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ORDINANCE NO. 91-100

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING THE WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM TO BE OPERATED BY THE POCONO JACKSON JOINT WATER AUTHORITY AS THE EXCLUSIVE SOURCE OF POTABLE WATER FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION AND FOR ALL OTHER USES IN AREAS OF THE TOWNSHIP, REQUIRING ABUTTING PROPERTY OWNERS TO CONNECT WITH AND USE SUCH WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM, AUTHORIZING THE SUPERVISORS TO MAKE SUCH CONNECTION AND RECOVER THE COST THEREOF IN CASE OF NEGLIGENCE OR REFUSAL OF OWNERS TO DO SO, PROVIDING FOR INSPECTION OF THE CONNECTIONS AND PENALTIES.

WHEREAS, the underground waters of certain portions of Pocono and Jackson Townships have been adversely affected by the discharge into those waters of contaminants and pollutants from a source known as the Butz Landfill, and

WHEREAS, the contamination and pollution of the said waters of the township has rendered those waters unfit for human consumption and use, and

WHEREAS, the Butz Landfill and the affected areas of Pocono and Jackson Townships have been placed on the National Priorities List pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), PL 96-510, 42 USC 9601-9657, as amended and reauthorized, commonly known as "Superfund", and

WHEREAS, to provide potable and safe water for human consumption and use, the townships of Pocono and Jackson have formed the Pocono Jackson Joint Water Authority for the purposes, inter alia, of acquiring, holding, constructing, altering, improving, refurbishing, enlarging, furnishing water works, water supplies, water distribution

systems and the acquisition of lands or interests therein necessary for such purposes in the township, and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest of all citizens of the township that a public water supply and water supply system be provided in the township in the affected areas, and

WHEREAS, the Authority is proceeding to construct, or have constructed, a water supply system in an area designated as the service area, which is more particularly described as follows:

(insert description)

Bounded by North Road, Possinger Drive, Storm Lane, and Pennsylvania Legislative Route 715, and as may from time to time be amended by the Jackson - Pocono Joint Water Authority. , and

WHEREAS, pursuant to "Superfund" and applicable laws and regulations, there is to be constructed within the township a potable water system to be owned and operated by the Authority, in the designated service areas of the township, and at such other places within the township as the township may in the future be established by resolution of the township,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Supervisors of Jackson Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania as follows:

**Section 1: Definitions.** Unless the context specifically denotes otherwise, the meaning of the terms used in this Ordinance shall be as follows:

**Consulting Engineer**

The Registered Professional Engineer employed by the Township or the Authority for the design, supervision of construction, or operation

of the Water Supply System within the Township, or any member of his staff.

Service Line

The water line on the property of an abutting property owner from the water distribution line to the location of the meter in the building of an abutting property owner.

Water Meter

A device for measuring the quantity of water used to be installed by the Authority or Township on the premises of the abutting property owner.

Water Supply System

The water distribution system constructed in the Township and operated by the Authority and to include the acquisition of all necessary lands, easements and rights-of-way and the construction of a Water Works System including pumping stations, water distribution system, fire hydrants, valves and appurtenances thereto.

Section 2: Exclusive Source of Water. The water supply system to be constructed within the Township shall provide the exclusive source of water for human consumption and for industrial, commercial or farm use within that portion of the Township herein or hereafter designated by the Supervisors of the township or any part thereof, and abutting property owners shall connect with and use such water supply system in the manner herein provided. Within thirty (30) days following connection of the water supply system, each abutting property owners within the designated area shall permanently render any well or wells

on the property theretofore used for the production and provision of water for any purpose incapable of drawing, producing or providing any additional quantity of water, nor shall the well or wells be used to draw, produce or provide water for any purpose whatsoever. The Authority and the Township shall be empowered to establish rules and regulations concerning the disablement of any well within the designated area and to enforce the same.

Section 3: Mandatory Connection. Each owner of any house, building, structure or property used for human occupancy, employment, recreation, or other purpose situated within a designated area of the Township and abutting on any street, alley or right-of-way in which there has been constructed a water supply system shall connect to such water supply system in accordance with the following schedule:

a) If the cost of connection is borne by an agency of the federal government, then at such time as the connection is supplied and installed by the federal government or its contractors.

b) In all other cases, within sixty (60) days after the date of notice to do so given in the manner prescribed by law by the Supervisors of the Township or their agent.

