

**RESOLUTION R-2023-148
LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL**

***A Resolution of the Luzerne County Council Approving an Agreement
with Newport Township for the Luzerne County Treasurer
to Collect Newport Township Taxes***

WHEREAS, in December 2014 Newport Township voted to contract with Luzerne County to collect municipal taxes; and

WHEREAS, in January of 2015, Luzerne County Council voted in favor for the Luzerne County Treasurer's Office to act as a tax collector for Newport Township and an agreement was entered into by the parties; and

WHEREAS, since then the municipalities have annually renewed the agreement for Luzerne County to collect Newport Township's taxes; and

WHEREAS, both municipalities desire to renew the agreement for 2024; and

WHEREAS, Luzerne County's compensation will be \$2.50 per bill; and

WHEREAS, Section 4.4 of the Local Tax Collection Law allows a County Treasurer to collect taxes on behalf of a municipality when a vacancy in the position of tax collector exists.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Luzerne County Council hereby approves the Agreement to collect Newport Township taxes by the Luzerne County Treasurer's Office under the terms and conditions provided.

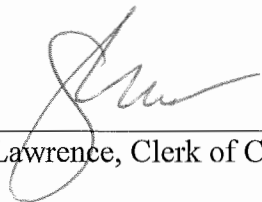
The Effective Date of this Resolution shall be six (6) days after adoption.

ADOPTED by Luzerne County Council at a meeting held on October 24, 2023.

ROLL CALL VOTE (11-0)

YES: Bienias, Lescavage, Lombardo, McDermott, McGinley, Mitchell, Perry, Thornton, SJ Urban, Vough and Wolovich

Attest: _____
Sharon Lawrence, Clerk of Council



LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL

By: Kendra Vough
Kendra Vough, Chair

LUZERNE COUNTY MANAGER

By: Romilda Crocamo
Romilda Crocamo, Esq., County Manager