

**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024 – 12
A RESOLUTION ADOPTING & CORRECTING
SPECIFIC PROVISIONS OF THE
DEER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
FOR THE 2024-2025 SEASON**

WHEREAS, Section 163-4B of the Code of the Township of East Goshen requires the Board of Supervisors to designate the areas of Township land to be utilized for hunting as part of the Deer Management Program; and

WHEREAS, Section 163-4D of the Code of the Township of East Goshen authorizes the Board of Supervisors to identify Deer Management Groups to participate in the program; and

WHEREAS, Section 163-4F of the Code of the Township of East Goshen requires the Board of Supervisors to designate the days and times when Deer Management activities may occur; and

WHEREAS, Section 163-4G of the Code of the Township of East Goshen requires the Board of Supervisors to designate the procedure for reporting harvested deer; and

WHEREAS, Section 163-4H of the Code of the Township of East Goshen requires the Board of Supervisors to designate the procedure for reporting complaints; and

WHEREAS, Section 163-4I of the Code of the Township of East Goshen allows the Board of Supervisors to designate by resolution additional guidelines and procedures.

WHEREAS, Resolution 2024-08 passed by the Board of Supervisors on June 18th, 2024 provided certain dates when Deer Management is permitted and dates when deer management is prohibited.

WHEREAS, Resolution 2024-12 amends the dates where Deer Management is permitted and prohibited.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Board of Supervisors of the Township of East Goshen hereby adopts the following specific provisions for the 2024-2025 Deer Management Program:

Pursuant to Section 163-4B, the Board of Supervisors designates the open space in Bowtree/Clocktower, Supplee Valley East & West, Grand Oak/Millcreek and Wentworth for hunting as part of the Deer Management Program.

Pursuant to Section 163-4D, the Board of Supervisors authorizes the following Deer Management Groups to participate in the program: Chester County Trackers (Mill Creek/Grand Oak), Keystone Archers (Bowtree/Clocktower), Mainline Whitetail Managers (Supplee Valley), and Southeastern PA Deer Management Association (Wentworth).

Pursuant to Section 163-4F, the Board of Supervisors authorizes the following dates and times when Deer Management may occur: September 21, 2024 until January 25, 2025, excluding all Sundays except for following three dates: Sunday, November 17, 2024, Sunday, November 24, 2024, and Sunday, December 1, 2024, as permitted by Pennsylvania Game Laws, with the exception that **no Deer Management shall be permitted from November 28, 2024 through November 30, 2024, and from December 15, 2024 through January 1, 2025.**

Pursuant to Section 163-4G, the Board of Supervisors authorizes the following procedure for reporting harvested deer: Each hunter shall complete the Deer Management Program Harvest Report form for each harvested deer and forward it to the Township electronically within 48 hours of harvesting a deer.

Pursuant to Section 163-4H, the Board of Supervisors authorizes the following procedure for reporting complaints: Complaints shall be filed in writing and hand delivered or emailed to the Township using the following email addresses: ddavis@eastgoshen.org. Complaints may also be made by dialing 911.

Pursuant to Section 163-4I, the Board of Supervisors has no additional guidelines or procedures to designate at this time.

RESOLVED AND ADOPTED, this 17th of December, 2024.

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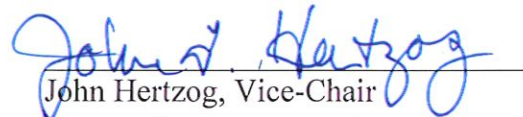
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Derek J. Davis, Secretary



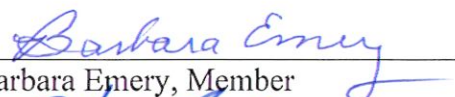
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