

#### A RESOLUTION REVISING APPLICATION FEES, PERMIT FEES, ESCROW REQUIREMENTS & FEES, PARK & RECREATION FEES, AND PURCHASE FEES

**WHEREAS**, the Zoning Ordinance, Building Code, Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance, Grading Ordinance and other appropriately enacted Ordinances, provide inter alia, that the Board of Supervisors shall, from time to time, establish appropriate fees and escrow requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors wishes to establish fees for the purchase of Township Maps and Documents; and

WHEREAS, rising costs and other financial considerations have created a need to increase the fee schedule so that administrative services, testing and inspections related to the enforcement of applicable state and local regulations can be maintained on a self-sustaining basis.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, **BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Franconia Township Board of Supervisors approves the following fee schedule and all previous fee schedule resolutions are hereby repealed:

#### SECTION 1 – <u>ZONING</u>

- 1. Applications to the Zoning Hearing Board for Special Exceptions, Variances and/or interpretations (excluding curative amendments).
  - A. Fee \$1,800 Residential \$2,000 Non-Residential
  - B. \$275.00 for each additional hearing necessitated by applicant
- 2. Curative amendment application to the Board of Supervisors or the Zoning Hearing Board
  - A. Fee \$3,850 + costs
  - B. \$825 + costs for each additional hearing
  - C. Each 3 hours or fraction thereof shall constitute an additional meeting. No meetings are to extend beyond 12 midnight of the day convened.
  - D. Costs are transcript, steno, meeting room, solicitor, etc.
- 3. Application to Board of Supervisors for amendment to zoning ordinance or for change of zoning
  - A. Fee \$1,925 + costs
  - B. \$605 + costs for each additional hearing
  - C. Costs are transcript, steno, meeting room, solicitor, etc.
  - D. Each 3 hours or fraction thereof shall constitute an additional meeting. No meetings are to extend beyond 12 midnight of the day convened.
- 4. Application to Board of Supervisors for Conditional Use Approval other than Rural Resource Residential in 5.
  - A. Fee \$900.00
  - B. \$260.00 + costs for each additional hearing
  - C. Costs are transcript, stenographer, meeting room, solicitor, etc.
  - D. Each three hours or fraction thereof shall constitute an additional meeting.

- 5. Application to Board of Supervisors for Conditional Use Approval for 3 lots or less for Rural Resource Residential Subdivision / Land Development
  - A. Fee \$825.00 or \$275.00 when submitted in conjunction with a Subdivision/Land Development application.
  - B. \$180.00 + costs for each additional hearing
  - C. Costs are transcript, stenographer, meeting room, solicitor, etc.
  - D. Each three hours or fraction thereof shall constitute an additional meeting.

#### SECTION 2 - SUBDIVISION AND/OR LAND DEVELOPMENT

- 1. Application Fees
  - A. Residential Subdivision and/or Land Development
    - 1) Sketch Plan \$300 (No Engineer Review)
    - 2) Preliminary
      - a) \$660 up to 2 lots or units
      - b) Plus \$140 for each lot or unit in excess of 2 lots or units
    - 3) Lot Line Change(s)/Simple Conveyance
      - c) \$165.00
    - 4) Final Plan Application Fee
      - a) \$660.00
    - 5) Record Plan & Document Recording Fee
      - a) \$120.00
  - B. Nonresidential Subdivision and/or Land Development
    - 1) Sketch Plan \$500 (No Engineer Review)
    - 2) Preliminary/Final Plan
      - a) \$660 General Fee PLUS either \$165 for each lot or unit or \$110 per acre. Whichever fee is higher will apply.
    - 3) Record Plan & Document Recording Fee
      - a) \$120.00
- 2. Security Escrow- All escrow accounts must be replenished when they fall below \$1,000.00.
  - A. Residential
    - 1) \$4,500p to and including 2 lots or units
    - 2) \$8,000-5 lots or units
    - 3) \$10,000 6 lots/units or more plus \$110 per lot or unit in excess of 6
  - B. Nonresidential
    - 1) \$9,350 plus either \$110 per lot or unit or \$140 per acre. Whichever fee is higher will apply.

