DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Resolution No 2008-003



RESOLUTION INVITING THE TWELVE DELAWARE COUNTY TOWNSHIPS TO MEET TO DISCUSS MODERNIZATION AND POSSIBLE REORGANIZATION

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the State of Indiana has granted broad powers under Ind. Code 36-1.5-4-10 and other provisions to encourage efficiency by and cooperation among political subdivisions to:

- (A) reduce reliance on property taxes; and
- (B) enhance the ability of political subdivisions to provide critical and necessary services.

WHEREAS, the statute allows the Board of Commissioners to initiate the effort of local government to consider modernization and possible reorganization by resolution;

WHEREAS, in response to this Resolution, the Townships may adopt a Resolution declining to participate, may adopt a substantially identical Resolution agreeing to participate, or may adopt a Resolution that differs with this proposed approach.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners hereby:

- 1. Propose modernization and possible reorganization in accordance with IC 36-1.5
- 2. Propose that Delaware County, Indiana and the following listed Delaware County, Indiana Townships:
 - A. Center Township

 E. Harrison Township

 I. Liberty Township

 B. Washington Township

 F. Hamilton Township

 J. Salem Township

 C. Union Township

 G. Delaware Township

 K. Monroe Township

 D. Niles Township

 H. Mt. Pleasant Township

 L. Perry Township

shall meet together with the Commissioners to consider modernization and possible reorganization.

3. The Clerk of Delaware County shall certify this resolution to the Clerk or Legislative Authority of the twelve (12) previously listed Delaware County, Indiana Townships in accordance with IC 36-1.5-4-10.

Approved and adopted the day of FEBRUARY 2008.

DELAWARE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

By: John H. Brooke, President

By: Larry Bledsoe, Vice President

By: Tom Bennington, Member

Judy Rust, Delawaye County Auditor

Thereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted this 4 day of FEBRUALY,

2008, by the Delaware County Board of Commissioners.

Clerk of Delaware County