RESOLUTION No. 9-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNSEL OF THE BOROUGH OF HEIDELBERG ADOPTING A CHILD PROTECTIVE CLEARANCE POLICY

WHEREAS, Pennsylvania has adopted and periodically amended the Commonwealth's Child Protective Services Law at 23 Pa.C.S § 6301, et. seq. and has promulgated regulations as authorized by that law; and

WHEREAS, The Borough of Heidelberg provides community functions and events where the expectation is that there will be children interacting with Borough employees or volunteers; and

WHEREAS, The Borough Council desires to adopt a policy, consistent with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania law, with the form and content attached hereto as exhibit "A," which is adopted and incorporated by reference as though more fully set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of Heidelberg, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, and is hereby resolved as follows:

Section 1: Child Protective Clearances Policy.

The Council of Heidelberg Borough approves and adopts a Child Protective Clearance policy as set forth in exhibit "A," and it directs that said policy be immediately given full force and effect.

Section 2: Severability.

The provisions of this resolution shall be severable, and if any of the provisions hereof shall be found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in effect.

Section 3: Construction.

Any Ordinance in conflict with this resolution shall take precedence to this resolution.

Any resolution conflicting or inconsistent with any of the provisions in this resolution is hereby repealed, but only in so far as it is inconsistent.

Section 4: Effective Date.

This resolution shall be effective immediately and shall remain effective till modified, revoked, or repealed by further resolution of the Borough Council.

Resolved and enacted this 20 day of December, 2016, by the Borough of Heidelberg.

Attest:

Harry Falk, Borough Manager/ Secretary

HEIDELBERG BOROUGH

Carrie Nolan, Council President

Approved, in testimony where have I have set here unto my hand and caused the seal of the Borough of Heidelberg to be affixed, 20 day of December, 2016.

Kenneth A. LaSota, Mayor

Exhibit "A"

THE BOROUGH OF HEIDELBERG CHILD PROTECTIVE CLEARANCE POLICY

Section 1: The Borough of Heidelberg will adopt and follow the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Law, 23 Pa.C.S.§ 6301, et. seq. and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

Section 2: Any information provided and compiled under the Child Protective Services Law shall be accessible only by the Heidelberg Borough Manager and shall not be released or accessible to any other individual or entity, except as provided by law.