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RESOLUTION 2020-013

TO ADOPT THE SUSTAINABILITY PLAN AS A GUIDE FOR THE TOWN OF MILTON AND TO RECOGNIZE DNREC, SERCAP AND THE SUTAINABILITY COMMITTEE FOR ITS DEVELOPMENT AND COMPLETION

WHEREAS, the Town of Milton, Delaware ("Town"), created the Sustainability Committee; a subcommittee from the Economic Development Committee, to assist in creating a Sustainability Plan with objectives, strategies and action steps for the Town and community to engage in towards becoming more sustainable; and

WHEREAS, the Sustainability Committee was formed as its own committee by Town Council's adoption of Resolution 2017-007 on May 1, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Milton Sustainability Plan was prepared by the Environmental Finance Center (EFC) at the University of Maryland College Park, the Southeast Rural Community Assistance Project, Inc. (SERCAP), and the Milton Sustainability Committee; and

WHEREAS, funding was received from the Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control's Climate and Sustainability Program (DNREC); members of such working groups developed the Sustainability Plan over several years through a number of community stakeholder meetings and outreach events where over 200 participants provided feedback and input;

WHEREAS, as the community's needs and priorities change, so must the Sustainability Plan; building the Town's core values, the document should be viewed as a guiding framework for some of the Town's greatest challenges, pursuing trusted solutions, and exploring innovative opportunities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Milton that the Sustainability Plan may be used as a guide to include recommendations for specific actions under the following five categories:

- 1) Good Governance;
- 2) Community Action;
- 3) Planning and Land Use;
- 4) Natural Resources; and,
- 5) Energy Consumption

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, Secretary of the Town Council of the Town of Milton do hereby certify that the above resolution was passed at the meeting of the Town Council, duly called and convened, held on the 31st day of August 2020, at which a quorum was present and voting throughout and that same is still in full force and effect.

TOWN OF MILTON
BY: James C. Gard
SECRETARY OF TOWN COUNCIL

DATE: 9/2/20