

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-17

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPEWELL, BEAVER COUNTY,  
PENNSYLVANIA, REPEALING ORDINANCE 2010-06 AND  
RESOLUTION 2010-29 WHICH ESTABLISHED AND REQUIRED APPLICATION FOR  
CERTIFICATION OF SANITARY SEWER STATUS PRIOR TO SALE OF ANY REAL  
ESTATE SERVED BY PUBLIC SEWERS BOTH WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE  
SERVICE AREA OF THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES OF  
HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP**

On October 11, 2010 the Board of Commissioners for Hopewell Township adopted Resolution No. 2010-29 and Ordinance No. 2010-6 which established an application and certification procedure for sanitary sewer status prior to the sale of real estate served by public sewers, both within and outside the service area of the wastewater treatment facilities of Hopewell Township, by instituting a Smoke and Dye Test for the purpose of identifying and excluding from the sanitary sewer system illegal discharges from surface and subsurface sources.


Through diligent implementation of Smoke and Dye Testing, pursuant to the aforementioned Ordinance and Resolution, numerous illegal sources were identified and remedied throughout the Hopewell Township service area thereby substantially reducing illegal infiltration and discharges.

The Board of Commissioners for Hopewell Township hereby declare that the goals of Resolution No. 2010-29 and Ordinance No. 2010-6 have been successfully achieved thereby obviating the need for continued Smoke and Dye Testing prior to sale of real estate.

This Resolution repeals the requirement for certification prior to sale of real estate only and is not intended to repeal any other Ordinance, Resolution, Rule or Regulation prohibiting illegal connections or discharges into the public sanitary sewer system of Hopewell Township.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017** that Hopewell Township, through its Board of Commissioners, hereby repeals Resolution 2010-29 and Ordinance 2010-6 in their entirety effective immediately. Any Rule and/or Regulation adopted by Hopewell Township relative to the requirement to Smoke and Dye Test prior to the sale of real estate are similarly hereby repealed. All other Ordinances, Resolutions, Rules and Regulations prohibiting illegal connections or discharges into the public sanitary sewer system of Hopewell Township are fully preserved.

HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP BOARD  
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