RESOLUTION NO. R 015 95

OPPOSING THE RURAL DEVELOPMENT REFORM ACT OF 1995

WHEREAS, the Sussex County Council Five Year Capital Improvements Plan includes \$83 million in projects; and

WHEREAS, the majority of these projects are water and sewer improvements for the residents of Sussex County; and

WHEREAS, the development of central water and sewer are critical in the protection of Sussex County's environment; and

WHEREAS, the Sussex County Council has been successful in obtaining Federal assistance in making these projects cost-effective for the residents of Sussex County; and

WHEREAS, the Rural Development Reform Act of 1995 would reduce the County Council's ability to obtain Federal funding; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Sussex County Council, having met in public session, encourages the Delaware congressional representatives in Washington, D.C., to oppose any reform that would reduce the County's ability to receive Federal assistance; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this Resolution be presented to Senator William V. Roth, Jr., Senator Joseph R. Biden, Jr., and Congressman Michael N. Castle.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF RESOLUTION NO. R 015 95 PASSED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF SUSSEX COUNTY ON THE 26TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1995.

Robin A. Griffith \ Clerk of the County Council