

**TOWNSHIP OF WEST BRADFORD  
ORDINANCE 93-01**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING INTERGOVERNMENTAL  
COOPERATION FOR THE PURPOSES OF PROVIDING  
ADULT AND YOUTH RECREATION TO THE RESIDENTS  
OF THE MUNICIPALITIES COMPRISING THE  
DOWNTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT.**

**AND NOW, this 4th day of January, 1993, it is hereby Enacted and Ordained by the Board of Supervisors of West Bradford Township as follows:**

**Section 1.**

The Board of Supervisors of West Bradford Township are hereby authorized to enter into an Agreement that may include any or all municipalities and the Downingtown Area School District to form a consortium to be known as the Downingtown Area Recreational Consortium (hereinafter called the "Consortium") on the following terms and conditions:

- a. The Agreement shall include the following, as a minimum; a statement that its purpose is to foster a cooperative effort in policies, plans and operations for recreation programs for the citizens of the member municipalities; provide for eligibility, representation, withdrawal and participation of the member municipalities; establish operating policies; provide for financing Consortium projects; and provide for the acquisition and disposition of Consortium property.
- b. The term of the Agreement is perpetual subject to the right of West Bradford Township or other municipalities to withdraw in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.
- c. The Agreement shall be for the purpose and objective of providing recreational activities to the residents of the constituent municipalities.

- d. The Agreement shall delegate authority to the Consortium Board of Directors and Operating Committee to prepare an annual budget, to propose and recommend Consortium programs and to conduct the general business of the Consortium as more fully set forth in the Agreement.
- e. The Agreement shall provide that the activities of the Consortium shall be funded by charging fees to the program participants. Each municipality is responsible for a proportionate share of the cost of administration of the Consortium according to a formula attached as Exhibit "A" to the Agreement.
- f. The Consortium shall be authorized to acquire and provide office space, furnishings, supplies and equipment and other personal property which shall be managed by the Consortium Operating Committee. The Consortium shall be authorized to contract with member municipalities to provide facilities on real property. If deemed necessary by the Consortium to dispose of any property valued at five hundred (\$500.00) dollars or more, it must be offered to the general public at bid or auction. The proceeds of any such sale are to be distributed to each participating municipality according to their individual percentage of ownership in the property sold or the proceeds may be deposited into D.A.R.C. accounts if agreed to by any municipality that is to receive the funds.
- g. The Consortium shall be authorized to hire, fire and pay the salary and benefits of employees as agreed to by the majority of the Consortium Board of Directors.

**Section 2.**

The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors shall be authorized to sign any and all documents necessary to enter into the Consortium Agreement consistent with the terms of this Ordinance following motion of the Board of Supervisors.

**Section 3.**

Any and all actions taken prior to the date of this Ordinance by the Board of Supervisors, the Township Manager and other employees of the Township in order to effectuate and enter into the Consortium

Agreement are hereby ratified.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall be effective five days from enactment.

**ENACTED** this 4th day of January, 1993.

Attest:

  
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**Jack M. Hines, Jr.**  
Township Secretary

**TOWNSHIP OF WEST BRADFORD  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

  
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**Mark Blair, Chairman**

  
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**John Haiko, Vice Chairman**

  
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**Kenneth Klunk, Member**