NOTICE TO RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS OF MAIDENCREEK TOWNSHIP

Notice is given that the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Maidencreek, Berks County, PA, will hold a public hearing, followed by a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors on March 12, 2015, 7:00 P.M. at the Maidencreek Township Building, 1 Quarry Road, Blandon, PA 19510, the purpose of which is to inform the public, obtain public comment AND adopt an Ordinance amending the Maidencreek Township Code of Ordinances by amending Chapter 151 of the Code (Peddling and Soliciting) to include itinerant vendors, set forth the information required in an application for permit, add a certificate of insurance requirement, and limit peddling activities to appropriate days/times. A summary of the terms concerning this Ordinance is set forth below. At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Supervisors will convene their regular monthly meeting during which they intend to adopt this Ordinance. The full text of the Ordinance may be examined without charge or copies obtained for actual cost of copying at the Maidencreek Township Municipal Building, 1 Quarry Road, Blandon, PA 19510, between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Monday through Friday. All interested parties may appear and be heard.

Diane Hollenbach -Township Manager

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 237

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAIDENCREEK, BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, CHAPTER 151, ENTITLED PEDDLING AND SOLICITING, TO INCLUDE ITINERANT VENDORS, LIMIT DAYS/TIMES FOR PEDDLING/SOLICITING, AND REQUIRE INSURANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP AS NAMED INSURED.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Maidencreek, as follows:

Section 1. Amendments to Defined Terms.

Amends Section 151-1 removing exclusion of manufacturer/producer in sale of bread/bakery products or meat/meat products, and includes definition of itinerant vendor.

Section 2. Amendments to Permit Required.

Amends Section 151-2 to required permit for itinerant sales.

Section 3. Amendments to Issuance of Permit

Amends Section 151-4 to include language which provides permits shall be issued subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Board of Supervisors of the Township.

Section 4. Amendments to Fixed Location Upon Street or Sidewalk Prohibited

Amends Section 151-6 to exclude itinerant vendors.

Section 5. Addition of Permitted Hours of Peddling/Soliciting

Adds Section 151-10 to permit peddling/soliciting M-F 9:30am - 6:00pm, Saturday 9:30am - 5:00pm, prohibits peddling/soliciting on Sundays and Federal Holidays.

Section 6. Addition of Insurance Required

Adds Section 151-11 to require Certificate of Insurance in amount of $500,000 with Township as the named insured.

Section 7. Repealer

Inconsistent ordinances are repealed.

Section 8. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days from the date of enactment.