BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SCHUYLKILL TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION NO. 95-3

WHEREAS, PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY, ALSO KNOWN AS PECO, HAS LAUNCHED WHAT IS POPULARLY AND APPROPRIATELY CONSIDERED TO BE A "HOSTILE TAKEOVER" OF PENNSYLVANIA POWER AND LIGHT, ALSO KNOWN AS PP&L; AND

WHEREAS, PP&L SERVES SCHUYLKILL TOWNSHIP, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY. PP&L HAS ALWAYS HELPED OUR NEEDY CITIZENS WITH EMERGENCY SHELTER, WEATHERIZATION, AND ENERGY ASSISTANCE AND HAS COMMITTED ITSELF TO LONG RANGE PLANNING AND IMPROVEMENT OF MANY QUALITY OF LIFE ISSUES IN SCHUYLKILL COUNTY; AND

WHEREAS, PP&L'S SOUND PRACTICES TO PRODUCE BETTER SERVICE AND LOWER RATES FOR THOSE COSTUMERS THEY NOW SERVE, IS A QUALITY SERVICE PROVIDER, A GOOD CORPORATE CITIZEN, AND IS A LEADER IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT; AND

WHEREAS, PECO'S CONSUMER ARGUMENT IS THAT ECONOMIES OF SCALE WILL PRODUCE CONSUMER SAVINGS, YET 1,100 JOBS WOULD BE ELIMINATED, POSSIBLY FROM THE PP&L SERVICE AREAS FUELING CONCERNS THAT ELIMINATION OF SERVICE POSITIONS IN OUR AREA WOULD COMPROMISE PUBLIC UTILITY SERVICE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SCHUYLKILL TOWNSHIP, URGE GOVERNOR TOM RIDGE AND JOHN QUAIN, CHAIRMAN OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION TO STAND FIRM, TAKE ALL NECESSARY ACTION, AND USE THEIR AUTHORITY TO BLOCK THE TAKEOVER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA POWER AND LIGHT. WE ALSO CALL UPON ALL LOCAL ELECTED OFFICIALS TO SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO SAID INDIVIDUALS IN SUPPORT OF BLOCKING THIS "HOSTILE TAKEOVER".

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SCHUYLKILL TOWNSHIP THIS 1st DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1995

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