

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1004 Session of
2007

INTRODUCED BY BRUBAKER, FERLO, ERICKSON, LOGAN, RHOADES, BAKER,
ROBBINS, BROWNE, RAFFERTY, FOLMER AND MADIGAN, JUNE 25, 2007

REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT, JUNE 25, 2007

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P.L.1206, No.331), entitled
2 "An act concerning townships of the first class; amending,
3 revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating
4 thereto," further providing for intergovernmental
5 cooperation, joint ownership and maintenance.

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. Section 3013 of the act of June 24, 1931
9 (P.L.1206, No.331), known as The First Class Township Code,
10 reenacted and amended May 27, 1949 (P.L.1955, No.569) and
11 amended July 2, 1953 (P.L.321, No.69), is amended to read:

12 Section 3013. Intergovernmental Cooperation, Joint Ownership
13 and Maintenance.--[Townships may, jointly with cities, counties,
14 boroughs, other townships of either class, or any combination or
15 number of such units, acquire property for, operate and
16 maintain, any parks, public recreation areas and facilities. Any
17 school district may join with the township in equipping,
18 operating and maintaining parks, public recreation areas and
19 facilities and may appropriate money therefor.] (a) For the

purpose of acquiring property for, creating, equipping,
operating or maintaining a park, playground, playfield,
gymnasium, public bath, swimming pool or indoor recreation
center or public recreation area and similar facility or program
for public use, the board of commissioners may cooperate or join
with any one or more of any of the following:

(1) A local government in accordance with 53 Pa.C.S. Ch. 23
Subch. A (relating to intergovernmental cooperation).

(2) A nonprofit corporation.

(b) A township cooperating or joining with a nonprofit
corporation, as authorized under subsection (a) and except as
otherwise provided by law, shall comply with applicable
statutory requirements governing competitive bidding, written or
telephonic price quotations and execution of contracts.

Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.