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RESOLUTION 2025-04

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2026 BUDGET AND ESTABLISHING TAX RATES FOR COOKE TOWNSHIP, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Cooke, County of Cumberland, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is the appropriate legislative body as authorized by the Second-Class Township Code Act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 103, No. 69), reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1481, No. 567), reenacted and amended November 9, 1995 (P. L. 350, No. 60) as amended, to adopt a budget for the year of 2026, and establish taxes to fund said budget, and

WHEREAS, the Proposed Budget for the Township of Cooke has been advertised, placed on public display as prescribed by law, now therefore

RESOLVE, and it is hereby resolved, the Proposed Budget on file in the Cooke Township Office is hereby adopted as the Budget for the Township of Cooke for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026.

RESOLVE, and it is hereby RESOLVED the Taxes for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026 for the Township of Cooke are as follows:

- A. A Tax on Real Estate located within the Township of Cooke for 2026 is levied and assessed at the rate of 1.5 (.0015) mills of the assessed valuation. A discount of two percent (2%) when making payment 2 months from the date of tax notice. A penalty of ten percent (10%) is applied after the face period.
- B. An earned Income Tax of one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) is levied on the residents of the Township of Cooke. Cumberland County Tax Bureau will collect and distribute the tax.
- C. A Tax on Real Estate Property Transfers in the Township of Cooke is levied in the amount of one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) of the value of the transfer tax paid at the time of recording the transfer at the Cumberland County Recorder of Deeds Office.

RESOLVE, Taxes assessed and levied herein are necessary and sufficient, together with all other estimated revenues and balances of the Township, to raise a sufficient sum to meet the expenditures under the budget.

RESOLVED THIS 2nd DAY OF DECEMBER, 2025.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COOKE TOWNSHIP

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Chairman

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Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

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Supervisor

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Cooke Township Secretary