

RESOLUTION NO. R 011 80

URGING THE HONORABLE JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR., UNITED STATES SENATOR; THE HONORABLE WILLIAM V. ROTH, JR., UNITED STATES SENATOR; THE HONORABLE THOMAS B. EVANS, JR., UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE; THE HONORABLE PIERRE S. du PONT IV, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE; AND JOHN E. WILSON III, ACTING SECRETARY OF DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL TO DO WHATEVER THEY CAN TO ASSIST IN THE REMOVAL OF DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN STORAGE AT SHARP-TOWN, MARYLAND

WHEREAS, a dangerous situation exists in Sharptown, Maryland because of illegal storage of dangerous chemicals; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that a spill of these chemicals will result in pollution throughout the entire Nanticoke River within thirty-six hours of that spill; and

WHEREAS, the Nanticoke River is important economically and recreationally to Sussex County,

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Sussex County Council urges The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr., United States Senator; The Honorable William V. Roth, Jr., United States Senator; The Honorable Thomas B. Evans, Jr., United States Representative; The Honorable Pierre S. du Pont IV, Governor of the State of Delaware; and John E. Wilson III, Acting Secretary of Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, to do whatever is necessary to see that these dangerous chemicals are speedily removed from Sharptown, Maryland; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Sussex County Council stands ready to lend its support in the removal of this danger to the major waterway in Sussex County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Resolution be sent to The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr., United States Senator; The Honorable William V. Roth, Jr., United States Senator; The Honorable Thomas B. Evans, Jr., United States Representative; The Honorable Pierre S. du Pont IV, Governor of the State of Delaware; John E. Wilson III, Acting Secretary of Department of Natural Re-

sources and Environmental Control; and the Honorable Ralph Cordrey,
Mayor of the Town of Sharptown, Maryland.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY
OF RESOLUTION NO. R 011 80 PASSED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF SUSSEX
COUNTY ON THE 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1980.

Emogene P. Ellis
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CLERK OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL