

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ABINGTON
ORDINANCE NO. 81

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE AFFIXING AND
MAINTAINING OF NUMBERS UPON ALL BUILDINGS
IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ABINGTON BY THE
OWNERS THEREOF, ACCORDING TO THE PLAN
HEREBY INCORPORATED INTO THIS ORDINANCE
AS PRESENTED AND AS FROM TIME TO TIME
BROUGHT UP TO DATE, AND PRESCRIBING
PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

The Township of South Abington, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania hereby ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. The word "building", as used in this ordinance, shall mean any structure used or intended to be used as a dwelling or place of business or industry, or any other use requiring a location identity, but shall not include any accessory building located upon a lot where there is also a main building.

SECTION 2. The maps known as South Abington Township Street Number Plan bearing the same date as this ordinance is hereby incorporated into this ordinance. The said maps shall be maintained current by the addition of new buildings as constructed, by the Township Manager and/or Township Secretary.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Township to notify present owners of properties of the new number which has been assigned to said properties which will require a number, and it shall be the duty of such owner so notified within thirty (30) days to comply with the further provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. Numbers, as assigned to each building in the Township according to the provisions of this ordinance, shall be affixed to or

painted upon or carved upon such building or upon a permanent standard, base or support between such building and street. Each number shall be at least three (3) inches high, shall be of such color and material as to be visible from the street and shall be constantly maintained in complete and legible form. The property owner shall reaffix or renew all numbers that shall not continue to conform to the requirements of this section.

PROVIDED: In the case of buildings occupied by other than by the owner thereof, the occupant, rather than the owner, shall be responsible for maintaining numbers upon such buildings as hereby required.

SECTION 5. Whenever a building shall hereafter be erected in the Township, the owner thereof shall forthwith apply to the Township Manager and/or Township Secretary for the official number thereof. The number shall be assigned by the Township Manager and/or Township Secretary in conformity with the requirement set forth in this ordinance for numbers for existing buildings and shall, within thirty (30) days after being assigned to such building, be affixed by the owner thereof in the manner required by this ordinance in the case of existing buildings and shall thereafter be maintained as hereby required for the numbers of existing buildings.

SECTION 6. Any person, firm or corporation who or which shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than ten (10) dollars and costs of prosecution. PROVIDED: Each week's continuance of a violation of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

ENACTED and ORDAINED this 9th day of APRIL, 1984

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ABINGTON

Attest:

Bernard Phillips

By: William LeVelle

Alfred Sobott

C. W. Stanton

Board of Supervisors