Section 4: Payment for Connection.

Unless the cost of the connection, as hereinafter defined, is borne by an agency of the federal government, pursuant to law and regulation, then the cost of connection shall be at the sole expense of the owner of any property for which connection is mandatory.

Section 5: Connection by Supervisors or their Agents. In case any owner of property shall neglect or refuse to connect with said water system for a period of sixty (60) days after notice to do so has been served upon him by the Supervisors or their Agents, either by personal service or by register mail, the Supervisors or their Agents may enter upon such property and construct such connection. In such case, the Supervisors shall forthwith, upon completion of the work, send an itemized bill of the costs of construction of such connection to the owner of the property to which connection has been made, which bill shall be payable forthwith or the Supervisors may authorize the payment of the cost of construction of connections in equal monthly installments, to bear interest at a rate not exceeding 7% per annum, for a period not to exceed one year.

Section 6: Cost of Connection. The cost of construction of the connection shall include the cost of construction of the Service Line on the property of the abutting owner for the distribution line to a location within the building where the meter is located, including the cost of the meter and all necessary connections and equipment.

Section 7: Payment. The cost of construction of the connection shall be payable at the office designated from time to time by the Supervisors either in whole within thirty (30) days, or in equal monthly installments with interest at the rate of 7% per annum from the date of completion of construction. In case of default in the payment of any installment and interest for a period of sixty (60) days after the same shall become due, the entire cost of construction of connection and

accrued interest shall become due; and, the Township Solicitor shall proceed to collect the same under the general laws relating to the collection of Municipal claims.

Section 8: Application for Service. Each owner of any premises set forth in Section 3 hereof shall make application in writing to the Authority for water service. Such application shall be in such form as the Authority shall designate.

Section 9: Protection from Damage. No person shall maliciously, wilfully, or negligently break, damage, destroy, uncover, deface, or tamper with any structure, appurtenance, or equipment which is a part of the municipal water supply system.

Section 10: Powers and Authority of Inspectors. The Consulting Engineer and other duly authorized employees or agents of the Township or the Authority bearing proper credentials and identification shall be permitted to enter upon all properties for the purpose of inspection, observation, measurements, sampling and testing in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 11: Penalties.

a) Any person who shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall be served by Jackson Township with written notice stating the nature of the violation and providing a reasonable time limit for the satisfactory correction thereof. The offender shall, within the period of time stated in such notice, permanently cease all violations. Any person who shall continue any violation after such notice be subject to a fine in an amount not exceeding \$300.00 for each violation. Each day,

or part thereof, during which noncompliance with this ordinance shall continue, shall be a separate violation.

b. All fines and penalties imposed for violation of any part of this Ordinance shall be paid to the Treasurer of the Township of Jackson for the use of the Township. Default in payment of the fine and costs shall make the defendant liable to imprisonment for a term not to exceed thirty (30) days.

c. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, in addition to becoming liable for a fine and penalty, shall become liable to the Township for any expense, loss or damage occasioned the Township or the Authority by reason of such violation.

Section 12: Validity.

a. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

b. The invalidity of any Section, clause, sentence, or provision of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this Ordinance which can be given effect without such invalid part or parts.

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Supervisors of Jackson Township that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such invalid Section, Clause, sentence, or provision not been included herein.

Edward A. Pasquini  
Chairman

Joseph Paulin  
Vice Chairman

Robert E. Moore  
Supervisor

Jacqueline R. Romanelli  
ATTEST - Secretary-Treasurer

Original

ORDINANCE NO. 92-102  
JACKSON TOWNSHIP  
MONROE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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**JACKSON TOWNSHIP WELL ORDINANCE**

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An Ordinance of the Township of Jackson, County of Monroe, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Amending Ordinance 92-102 adopted August 13, 1992, ordained, and adopted at a meeting held on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1992, to provide for construction of new wells, replacement of nonfunctioning wells or springs and any other water supply used for domestic consumption purposes in Jackson Township, hereinafter known as the "Jackson Township Well Ordinance".

