PUBLIC NOTICE

The following proposed ordinance of the Borough of Chambersburg will be brought up for enactment within not less than 7 days or more than 60 days after the date of this notice. A meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 12, 2016 at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers, second floor, Municipal Building, 100 South Second Street, Chambersburg, PA to consider enactment of the following:

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-__

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF CHAMBERSBURG, CHAPTER A303, SUMMARY OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, BY ADDING TO SECTION XV, TAXATION, A NUMBER 15-104, FIXING THE REAL ESTATE TAX RATE FOR THE YEAR 2017, THE DISCOUNT AND PENALTY DATES AND THE AMOUNTS THEREOF AND FIXING THE COMPENSATION OF THE TAX COLLECTOR.

SECTION 1. That the Borough Manager's Proposed Budget of November 7, 2016 as is; and, the same is hereby adopted as the Annual Budget for the Borough of Chambersburg for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2017, and that the Town Council does herein establish the real estate tax levy.

SECTION 2. A tax is hereby levied on all real property within the Borough of Chambersburg, subject to taxation for Borough purposes, for the fiscal year 2017 as follows:

23.0 mils on each dollar of assessed valuation for General Borough Purposes.

2.5 mils on each dollar of assessed valuation for Fire Department and Ambulance Apparatus and Equipment (henceforth to be known as the "Richard Kasher Fire Tax").

SECTION 3. All taxpayers subject to the payment of these taxes shall be entitled to a discount of two per centum from the amount of such taxes upon making payment of the whole amount thereof within two months after the date of the tax notice and all taxpayers who shall fail to make payment of such taxes charged against them for four months after the date of the tax notice, shall be charged a penalty of ten per centum, which penalty shall be added to the taxes by the Tax Collector and collected by him.

SECTION 4. **Amend Subsection 75-1, Compensation, of Chapter 75, as follows:**

§ 75-1. Compensation.

The total amount of compensation paid to the Tax Collector for the collection of borough taxes levied shall be:

A. 2017	$15,950
B. 2018 and thereafter	The total amount of compensation paid to the Tax Collector for the collection of borough taxes levied, shall be 0.35% of all Borough taxes collected in any fiscal year.

Jamia L. Wright, Borough Secretary