BOROUGH OF MOUNT POCONO MONROE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA ORDINANCE NO. 4 OF 2015

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT ORDINANCE CODIFIED AT MOUNT POCONO BOROUGH CODE §179-1

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mount Pocono has adopted a Stormwater Management Ordinance, which is codified at Borough Code §179-1, et seq.; and

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the Authority granted the Borough by the Pennsylvania Borough Code, the above referenced Ordinance is amended as follows:

- 1. §179-20.A is amended to include ¶5 as follows:
 - (5) For projects requiring an NPDES Stormwater Permit, the PA DEP standards and requirements relating to stormwater quality, volume control and temperature control shall supersede those specific requirements in this Chapter, except that the Runoff Rate Requirements of Table 305.1 in §179.14.A(2) must be met in addition to the PA DEP standards and requirements.
- 2. §179-15.B is repealed in its entirety and replaced with the following:
 - B. All calculations consistent with this Ordinance using the soil cover complex method shall use the appropriate design rainfall depths for the various return period storms according to NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration) Atlas 14 Point Precipitation Frequency Estimates, which is available online at http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/. If a hydrologic computer model such as PSRM or HEC-1 is used for stormwater runoff calculations, then the duration of rainfall shall be 24 hours. Rainfall distribution can be developed from the NRS (SCS) Type II Rainfall Distribution 'S' Curve shown in Figure B-1, Appendix B of this Ordinance or can be developed directly from the Atlas 14 Rainfall Information according to the instructions available from the NRCS (National Resources Conservation Service) which are available online at www.nrcs.usda.gov/.
- 3. Appendix B to the Stormwater Management Ordinance is repealed in its entirety and shall be replaced with the following:

NOAA Atlas 14 Point Precipitation Frequency Estimates, available online at http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/.

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

BOROUGH OF MOUNT POCONO

ATTEST:

Lori Noonan, Secretary

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John P. Finnerty, Council President

APPROVED this 5th day of October, 2015.

ATTEST:

Lori Noonan, Secretary

By:

Frederick T. Courtright, Mayor