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COOPER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY -vs- BRYAN SONES etux

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CIVIL ACTION

(14) COOPER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY,

Condemnor

vs.

(13) BRYAN and (163) KIMBERLY SONES,

Condemnees

No. 00-641-CP

DECLARATION OF TAKING

The Cooper Township Municipal Authority, pursuant to the Eminent Domain Code 26 P.S. 1-101 et seq. ("Code"), hereby declares:

1. The Condemnor is the Cooper Township Municipal Authority, whose address is P.O. Box 446, Winburne, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.
2. The condemnation is authorized by 26 P.S. 1-101 et seq.
3. Pursuant to Resolution approved April 11, 2000, the Cooper Township Municipal Authority hereby appropriates and condemns real estate designated in the Resolution, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "A". The Condemnees are Bryan and Kimberly Sones, husband and wife.
4. The purpose of the condemnation is to secure land for a waste water treatment system as described more fully in the Act 537 Plan approved March 31, 1997, prepared by Hess and Fisher and intended to be recorded.
5. The property condemned is a portion of that tract of land situate in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, described in Clearfield County

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William A. Shaw
Prothonotary

Record Book No. 1406, Page No. 357, more particularly shown in the description attached as Exhibit "B".

6. The nature of title acquired is a permanent easement.
7. The plan showing the condemned property may be inspected at the Office of the Condemnor.
8. Pursuant to 26 P.S. 1-403, the Condemnor files its bond herewith, conditioned for the payment to the Condemnees of damages for taking when the same shall have been ascertained.
9. A conformed copy of this declaration of taking, together with the information and notice will be served upon the condemnees in this proceeding. Proof of such service will be filed.

WHEREFORE, the Cooper Township Municipal Authority declares the within premises condemned and appropriated for the public purpose mentioned.

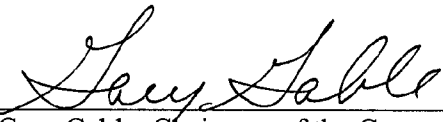
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VERIFICATION

I hereby verify that the facts set forth in this pleading are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that any false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 P.S. Section 4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.



Gary Gable, Chairman of the Cooper
Township Municipal Authority

RESOLUTION

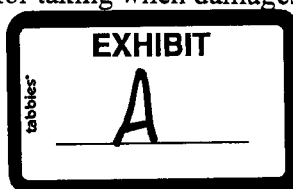
A RESOLUTION OF THE COOPER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY FOR THE CONDEMNATION OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES IN COOPER TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA FOR THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Andrea Borger for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 1683, page 475 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Andrea Borger, conditioned for the payment to the said Andrea Borger of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against James Hadvabne for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Books, 249, page 112, 184, page 436 and 155, page 183 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of James Hadvabne, conditioned for the payment to the said James Hadvabne of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Michael Pash for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book Instrument Number 199902949, pages 1-4 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Michael Pash conditioned for the payment to the said Michael Pash of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against William Amick and Penelope Amick, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book Instrument No. 199801732 , pages 1-4 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of William Amick and Penelope Amick, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said William Amick and Penelope Amick, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.



BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Timothy Campbell for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book Instrument Number 199916454, pages 1-4 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Timothy Campbell conditioned for the payment to the said Timothy Campbell of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Doris Carlson, Donald Carlson and Kathy Jolly for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 815, page 189 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Doris Carlson, Donald Carlson and Kathy Jolly conditioned for the payment to the said Doris Carlson, Donald Carlson and Kathy Jolly of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Melvin Wood and Patricia Wood, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Books 1301, page 052, 611 page 215 and 1237, page 243 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Melvin Wood and Patricia Wood, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said Melvin Wood and Patricia Wood, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against John Bordas and Debbi Bordas, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 1535, page 100 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of John Bordas and Debbi Bordas, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said John Bordas and Debbi Bordas, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against the Presbyterian Church for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Book 1689, page 590 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of the Presbyterian Church conditioned for the payment to the said the Presbyterian Church of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against James Gilham et al for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Books 1705, page 045, 1728, pages 301 & 312, 1651, page 252, and 1444, page 376 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of James Gilham et al conditioned for the payment to the said James Gilham of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Frank Hahn and Tonya Hahn, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 1406, page 497 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Frank Hahn and Tonya Hahn, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said Frank Hahn and Tonya Hahn, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Sally Isham and William Amick, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Books 677, page 091 and 1404, page 036 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Sally Isham and William Amick conditioned for the payment to the said Sally Isham and William Amick of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Raphael Johnson and Mildred Johnson, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 827, page 210 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Raphael Johnson and Mildred Johnson, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said Raphael Johnson and Mildred Johnson, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Bryan Sones and Kimberly Sones, his wife, for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 1406, page 357 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Bryan Sones and Kimberly Sones, his wife, conditioned for the payment to the said Bryan Sones and Kimberly Sones, his wife, of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Penny Sunderlin for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 905, page 361 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Penny Sunderlin conditioned for the payment to the said Penny Sunderlin of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Elmer Zahuranec for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Book 1649, page 034 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Elmer Zahuranec conditioned for the payment to the said Elmer Zahuranec of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against George Carter, Sr. for certain property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Record Books 100, page 166 and 282, page 251 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of George Carter, Sr. conditioned for the payment to the said George Carter, Sr. of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Unknown Property located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Tax Assessment Map S9, Enlargement 533, Parcel Number 18, Lot Number 298 from the Map of Ames and Control Number 110046513 for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Unknown Property conditioned for the payment to the said Unknown Property of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the solicitor be authorized to bring a condemnation proceeding against Unnamed Street/Third Street - Winburne (unopened) and located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania more particularly described in Clearfield County Tax Assessment Map S9, Enlargement 533, also located on the Map of Ames for purposes of constructing a wastewater treatment system. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman be authorized to make, execute and deliver Bond to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use and benefit of Unnamed Street/Third Street - Winburne conditioned for the payment to the said Unnamed Street/Third Street - Winburne of damages for taking when damages have been ascertained.