**SECTION 1**  
PURPOSE

This Ordinance is to protect all existing wells and those to be constructed, to maintain proper isolation distances between new and existing sewage systems, and to protect the quality of domestic drinking water within the township.

**SECTION 2**  
APPLICABILITY

This Ordinance shall apply to any well drilled, dug,



installed or constructed after the effective date of this Ordinance and all wells which are not in operating condition capable of supplying potable water in reasonably sufficient quantities at the effective date of this Ordinance and which wells are to be repaired, provided that no permit shall be required if the cost of repair is less than \$800.00.

**SECTION 3**  
**REQUIREMENT FOR PERMIT**

a. No person or persons shall construct, reconstruct or repair any well within Jackson Township, which repairs exceed the sum of \$800.00, unless a well permit authorizing the work has been issued by the Jackson Township sewage enforcement officer (SEO) pursuant to the terms of this Ordinance.

b. As used in this Ordinance, the term construct shall mean and include the terms dig, drill and install a well. The terms reconstruct or repair shall include any activity or work of any kind needed to return a previously constructed well to the production of potable water or the production of water in quantities sufficient for the reasonable needs of the applicant.

**SECTION 4**  
**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT**

a. The applicant for a well permit shall submit to the SEO, on a form to be provided by the SEO, such information as is deemed necessary by the SEO to determine that a well may be constructed, reconstructed or repairs in conformity with this Ordinance. As a minimum, the applicant shall supply a drawing to scale of the

subject property showing the location of all buildings and structures (existing or proposed), all easements and setback lines, the location of the proposed well or wells, the location of any existing well or wells, any existing or proposed water supply lines, the location of all sewage systems, existing or proposed, specifically designating the absorption areas and treatment tanks on the property for which the permit is sought and any other septic systems, to include the absorption areas and treatment tanks, within the isolation distances set forth elsewhere in this Ordinance. In lieu of the drawing to scale, the applicant may submit an existing sewage system plot plan, providing that all necessary information is contained thereon. The applicant shall also provide the name, address and telephone number of the person or entity who or which will perform the well construction, reconstruction or repair.

b. If any required information is reasonably unavailable to the applicant, the application shall not be denied, but the SEO shall make a diligent independent determination of the location of such features or structures as may be necessary in considering the application, including the location of any previously permitted septic systems within the isolation distance from the proposed well for which the permit is sought.

c. Upon submittal of a well permit application, the township SEO shall inspect the site concerning said permit to insure compliance with this Ordinance and issue or deny said permit within fifteen (15) calendar days. In the event that a well

permit is denied, the township SEO shall promptly inform the applicant in writing of the reason or reasons for denial.

d. No well permit shall be issued and no well shall be constructed, reconstructed or repaired within the area designated from time to time by the township as the service area of the Pocono/Jackson Joint Water Authority (the Authority), pursuant to Ordinance 92-14 and resolutions amended the designated area, adopted pursuant thereto.

e. The prohibitions found at Section 4d hereof shall not apply to the repair or reconstruction of any well within the designated area which has been determined exempt from closure under any ordinance or resolution of the Board of Supervisors, and which well is maintained and tested pursuant to the rules of the Authority.

f. The application shall be made by and the permit issued in the name of the owner or lessee of the property or the person or entity who or which will have beneficial use of the well.

g. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Ordinance, the Pocono/Jackson Joint Water Authority, or any other agency of competent jurisdiction, may construct, maintain, reconstruct and repair a well or wells, whether or not within the designated area as defined by Ordinance 92-14 and any resolution amending the designated area as may from time to time be adopted, and without regard to the design standards and siting limitations set forth in Section 7 of this Ordinance, which well or wells are constructed to test for and monitor the existence, content or migration of

known or suspected contaminants. Provided, however, that no such well shall be used for any purpose other than as stated herein.

