RESOLUTION NO. 29 - 2008

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DESIGNATION OF THE TOWNSHIP FINANCE DIRECTOR AS THE AGENT FOR WEST CHESTER TOWNSHIP FOR ALL MATTERS PERTAINING TO DISASTER ASSISTANCE

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2008 West Chester Township, Butler County sustained a natural disaster in the form of catastrophic, damaging winds, exceeding over eighty (80) mph and adversely affecting virtually all residences and businesses in the Township; and,

WHEREAS, through Resolution 26-2008, adopted on September 23, 2008, the West Chester Board of Trustees declared a state of emergency existed in the Township, beginning September 14, 2008 and continuing until otherwise stated, and it hereby invoked and declared those portions of the Ohio Revised Code which are applicable to the conditions and have caused the issuance of Resolution 26-2008 to be in full force and affect in the Township for the exercise of all necessary emergency authority for protection of lives and property of the people of West Chester Township, Butler County, and the restoration of local government with minimum interruption.

WHEREAS, West Chester Township assessed the damages of the catastrophic, damaging wind event and identified priority restoration projects and administered the appropriate action to make and fund capital improvements to repair and/or replace damages by the catastrophic wind event; and,

WHEREAS, the Federal Disaster Relief Fund provides financial assistance to political subdivisions for disaster assistance.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the West Chester Township Board of Trustees does hereby agree that:

SECTION 1. The West Chester Township Board of Trustees, a public entity established under the laws of the State of Ohio, hereby authorizes the Finance Director as their agent to execute and file any applications for the purpose of obtaining and administering certain Federal financial assistance under the Disaster Relief Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-288) and to file them in the appropriate State office.

SECTION 2. The West Chester Township Board of Trustees authorizes its agent to provide to the State and to all other applicable local, state, and federal agencies for all matters pertaining to disaster assistance.

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Cotherese Stoken	YES
Catherine Stoker, Vice President	Yes / No
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Lee Wong, Trustee	/ Yes / No

ATTEST:

Patricia Williams, Township Fiscal Officer

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