RESOLVED this 11th day of April, 2000, by the board of the Cooper Township Municipal Authority in lawful session assembled.

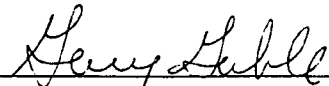
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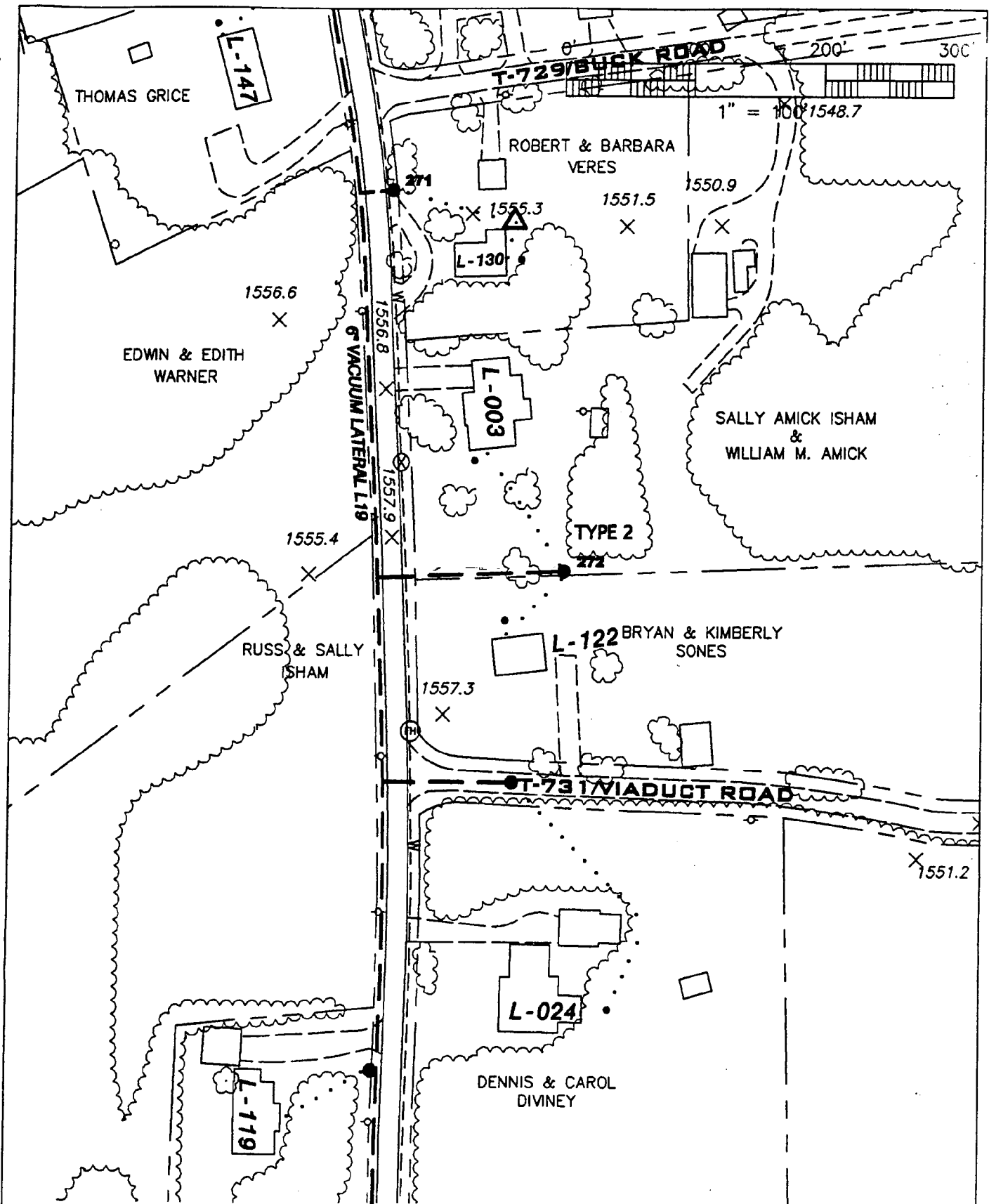
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COOPER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY

By: 

CHAIRMAN



"THE PROPERTY LINES SHOWN ARE BASED UPON CURRENT COUNTY TAX ASSESSMENT MAPS. SOME PROPERTY LINES HAVE BEEN ADJUSTED TO CONFORM WITH OBSERVED APPARENT PROPERTY BOUNDARY POSSESSION EVIDENCE (TREELINES, SHRUBS, LAWNS, ROADS, ETC.) THE PROPERTY LINES HAVE NOT BEEN DETERMINED BY A FIELD SURVEY."

EXHIBIT

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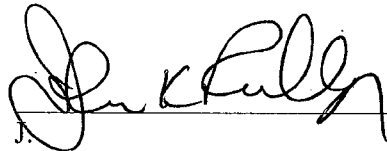
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ORDER

AND NOW this 1 day of June, 2000, upon review of the
Plaintiff's Petition and Bond, the said Bond is hereby approved.

BY THE COURT:


J. K. Kelly

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BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Declaration of Taking having been filed the 1 day of JUNE, 2000, by the Cooper Township Municipal Authority, ("obligor") a body politic and corporate organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ("obligee") for the use and benefit of the owners of the property condemned as hereinafter noted, and other proper parties in interest, for such amount of damage as the owner of the property and other parties in interest shall be entitled to receive after the same shall have been agreed upon or assessed in the manner prescribed by law, by reason of the condemnation by obligor of certain land located in Cooper Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, and described as follows: [PROPERTY SHOWN IN THE ATTACHED PLAN,] to which payment well and truly to be made, the obligor does bind itself and its successors, and assigns, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the obligor has condemned the said property and cannot agree with the owner of said land upon the just compensation to be paid for the damages sustained by said owner as a result of the condemnation:

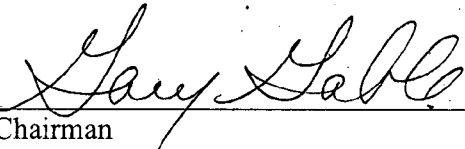
NOW THE CONDITION of this bond is such that if the obligor shall pay or cause to be paid such amount of damages as the said owner of the property and other parties in interest shall be entitled to receive by reason of such condemnation, after the same shall have been agreed upon or assessed in the manner provided by law, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise, to be and remain in full force and effect.

SEALED with the corporate seal and duly executed this 9 day of May, 2000.

Attest:


Secretary

Cooper Township Municipal Authority

By: 
Chairman

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NOTICE OF CONDEMNATION

In accordance with Section 405 of the Eminent Domain Code of 1964, 26 P.S. § 1-405,
Cooper Township Municipal Authority notifies you that:

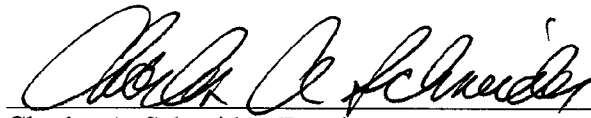
1. A declaration of taking, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "A," was filed on
JUNE 1, 2000, in the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield County at the
above-named term and number.

2. Your property has been condemned for waste water treatment system purposes.
Identification of your property appears on Exhibit "B" of the declaration of taking.

3. If you wish to challenge the power or right of Cooper Township Municipal
Authority to appropriate the condemned property, the sufficiency of the security, the procedure
followed by the Condemnor, or the declaration of taking, you are required to file preliminary
objections within 30 days after being served with this notice.

Date:

6/1/00



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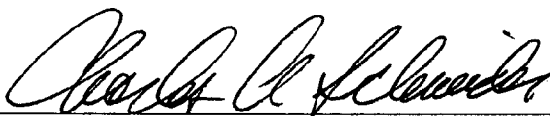
NOTICE OF FILING OF DECLARATION OF TAKING

The Cooper Township Municipal Authority states that:

A Declaration of Taking was filed this 1 day of JUNE, 2000, at the
above Court term and number, by which the following property was condemned in whole or in
part for a waste water treatment system on the land of Bryan and Kimberly Sones, husband and
wife, described in Record Book No. 1406, Page No. 357.

Date:

6/1/00



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MEMORANDUM OF FILING OF NOTICE

To the Prothonotary:

Notice of the above-captioned condemnation is recorded in the Department of Records of
Clearfield County at Instrument Number 200007621.

Date: 6/19/00



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