**SECTION 5**  
**FEE**

The fee for a well permit shall be set by the Board of Supervisors and shall be a part of the fee schedule for the SEO, and changed only by resolution of the Board of Supervisors. Provided, however, that no fee shall be charged for any well to be constructed, maintained, reconstructed or repaired as a well to test and monitor the underground waters of the township pursuant to Section 4g of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 6**  
**PERMIT**

Upon approval of the application for a well permit, the SEO shall retain the original permit in the files of the township, which permit shall be available for public inspection during regular business hours of the township. Two duplicate originals shall be issued to the applicant, one of which shall be posted conspicuously on the property where the well is or is to be located and the other shall be delivered to any person or entity constructing, reconstructing or repairing the well.

The well permit shall be valid for a period of three (3) years from the issue date. If the well is not completed within three (3) years, the permit shall expire and be without effect.

**SECTION 7**  
**DESIGN STANDARDS AND CONSTRUCTION**

No well permit shall be issued nor shall any well be constructed within one hundred (100) feet of the perimeter of any existing or previously permitted sewage system absorption area nor within fifty (50) feet of any existing or previously permitted sewage system treatment tank. No water supply line under pressure shall be located within ten (10) feet of the absorption area perimeter or treatment tank. These isolation distance shall be maintained notwithstanding that an absorption area of treatment tank exists, or for which an unexpired permit has been issued, on land under ownership other than that of the applicant, unless a variance shall first be granted by the Board of Supervisors upon application therefor. The terms absorption area and treatment tank shall have the meaning given them at 25 Pa. Code Section 73.1.

No well permit shall be issued and no well shall be constructed within ten (10) feet of any lot line or within twenty-six and one-half (26 1/2) feet of the center line or ten (10) feet of the cartway, whichever is greater, of any road abutting or traversing the property upon which the well is to be construed, unless a variance is first obtained upon application to the Jackson Township Board of Supervisors. All wells shall be constructed in accordance with the Pennsylvania DER construction standards for individual water supplies. All public water supplies shall be constructed in accordance with the Pennsylvania DER construction standards as set forth in the public water supply

manual and 25 Pa. Code at Chapter 109.

Thirty (30) days after completion of the completed well, the person or entity constructing the well shall submit a copy of the PA DER form WW-1 to the SEO of Jackson Township.

**SECTION 9**  
**PENALTY**

a. Any person or entity obligated to apply for and obtain a well permit pursuant to this Ordinance and who fails to do so, or who otherwise violates any other provision of this Ordinance, shall, upon being found liable therefor in a civil enforcement proceeding commenced by the township, pay a judgment of not more than \$500.00 plus all court costs, including reasonable attorney fees incurred by the township as a result thereof. No judgment shall commence or be imposed, levied or payable until the date of the determination of a violation by the District Justice. If the defendant neither pays nor timely appeals the judgment, the Township may enforce the judgment pursuant to the applicable rules of civil procedure. Each day that a violation continues shall constitute a separate violation, unless the District Justice determines that there was a good faith basis for the person, partnership or corporation violating the ordinance to have believed that there was no such violation in which event there shall be deemed to have been only one such violation until the fifth day following the date of the determination of the violation by the District Justice and thereafter each day that a violation

continues shall constitute a separate violation. All judgments, costs and reasonable attorney fees collected for the violation of zoning ordinances shall be paid over to the Township.

b. Any person who constructs, reconstructs or repairs wells for compensation or other valuable consideration who commences to construct, reconstruct or repair any well prior to the issuance of the required permit to the applicant in accordance with this Ordinance, or who otherwise violates this Ordinance, shall upon being found liable, therefore in a civil enforcement proceeding commenced by the township pay, a judgment of not more than \$500.00 plus all court costs, including reasonable attorney fees incurred by the township as a result thereof. No judgment shall commence or be imposed, levied or payable until the date of the determination of a violation by the District Justice. If the defendant neither pays nor timely appeals the judgment the township may enforce the judgment pursuant to the applicable rules of civil procedure.

c. The Court of Common Pleas, upon petition, may grant an order to stay, upon cause shown, tolling the per die find pending a final adjudication of the violation and judgment.

**SECTION 10**  
**SEVERABILITY**

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable and if any provisions thereof shall be held to be unconstitutional, invalid or illegal by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining

provisions of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this Ordinance would have been enacted had such unconstitutional invalid or illegal provision not be included therein.

