POCONO TOWNSHIP
MONROE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF POCONO, COUNTY OF MONROE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF POCONO TOWNSHIP, CHAPTER 398, TAXATION, ARTICLE IV, AMUSEMENT TAX; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT HEREWITH

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Pocono has deemed it necessary to amend the Code of Ordinances of Pocono Township, Chapter 398, Taxation, Article IV, Amusement Tax.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Pocono, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION I. Chapter 398, Taxation, Article IV, Amusement Tax, Section 398-37, Imposition of Tax, is hereby amended in its entirety to now read as follows:

"§ 398-37 Imposition of Tax.

A tax is hereby levied, assessed and imposed, for general Township purposes, upon the admission to each and every amusement within the Township, at the rate of 5% of the admission charged and collected, such tax to be paid by the person charged or paying the admission; provided, where no fixed admission is charged, the tax shall be paid upon the gross amount collected, and shall be paid by the producer, if not paid by the person charged or paying such admission."

SECTION II.   **REPEALER**

Any existing ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, to the extent of such conflict and no further, are hereby repealed.

SECTION III.   **SEVERABILITY**

If any part, section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, phrase, clause, term, or word in this Ordinance is declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining portions of the Ordinance.

SECTION IV.   **ENACTMENT**

This Ordinance shall take effect February 11, 2022.

ENACTED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners this _____ day of _____, 2021.

ATTEST: **TOWNSHIP OF POCONO,**
                                                       MONROE COUNTY

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TAYLOR MUNOZ   **RICHARD WIELEBINSKI**
Township Manager   **President, Board of Commissioners**