PERKASIE BOROUGH **RESOLUTION NO. 2025-67**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF PERKASIE BOROUGH, BUCKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ACCIDENT & ILLNESS PREVENTION PROGRAM (AIPP) AND DIRECTING THE BOROUGH MANAGER TO EXECUTE AND ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM ON BEHALF OF THE BOROUGH.

WHEREAS, Perkasie Borough is a member of the Delaware Valley Workers' Compensation Trust (DVWCT), which provides risk control support, safety resources, and program guidance to reduce workplace injuries and workers' compensation costs; and

WHEREAS, DVWCT recommends that member municipalities adopt a formal Accident & Illness Prevention Program (AIPP) that meets the requirements of 34 Pa. Code §129.452 and establishes Borough policy for workplace safety; and

WHEREAS, DVWCT has provided Perkasie Borough with a model Accident & Illness Prevention Program Manual, which outlines procedures, responsibilities, training expectations, hazard identification methods, and other components necessary for a compliant and effective municipal safety program; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council recognizes that the implementation of a comprehensive accident and illness prevention program strengthens employee safety, reduces risk, supports compliance with state workers' compensation requirements, and promotes the general health and welfare of Borough employees; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council finds it in the best interest of the Borough to formally adopt the Accident & Illness Prevention Program and authorize its implementation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of Perkasie Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

Adoption of Program: Perkasie Borough Council hereby adopts the Accident & Illness Prevention Program (AIPP) as recommended by the Delaware Valley Workers' Compensation Trust.

Authorization to Execute: Borough Council hereby authorizes and directs the Borough Manager to execute the Accident & Illness Prevention Program document and any related forms, designations, or certifications required to implement the Program.

Implementation: The Borough Manager is further authorized and directed to take all necessary steps to implement the Program

Effective Date: This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS DULY ADOPTED by the Perkasie Borough Council on the 15th day of December, 2025.

ATTEST: Andrea L. Coaxum, Secretary

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BOROUGH OF PERKASIE: