

**TOWNSHIP OF PITTSTON
LUZERNE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
RESOLUTION #9-06 of 2024**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PITTSTON
TOWNSHIP AUTHORIZING THE EMERGENCY DEMOLITION OF
PITTSTON TOWNSHIP SALT SHED LOCATED ON THE BY-PASS**

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2024, the Township Salt Shed located on the Pittston Township Bypass partially collapsed and was in an active state of further collapse constituting a clear and present danger to the health, safety and welfare of the Township DPW employees and residents of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the disrepair and active collapse of the structure posed a nuisance and an imminent danger to the DPW employees and the public; and

WHEREAS, the Second Class Township Code and the Procurement Code permits a municipality to enter into contracts without adhering to the advertising and public bidding requirements of the Code, in order to mitigate a real or potential emergency involving a clear and present danger to the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Township, subject to adoption of a resolution confirming such emergency; and

WHEREAS, a real emergency involving a clear and present danger to the health, safety and welfare of the Township DPW employees and residents existed due to the active collapse of the Township Salt Shed; and

WHEREAS, immediate demolition of the structure was necessary to ensure the health, safety and welfare of the Township DPW employees and residents; and

WHEREAS, the Township obtained an emergency proposal from Hadley Construction in the amount of \$8,000 on an emergency basis in order to demolish the structure and salvage the salt within the structure.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Pittston Township that in recognition of the emergency that existed at the Township Salt Shed on September 9, 2024, the emergency proposal of Hadley Construction to demolish the structure is hereby affirmed and approved.

BE IT RESOLVED AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED THIS 16th day of SEPTEMBER 2024, by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Pittston.

ATTEST:



SECRETARY

TOWNSHIP OF PITTSTON:



DAVID A. SLEZAK
CHAIRMAN, BOARD SUPERVISORS

