Upper Merion Township Montgomery County, PA

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Upper Merion Township, at their regular Business meeting on February 13, 2025 at 7:00 PM in the Upper Merion Township Municipal Building, 175 W. Valley Forge Rd, King of Prussia, PA, will hold a public hearing on and after will consider and take action on the following proposed Ordinance summarized as follows:

Upper Merion Township ORDINANCE NO. 2025-(summary)

AN ORDINANCE OF UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHING A TOWNSHIP REAL PROPERTY TAX REBATE FOR ACTIVE UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY VOLUNTEERS AND ESTABLISHING DEFINITIONS, REBATE CRITERIA, ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES, AND AN APPEALS PROCESS

Section 1. Amends Chapter 149, Taxation, to provide for a new Article XI entitled "Active Volunteer Firefighter Real Property Tax Rebate" to provide as follows:

Article XI Active Volunteer Firefighter Real Property Tax Rebate

- Section 149-80. Scope and Purpose. Establishes the scope and purpose of the ordinance to establish the rebate incentive for volunteers of fire companies.
- Section 149-81. Definitions. Establishes definitions for terms used in the ordinance.
- Section 149-82. Active Volunteer Service Tax Rebate Program.
 Establishes the criteria, eligibility, application, recordkeeping, review, injury and military service provisions.
- Section 149-83. Township Real Property Rebate. Establishes the amount, limit and payment of the rebate.
- Section 149-84. Procedures. Establishes the procedure for rebate implementation.

Section 149-85. Appeals. Establishes an administrative appeals process. Section 149-86. Audit. Provides for a Program audit procedure by the Township

Section 2. Provides for a severability provision

Section 3. Provides for a repealer clause

Section 4. Provides for an effective date of ordinance.

Section 5. Provides for an Failure to Enforce provision

The full text of the ordinance is available for review in the office of the Township Secretary, 175 W. Valley Forge Rd, King of Prussia, Pa., during normal business hours, M-F, 8:15 AM to 5PM; on the Township website: www.umtownship.org; at the Montgomery County Law Library, 2 East Airy Street, Norristown, and in the offices of the Times Herald, 390 Eagleview Boulevard, Exton, PA 19341

All interested persons may appear and be heard at the scheduled hearing. Any individual wishing to participate in the hearing and needing an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation should contact the Township Administrative office at 610-265-2600 to determine how the Township can best provide assistance.

Anthony T. Hamaday Township Secretary