

**RESOLUTION R-2012- 14**  
**LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL**

***A Resolution by the Luzerne County Council Establishing the Pay Rate for members of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals***

WHEREAS, the effective date for the new form of Luzerne County government provided for in the Luzerne County Home Rule Charter (the "Charter") is Monday, January 2, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Section 8.05 (A) of the Charter provides that the Board of Assessment Appeals shall be replaced by a reconstituted Board of Tax Assessment Appeals;

WHEREAS, Luzerne County Council appointed three members to the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals on January 24, 2012;

WHEREAS, Section 8.05(H) of the Charter provides that the salary of members of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals shall be set by resolution of County Council adopted by an affirmative vote of at least a majority of its current members, but it shall not exceed the salary paid to a member of County Council, and members of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals shall not receive a County pension or any other employee benefit by virtue of their position on this board;

WHEREAS, the County Council wishes to establish the salary of the members of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals, consistent with Section 8.05 (H) of the Charter;


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the County Council establishes the pay rate for members of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals as \$150.00 per member, per session, and each member shall not receive more than \$8000.00 per year.

This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

**ADOPTED** at a meeting of the Luzerne County Council held on January 31, 2012.

LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman

Attest:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk to County