## LOWER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA

## Proclamation

## IN RECOGNITION OF HURRICANE IDA RESPONSE

WHEREAS, Hurricane Ida, a deadly and massively destructive Category 4 Atlantic hurricane, devastated the South and brought torrential rain and life-threatening flash flooding to the Northeast U.S.; and

WHEREAS, the Lower Providence community was battered by the remnants of Hurricane Ida on September 1, 2021 with homes, businesses, and infrastructure severely damaged by historic flood waters and wind; and

WHEREAS, the storm required an unprecedented response from the community's law enforcement officers, firefighters, EMS, and Public Works crews; and

WHEREAS, these courageous and dedicated public servants not only met the challenge but placed themselves in great danger in order to provide assistance to the residents and businesses of Lower Providence.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors recognizes the extraordinary work and sacrifices of these selfless men and women, is comforted by their unfailing response in any emergency, and extends gratitude to them on behalf of all citizens of Lower Providence Township.

Peter MacFarland, Chairman

Lower Providence Township Board of Supervisors

December 16, 2021