**SECTION 11**  
**LIABILITY**

No responsibility or liability for the construction of any well shall be deemed to be placed upon the Township of Jackson or any of its officers, agents, or employees by virtue of the terms of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 12**  
**EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after the date of its adoption. Upon becoming effective, Ordinance 92-102 is repealed, ~~to the extent it is inconsistent with this Ordinance.~~

Duly enacted and adopted this 10 day of December, 1992.

BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
JACKSON TOWNSHIP

Edward M. Posing

Jack Reed Jr.

Eric R. Aul



ORDINANCE NO. 96-100

AN ORDINANCE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF JACKSON, COUNTY OF MONROE  
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 92-102  
COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE "WELL ORDINANCE" TO PROVIDE FOR ENFORCEMENT AND  
PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION

WHEREAS, it is the desire of Jackson Township Board of Supervisors of Monroe County, Pennsylvania, to amend portions of Ordinance No. 92-102, commonly known as "Jackson Township Well Ordinance" in order to provide for penalties for violations and for enforcement thereof; and

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ordained and enacted into an Ordinance at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, this 18th day of April, 1996, the following provisions amending Ordinance No. 92-102, commonly known as "Jackson Township Well Ordinance:"

**SECTION 1:**

Section 10 of Ordinance No. 92-102 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**"Section 10: Liability, Violations, Penalties and Enforcement.**

"(a) It shall be illegal to commence construction of a well without first obtaining such a permit. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to the penalties and procedure for enforcement of zoning violations provided under Jackson Township's Zoning Ordinance and Pennsylvania's Municipalities' Planning Code §10617.2, as they may be amended from time to time.

(b) For the purposes of this Ordinance, each day of a continuing violation shall be considered a new and separate violation of this Ordinance.

(c) Any such fines collected hereunder shall be used for general Township purposes.

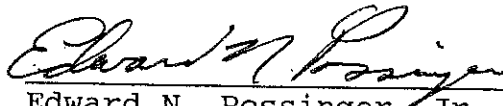
(d) No responsibility or liability for the construction of any well shall be deemed to be placed upon the Township of Jackson or any of its officers, agents or employees by virtue of the terms of this Ordinance."

**SECTION 2:**

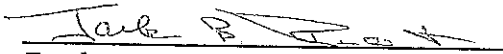
Any and all provisions contained in Jackson Township Well Ordinance, Ordinance No. 92-102, not expressly amended herein, shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Jackson Township Board of Supervisors have hereunto enacted the foregoing amendments to the Jackson Township Well Ordinance this 18th day of April, 1996, the same to be effective five days after enactment.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF  
SUPERVISORS



Edward N. Possinger, Jr., Chairman



Jack B. Rader, Jr., Supervisor



George Nixon, Supervisor

ATTEST:



Jacqueline Romanski, Secretary

JACKSON TOWNSHIP  
MONROE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2002-102

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF JACKSON, COUNTY OF MONROE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE JACKSON TOWNSHIP WELL ORDINANCE, NO. 92-102, TO PROVIDE FOR REGISTRATION OF AND CERTIFICATIONS BY ALL WELL DRILLERS IN THE TOWNSHIP; CERTAIN ADDITIONAL MINIMUM CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS FOR WATER WELLS IN THE TOWNSHIP; AND CERTIFICATION OF THE COMPLETION OF WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION IN THE TOWNSHIP.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Jackson Township ("Supervisors") deem it to be in the best interests, and for the general welfare and safety, of the citizens and residents of Jackson Township ("Township") to amend the existing Jackson Township Well Ordinance, No. 92-102, to provide for registration of and certifications by well drillers in the Township, certain additional minimum construction standards for water wells in the Township, and certification of the completion of water well construction in the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Supervisors of Jackson Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, to wit:

**SECTION 1. Title:** This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "Jackson Township Well Ordinance Amendments."

**SECTION 2. Registration and Certification of Well Drillers.** Section 4 (Application for Permit), subparagraph (a) is hereby amended to add the following after the last sentence of said subparagraph 4(a):

"No permit shall be issued and no well shall be constructed unless the person or entity selected by the applicant to perform the well construction, reconstruction or repair has first registered with the Township and certified on a form provided by the Township that, in addition to any other requirements of law, all well construction, reconstruction or repair performed by the person or entity in the Township will be in accordance with the standards and requirements set forth in the Jackson Township Well Ordinance, as amended."

