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**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ACCEPTING THE FORT INDIANTOWN GAP (FTIG) JOINT LAND USE STUDY
(JLUS) AND BACKGROUND REPORT, AND ENDORSING AND SUPPORTING THE
STRATEGIES DESCRIBED THEREIN THAT ARE INTENDED TO ENCOURAGE
THE COMPATIBILITY OF DEVELOPMENT SURROUNDING FTIG, MAXIMIZE
FTIG'S USEFULNESS, AND ENSURE FTIG'S LONG-TERM VIABILITY AS A
CENTER OF TRAINING EXCELLENCE.**

RESOLUTION NO. 12-2015

WHEREAS, the Fort Indiantown Gap Joint Land Use Study is the result of a collaborative planning effort by Lebanon and Dauphin Counties, East Hanover and Union Townships – Lebanon County, East Hanover Township – Dauphin County, and Fort Indiantown Gap;

WHEREAS, the JLUS is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Defense and the Office of Economic Adjustment with the primary goal to study the development of strategies designed to safeguard the quality of life of residents, the growth and economic development of the community, and the mission of the military installation;

WHEREAS, the JLUS Report contains recommendations for the implementation of regional goals and local policies intended to promote cooperative and compatible land use planning, minimize the impact of military operations in terms of noise and accident potential on lands in close proximity to FTIG, increase citizen awareness of the impacts of military flight operations, and prevent land uses that will interfere with FTIG military missions;

WHEREAS, the JLUS Policy Committee and Technical Committee have met numerous time over the past two and one half years and have conducted three public forums in Union Township, Lebanon County, and three public forums in East Hanover Township, Dauphin County to give citizens the opportunity to comment on and participate in the JLUS; and

WHEREAS, the JLUS Policy Committee unanimously approved for adoption the JLUS Report and JLUS Background Report on March 4, 2015.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, that:

The attached Fort Indiantown Gap Joint Land Use Study and the Fort Indiantown Gap Background Report attached hereto are accepted, and the Dauphin County Commissioners endorses and supports the strategies described therein that are intended to encourage the compatibility of development surrounding FTIG, maximize FTIG's usefulness, and ensure FTIG's long term viability as a center of training excellence.

Approved the 8 day of April, 2015

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
THE COUNTY OF DAUPHIN**



Jeff Haste, Chairman



Mike Pries, Vice Chairman



George P. Hartwick, III, Secretary

ATTEST


Chad Saylor
Chief Clerk/Chief of Staff