The purpose of the escrow, which is held in an interest-bearing account, is to guarantee that all legal and engineering costs are paid by the applicant. A separate check shall be required for the payment of this fee. All legal and/or engineering costs will be billed monthly and payable to the Township within thirty (30) days of said billing. Should costs not be paid in full each month, the Township will stop further processing of work on the project. At the time of final plan approval, this escrow amount shall be closed and refunded to the applicant, after it has been determined that there are no outstanding charges.

- 3. Administrative Charges
  - A. 5% of total cost of review fees

#### SECTION 3 – GRADING PERMIT

1. Permit

A.	Fee:	Up to 250 cubic yards 250 to 500 cubic yards	\$220.00 \$360.00 \$385.00
		500 to 1,000 cubic yards	\$385.00
		1000 + cubic yards	\$440.00 plus \$45 for each additional
			1,000 cubic yards or portion thereof.

- Security Escrow-All Escrow accounts must be replenished when they fall below \$1,000.00.
   A. Residential
  - 1) \$3,500
  - B. Nonresidential
    - 1) \$10,000 with an additional \$2,000 for lots greater than 5,000 square feet of impervious
- 3. Retaining Wall (greater than 3 feet with footing) \$100.00
- 4. Administrative Charges
  - A. 5% of total cost of review fees

**SECTION 4** – <u>BUILDING PERMITS</u>: A \$4.50 fee will be added to all permits as per the regulations of the UCC Building Code. A 10% administrative fee will be added to all permits reviewed by Code Inspections Inc.

- 1. Residential
  - A. Building Permits New single-family detached dwellings, duplex dwellings, twin dwellings, quadraplex dwellings and townhouses shall be charged per unit. Apartments shall be charged per building.
    - 1) \$500 plus \$0.35 per square foot of floor area including basement and garage, excluding crawl space and attic.
  - B. Alterations and additions
    - 1) \$300 plus \$0.35 per square foot of floor area with \$750.00 maximum fee
  - C. Basement Egress Door or Window
    - 1) \$115
  - D. Window or Door Replacement with increased opening size
     1) \$95
  - E. Decks and Patios greater than 100 square feet
    - 1) \$125.00 plus \$0.35 per square foot of area
  - F. Fence
    - 1) Replacement Fee \$65.00
    - 2) New Fence \$90.00
  - G. Barn, pole barn, detached garage, utility building, bathhouse, gazebo and storage sheds
    - 1) \$110.00 up to 200 square feet and \$30 for each additional 200 square feet or fraction thereof
  - H. Construction Trailers
    - 1) Temporary Sales Office \$340.00
    - 2) Temporary Job Office \$340.00
    - 3) Job Site Storage Trailers \$125.00 each

Trailers must be removed 15 days before project dedication

- I. New Alterations and additions
  - 1) Fee \$715.00 for the first 1,000 sq. ft. of floor area.
  - 2) \$110.00 for each additional 1,000 sq. ft of floor area or fraction thereof.
  - 3) Each 18-foot interval in height or fraction thereof shall count as an additional story. Where more than one building classification is incorporated within the permit, the higher fee shall be paid for all square footage of all buildings.
  - 4) Maximum fee of \$715.00 for all farm buildings.
- J. Swimming Pools, Tennis Courts and all other recreational uses related to Residential
  - 1) Fee \$85.00 for the first \$1,000 of cost.
  - 2) \$30.00 for each additional \$1,000 of cost or fraction thereof, \$730.00 maximum fee.
- K. Hot Tubs and Saunas
  - 1) Fee \$95.00
- L. Gas or Wood Fireplaces
  - 1) Fee \$95.00

In any instances where more than one building classification is incorporated within a permit, the higher fee classification shall apply.

Commercial Industrial, Institutional, Shopping Center or Other Nonresidential will all be reviewed by Code Inspections Inc. and follow the fee schedule provided by CII.

