



RESOLUTION 23-12

A RESOLUTION REGARDING APPEAL OF THE U.S.P.S. DENIAL REGARDING ZIP CODES IN THE TOWN OF MILLVILLE

WHEREAS, the Town of Millville, in Sussex County, Delaware, has experienced substantial growth in recent years, much of which is in the western and southern areas within the Town boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the United States Postal Service (U.S.P.S.) has indicated that many of these new subdivisions and businesses will be given mailing addresses with ZIP Codes other than 19967, which is the ZIP Code for the Town of Millville's more established northern and eastern areas; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Millville has concerns about the detrimental effects of these new businesses and residents within Town limits being assigned ZIP Codes other than 19967 and town names other than "Millville," such that the Town Council passed Resolution 23-07, which in pertinent part respectfully requests U.S.P.S. to revise its Zip Code Boundary Map or, alternatively, allow residents to use the name "Millville" as the town, followed by the property's assigned Zip Code; and

WHEREAS, on January 23, 2023, the Town received a letter from U.S.P.S. denying the Town's requests; and

WHEREAS, the Town continues to have the concerns that led to the unanimous vote by Town Council to pass Resolution 23-07;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Millville, that it hereby authorizes and directs the Town Manager or designee to appeal the denial by U.S.P.S. of both requests.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Manager is authorized and directed to gather and prepare additional information in support of the appeal and the requests to the U.S.P.S., submit the appeal and request, and engage in the Zip

Code boundary review process, with a certified copy of this Resolution being included as part of the appeal process.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this Resolution be forwarded to U.S. Senators Christopher A. Coons and Thomas R. Carper and U.S. Congresswoman Lisa Blunt Rochester.

I, Robert Wisgirda, Secretary of the Town Council of the Town of Millville, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Millville at its meeting held on **February 28, 2023**, at which a quorum was present and voting throughout and that the same is still in full force and effect.

ROBERT WISGIRDA
SECRETARY