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JUN 13 2023

Board of Supervisors  
James City County, VA

ORDINANCE NO.: 228A-1

JOINT EXERCISE OF POWERS AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, Virginia Code Section 15.2-1300 allows any two or more political subdivisions to enter into agreements with one another for joint action; and

WHEREAS, the County operates an Emergency Communications Center, a division of the Fire Department, to provide computer-aided dispatch services for Police, Fire, and Emergency Responders in the County; and

WHEREAS, York County manages a Regional Emergency Communications Center providing computer-aided dispatch services for Police, Fire, and Emergency Responders in York County, Williamsburg City, and Poquoson; and

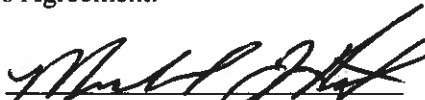
WHEREAS, the Board adopted a resolution on March 28, 2023, authorizing the County Administrator to negotiate an agreement with York County for consolidation of Emergency Communications; and

WHEREAS, the Board adopted an Ordinance on April 25, 2023, authorizing the County Administrator (1) to execute an agreement or agreements, in accordance with Virginia Code Section 15.2-1300, by and between James City County and/or York County, Williamsburg City, and Poquoson for the joint operation of a Regional Emergency Communications Center; (2) to take those steps necessary and appropriate to merge the County's Emergency Communications Center with the Regional Emergency Communications Center managed by York County; and (3) upon execution of the aforementioned agreement or agreements and upon merger of the County's Emergency Communications Center with the Regional Communications Center managed by York County, to convert the County's Emergency Communications Center into a backup Emergency Communications Center as needed for the Regional Emergency Communications Center; and

WHEREAS, a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement has been presented to the Board for approval in accordance with Virginia Code Section 15.2-1300; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance to approve the Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement has been advertised in a newspaper having a general circulation in the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, does hereby approve the Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement and authorizes the County Administrator to enter into such additional agreements and memorandums of understanding, subject to approval as to form by the County Attorney, as are contemplated and set forth in the Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement.



Michael J. Hipple  
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:



Teresa J. Saeed  
Deputy Clerk to the Board

	VOTES			
	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
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Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 13th day of June, 2023.