#### SECTON 5 - DRIVEWAY

- 1. New \$95.00 Fee
- 2. Paving of an existing driveway \$50.00 Fee
- 3. Storm Pipe and Inlet Installation \$95.00 Fee

#### SECTION 6 – PLUMBING

- 1. Permits
  - A. Residential Inspection \$60.00
  - B. Industrial & Commercial Inspection \$110.00
  - C Per Fixture Residential- New \$15.00 each; Commercial \$30.00
  - D. Per Fixture Residential– Replacement \$15.00 each
  - E. Public sewer line connection inspection \$500.00 lateral
  - (Any costs exceeding \$500.00 will be the responsibility of the homeowner)
  - F. Sewer lateral repairs \$250
  - G. Tapping fee (EDU)
    - 1) Variable based on location
    - 2) Conveyancing fee \$250
  - H. Lawn Sprinkler System \$48.00 for first \$1,000 and \$30 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof
  - I. Automatic Fire Sprinkler Residential- \$48.00 for first \$1,000 and \$30 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof Commercial \$510 base plus \$5 per head

#### SECTION 7 – ELECTRICAL – Third Party Inspected

All permits reviewed by Code Inspections Inc., follow the Fee Schedule provided by CII and include a 10% Administrative fee.

1. Permit Fee – Residential Basic fee \$260 for the first \$5,000 of cost or fraction thereof and an additional \$25.00 per \$1,000 of additional electrical cost.

#### SECTION 8 – USE & OCCUPANCY

- 1. New Residential
  - A. Fee \$115.00
    - Use and Occupancy Permit required and fee applicable when tenant changes in any in-law suite.
- 2. New Commercial or Industrial; Change in use for industrial or commercial; Nonconforming change of ownership, tenant or occupant.
  - A. Fee \$150.00

SECTION 9 - SIGNS - Directional, business, commercial, industrial or development

- Residential Permit Fee permanent directional sign of 3 sq. ft. or under A. \$75.00
- 2. Business, Industrial, or Commercial Permit Fee
  - A. \$160.00 for the first \$1,000 of cost and \$30.00 for each additional \$1,000 of cost or fraction thereof.

#### SECTION 10 – PARK AND RECREATION FEES

- 1. Pavilion Fee
  - A. \$25.00 Resident User Fee
  - B. \$90.00 Non-Resident User Fee
  - C. \$125.00 Event Fee (over 100 people)
- 2. Field Reservation
  - A. A refundable security deposit of \$100.00 is required by any organization or group, including nonprofits, reserving any township athletic field up to ten (10) days.
  - B. A refundable security deposit of \$250.00 is required for any organization or group, including nonprofits, reserving any township athletic field over ten (10) days or for any Tournament\* use.
  - C. Deposits are due prior to use of the field. Any damage to the field or violation of the rules and regulations agreed upon through the completion and signature of application will result in forfeiture of deposit.
  - D. \$25.00 Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using a Township athletic field for a single day.
  - E. \$300.00 Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using a Township athletic field for a period of thirty (30) days.
  - F. \$600.00 Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using a Township athletic field for a period of sixty (60) days.
  - G. \$900.00 Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using a Township athletic field for a period of ninety (90) days or more.

- H. Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using more than one Township athletic field in excess of thirty (30) days will be charged a \$100.00 fee for each additional field use.
- 1. Any organization or group, including nonprofits, using a Township athletic field for Tournaments\* will be charged \$150.00 per field, per day.

\*Tournaments are defined as 3 or more teams coming from different organizations.

In an effort to keep costs down, sports organizations (exclusive of Tournament play) will be responsible for community service by providing volunteers from their respective sport to assist with township-sponsored events or service at the discretion of the Township.

In lieu of community service listed above, a cash payment is requested in the amount of \$250.00.

- 3. Concession Stand
  - A. \$40.00 User Fee per day for use of the concession stand. A refundable security deposit of \$100.00 is required prior to use of the stand.

#### SECTION 11 - POLICE

- Copies of Police Reports (no photographs) \$15
   A. State Accident Reports \$15
- 2. Photographs (digital) \$10/photo \$200 Maximum
- 3. Videos \$300
- Alarm Permits (burglar, holdup, fire, etc.)
  A. Residential \$35
  B. Non-Residential \$100
- 5. Vendors
  - A. Vendor License (I.D. card with photo) \$100/quarterly
  - B. Vendor Permit (replacement I.D. card) \$15

