

**CHRISTIANA BOROUGH  
LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 217**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CHRISTIANA BOROUGH,  
LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA TO ENTER INTO AN  
INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH ATGLEN BOROUGH,  
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
PROVIDING POLICE SERVICES TO ATGLEN BOROUGH**

WHEREAS, Christiana Borough, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania and Atglen Borough, Chester County, Pennsylvania, (collectively the "Municipalities") are political subdivisions in adjacent counties;

WHEREAS, the Municipalities desire to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement in order for Christiana Borough to provide police services within Atglen Borough to and for the Borough;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 23, Subchapter A, Intergovernmental Cooperation, of the General Local Government Code, 53 Pa. C.S.A. §2301, et. seq. (Intergovernmental Cooperation Law), a municipality may enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement under the passage of an Ordinance by its governing body;

WHEREAS, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act provides that any joint cooperation agreement shall be deemed enforced as to any municipality when the same has been adopted by Ordinance by all cooperating municipalities; and

WHEREAS, Christiana Borough desires to enact such an Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Borough Council of Christiana Borough, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania as follows:

***Section 1.***

The caption of and recitals to this Ordinance are set forth above and are incorporated herein by reference.

*Section 2.*

Christiana Borough hereby approves entering into a Police Services Contract , a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (and which shall be filed with the Minutes of the meeting at which this Ordinance was enacted) with the intent and effect that Christiana Borough shall be bound by the Agreement.

*Section 3.*

This Borough is authorized to enter into the Intergovernmental Agreement for the purposes contained therein. This action is to be taken by the officials or employees of the Borough designated for this purpose, pursuant to general or specific instructions issued by the Borough Council.

*Section 4.*

As required by the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act the following matters are specifically found and determined:

- A. The conditions of the Agreement are set forth in the Intermunicipal Agreement/Police Services Contract referred to in Section 2.
- B. The Intermunicipal Agreement/Police Services Contract shall commence on April 1, 2013 and continue through March 31, 2014 unless terminated as permitted under the agreement.
- C. The purpose of the Agreement is for Christiana Borough to provide police services to Atglen Borough as permitted under the Borough Code.
- D. The costs and financing associated with the police services are set forth in the Police Services Contract.
- E. No change in the existing organizational structure of the Christiana Borough Police Department is necessary to implement this Agreement.
- F. The Intermunicipal Agreement does not contemplate the purchase of any real or personal property.

**Section 5.**


This Ordinance shall be effective on the date of the adoption of the Ordinance by the last of the municipalities approving the Intermunicipal Cooperation Planning Agreement.

**Section 6.**

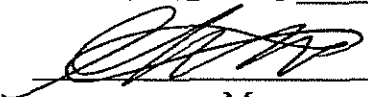
In the event any provision, section, sentence, clause, or part of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity, illegality or unconstitutionality shall not effect or impair the remaining provisions, sections, sentences, clauses or parts of this Ordinance. It being the intent of the Borough Council that the remainder of the Ordinance shall be and shall remain in full force and effect.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED by Christiana Borough Council this  
27th. day of March, 2013.


**THE BOROUGH OF CHRISTIANA**

  
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(President)

APPROVED THIS 27th. DAY OF March, 2013.

  
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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Secretary

[MUNICIPAL SEAL]