ORDINANCE NO. 2015-1

BOROUGH OF PORT CARBON TAX LEVY ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PORT CARBON, COUNTY OF SCHUYLKILL, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, FIXING THE TAX RATE FOR THE YEAR 2016 AT 14.149 MILLS

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PORT CARBON, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, FIXING THE TAX RATES FOR THE YEAR 2016

WHEREAS, the Borough of Port Carbon is required to annually ordain its real estate tax rate under the Borough Code at 53 P.S. § 46310 following adoption of its annual budget;

WHEREAS, the Borough of Port Carbon, as part of its budget publication process, advertised its millage rate at 14.149, and said budget has been opened to public inspection;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Port Carbon, County of Schuylkill, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, that a tax be and the same is hereby levied and increased on all real property and occupations within the Borough of Port Carbon subject to taxation for the fiscal year 2016 as follows:

1. Real property tax assessment is hereby fixed at 14.149 mills for general purposes

2. Local Services Tax is hereby fixed at \$ 52.00 (\$ 5.00 School District, \$ 47.00 Borough)

3. Earned Income Tax one-half percent ($\frac{1}{2}$ %)

4. Real Estate Transfer Tax 1%

5. Per Capita \$ 5.00

6. Occupation \$ 8.75

7. The garbage fee for 2016 will remain at \$ 180.00 per household, to be paid in quarterly installments of \$ 45.00

All ordinances, or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable and if any clause, sentence, word, section, or provision is declared void or unenforceable for any reason, by any court of

competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any portion of the ordinance other than said part or portion thereof.

Any ordinances not in conflict herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 2. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any clause, sentence, word, section, or provision is declared void or unenforceable for any reason, by any court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any portion of the ordinance other than said part or portion thereof.

SECTION 4. Any ordinances not in conflict herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

ADOPTED this 8th day of December, 2015.

PORT CARBON BOROUGH

ATTEST:

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SANDRA L. PALOKAS Borough Secretary/Treasurer

BY: John P. Franko

Council Vice-President

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APPROVED on the date above written.

Charles "Chuck" Joy, Mayor