RESOLUTION NO. 2016-111

A RESOLUTION OF RADNOR TOWNSHIP, DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, FORMALLY REQUESTING ALL COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES LOCATED IN RADNOR TOWNSHIP WHICH RECEIVE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FROM RADNOR TOWNSHIP TO VOLUNTARILY CONTRIBUTE ON AN ANNUAL BASIS TOWARD THE COST OF FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

WHEREAS, Radnor Township contributes funding to the Radnor Fire Company who provides fire protection services and emergency medical services to the university communities on an annual basis; and

WHEREAS, universities and colleges located in Radnor Township are exempt from real estate taxes and, therefore, do not directly contribute to the cost of any Radnor Township services, including fire protection and emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, Radnor Fire Company worked with Township Staff in 2016 to analyze and verify a funding shortfall that resulted in a request of an additional \$150,000 per year in support beginning in 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it hereby **RESOLVED** that the Radnor Township Board of Commissioners does formally request that the colleges and universities (Villanova, Cabrini and Eastern) voluntarily contribute to the increased cost of fire and emergency medical services provided by Radnor Fire Company in order to lessen the burden on the existing and future taxpayers and residents of the township, in accordance with the calculation attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "A"**.

By:

SO RESOLVED this 14 day of November, 2016.

RADNOR TOWNSHIP

Name: Philip M. Ahr Title: President

Robert A. Zienkowski, Secretary

ATTEST