#### **SECTION 12 -OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FEES**

- 1. Utility Permits
  - A. Pole Relocation or replacement \$125.00 each pole
  - B. Utility Service Permit \$125.00
  - C. Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope for return of approved permit
- 2. Cell Tower "Antenna" Replacement A. Fee - \$180.00
- 3. Fire Suppression Hood System A. Fee - \$85.00
- Demolition of any Structure
   A. Fee \$100.00 for the first 1,000 sq. ft.
   \$25 for each additional 1,000 square feet or fraction thereof.
- 5. Relocation of a structure A. Fee - \$75.00
- Roadside Stands
   A. Seasonal Only \$55.00
   Fee waived if stand on property where products are raised.
- Parking Area (other than accessory to private residence)
   A. Fee \$110.00 + engineer's inspection fee
- 8. Sewer certification fee \$40.00
- 9. Dog Boarding A. Fee- \$15.00 per day
- 10. Fire and Code Inspection A. Fee - \$100
- 11. Tent Inspection (Over 400 sq ft.) \$100.00
- 12. Banner Permit A. Fee - \$50.00
- 13. Firework Permit A. Fee - \$250.00
- 14. Returned Check Fee \$35.00
- 15. Tree Replacement or Fee in lieu of replacing A. \$300
- 16. Traffic Impact Fees and Park and Recreation Impact Fees Fees to be set forth in separate Resolution and or Ordinance adopted from time to time by the Board of Supervisors.

### SECTION 13 - MAP/DOCUMENT PURCHASE FEES

- 1. Use of Copier (for all related subject matter) \$.25 per sheet.
- 2. Oversized copies \$8.00 per sheet.

**DULY PRESENTED AND ADOPTED** by the Franconia Township Board of Supervisors, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in a public meeting held this 21<sup>st</sup>, day of February, 2023.

FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVIS Grey R. Godshall, Chairman

Attest:

Jon A. Hammer, Secretary

# FRANCONIA TOWNSHIP

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# MEMORANDUM

ATTN: Subdivision/Land Development Applicant

DATE: February 24, 2023

**FROM:** Beth T. Gooch, Director of Planning and Zoning

**SUBJECT:** Financial Responsibilities

Please read the information below pertaining to the policies of Franconia Township for the financial obligation of the applicant.

- At the time of application submission all applicable fees must be paid in full. This includes, but is not limited to, the Township application fee and a cash escrow. The Montgomery County Planning Commission Review Fee is now to be paid directly to the county. The required amount for fees and escrow are specified in the Franconia Township Fee Schedule. Resolution 23-02-21-02.
- During the subdivision/land development review process, the Township Engineer and the Franconia Sewer Authority Engineer will perform reviews on the plans and issue their review letters. All costs associated with the review of an application and plans are the sole responsibility of the applicant. The Township will draw against the cash escrow until such a time that there are no longer sufficient funds to cover the costs incurred. At that time the bills will be sent directly to the applicant for payment. Escrow accounts are to be maintained at a minimum amount of \$1,000.00. Once the minimum is reached the escrow account needs to be replenished.
- Under the Municipalities Planning Code, the Township has the right to follow what is referred to as the "re-bill" process. Applicants should expect to receive a bill approximately two months after the work is actually performed. The appropriate monies will be deducted from the cash escrow in order to pay the invoices associated with the project. The Township will provide the applicant with a statement detailing the escrow account activity. Escrow accounts will not be closed until such time that no additional invoices are pending.

- An approval resolution must be signed and all financial guarantees secured prior to the recoding of the plan. The Township will not permit a developer/applicant to push any financial responsibilities onto future property owners or agree to future establishments of escrows or payments of outstanding invoices.
- Any and all invoices generated in conjunction with a project are the responsibility of the applicant/developer. This includes all inspections performed by the Township Engineer. The Township Engineer is there to ensure that the improvements are installed per the Township Code and requirements. The invoices generated for these inspections will include a full inspection report as required by state law.
- If a developer/applicant disputes a charge on an invoice they shall follow the formal process outlined in the Municipalities Planning Code. Until any and all disputes are resolved a Use and Occupancy Permit will not be issued. Nor will a U&O be issued if there are any outstanding invoices relating to the particular project. Franconia Township will not issue temporary U&Os.
- All monies held in escrow by the Township will not be released until an authorization from the Township Engineer is received verifying that all improvements have been installed per the Township Code and to the satisfaction the Township Engineer.