**SECTION 3. General Requirements.** Section 7 (Design Standards and Construction) of the existing Jackson Township Well Ordinance, No. 92-102, is hereby amended to add the following general requirements after the second paragraph of existing Section 7:

“All water wells constructed for any subdivision, land development or existing lot of record after the effective date of this Ordinance shall comply with the following minimum standards:

1. The top of the finished well shall be installed a minimum of eighteen (18) inches above the finished grade adjacent to the well. The land adjacent to the well shall be graded to provide drainage of water away from the well.
2. The top of the well shall be sealed with a sanitary seal or cover.
3. The annular space between the casing and bore hole shall be grouted to approximately five (5) feet of the top of the casing. The casing shall be at least forty (40) feet in length at least ten (10) feet into the bedrock. Grout shall be neat cement grout, Pozmix-cement grout, or concrete grout in accordance with Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection standards. The minimum space between the bore hole and the casing (annular space) shall be one and one-half (1 ½) inches. All grouting shall be done from the bottom of the annular space upward. When the annular opening is less than four (4) inches, grout shall be installed by pressure means. All casing shall be equipped with a regular driveshoe on the bottom end of the first piece of casing.
4. The completed well shall be disinfected.
5. The well driller shall furnish the owner of the well construction data within thirty (30) days of the completion of the well.
6. No new well that is not equipped with a double-check valve backflow preventer shall be connected to any water system.
7. All steel-casing pipes shall conform to ASTM or API Standards and shall be new or shall be pipe in like-new condition, which has been salvaged from a water well test hole or dry hole. All pipe shall be free of breaks, corrosion and dents and shall be straight and true and have not less than the dimension and weight specified below:

Nominal Size (in.)	Outside Diameter	Wall Thickness	Plain End Weight (lbs/ft)
4	4.500	0.237	10.79
5	5.563	0.258	14.62
6	6.625	0.280	18.97
8	8.625	0.277	24.7
10	10.750	0.307	34.24
12	12.750	0.330	43.77
14-30		0.375	
>30		0.500	

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NOTE: A four (4) inch nominal size casing with a wall thickness of 0.188 and a plain end weight of 8.66 may be used if it conforms to standard API 5L-6/91, Grade B, 60 KSI tensile strength. Other casings that meet the these minimum tensile strength standards shall be acceptable. For example, A53-89a, Grade B, may also be substituted.

8. All casings shall be joined by threaded couplings or welded joints. In the event that welded joints are used, all welding shall be completed by a welder who has been certified in welding.

Any well that is not being used for removing ground water from an aquifer, recharge, determining quantity, quality or level movement of ground water shall be properly abandoned at the property owner's expense following the guidelines established by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this Ordinance."

**SECTION 4. Water Well Completion Certification.** Section 7 (Design Standards and Construction) of the existing Jackson Township Well Ordinance, No. 92-102, is hereby amended to delete the third paragraph of existing Section 7 and to replace it with the following:

"On or before thirty (30) days after completion of the completed well, the person or entity constructing the well shall submit a copy of the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Form ER-TGS-15 to the Sewage Enforcement Officer of Jackson Township, and such person

or entity constructing the well shall certify, pursuant to 18 Pa. C.S.A. Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities, that the constructed well conforms to the standards and requirements of the Jackson Township Well Ordinance, as amended.”

**SECTION 5. Severability.** The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of the provisions hereof shall be found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in effect.

**SECTION 6. Repealer.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions conflicting or inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed but only insofar as same are in direct conflict or directly inconsistent with this Ordinance.

**SECTION 7. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after the date of its enactment.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED into an Ordinance at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, this *9th* day of *May*, 2002.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
JACKSON TOWNSHIP

*Jack B. Rader, Jr.*

Jack B. Rader, Jr., Chairman

*Donald C. Kresge, Sr.*

Donald C. Kresge, Sr., Vice Chairman

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Marjorie Gower, Supervisor

(Township Seal)