## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 2234

Session of 1988

INTRODUCED BY CORRIGAN, SWEET, DALEY, KASUNIC, F. TAYLOR, BURNS, CLYMER, J. L. WRIGHT, MELIO AND REINARD, MARCH 14, 1988

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, MARCH 14, 1988

## AN ACT

- Amending the act of July 31, 1968 (P.L.805, No.247), entitled, 2 as amended, "An act to empower cities of the second class A, and third class, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships of 3 the first and second classes including those within a county 4 5 of the second class and counties of the second class A 6 through eighth classes, individually or jointly, to plan 7 their development and to govern the same by zoning, subdivision and land development ordinances, planned 8 9 residential development and other ordinances, by official 10 maps, by the reservation of certain land for future public purpose and by the acquisition of such land; to promote the 11 conservation of energy through the use of planning practices 12 13 and to promote the effective utilization of renewable energy 14 sources; providing for the establishment of planning 15 commissions, planning departments, planning committees and 16 zoning hearing boards, authorizing them to charge fees, make inspections and hold public hearings; providing for 17 appropriations, appeals to courts and penalties for 18 19 violations; and repealing acts and parts of acts, " providing 20 for an increase in use and occupancy permit fees for the 21 support of volunteer fire departments, ambulance and rescue 22 squads.
- 23 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 24 hereby enacts as follows:
- 25 Section 1. The act of July 31, 1968 (P.L.805, No.247), known
- 26 as the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code, is amended by
- 27 adding a section to read:
- 28 Section 509.1. Support of Volunteer Fire Departments,

- Ambulance and Rescue Squads. -- The governing body of a 1
- 2 <u>municipality may increase the fee for use and occupancy permits</u>
- 3 <u>in the amount of \$5 for the purpose of financial support for</u>
- 4 <u>local volunteer fire departments</u>, <u>ambulance and rescue squads</u>.
- 5 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.