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VECTOR CONTROL ORDINANCE

An ordinance to provide for the protection of the public health by controlling or preventing the spread of vector borne diseases and infections by the elimination of insanitary conditions, elimination of breeding and harborage areas, by extermination of the vectors, and by vectorproofing and the maintenance thereof in a sanitary and vector proofed condition.

BE IT ORDAINED BY the Supervisors OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF Read Township, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

SECTION (1)-Short Title

This ordinance shall be known as the "Vector Control Ordinance."

SECTION (2)-Definitions

For the purpose of this ordinance the following definitions shall apply:

(A) The term "vector" shall mean a rodent, arthropod, or insect capable of transmitting a disease or infection. Vectors shall include, but not be limited to rats, mosquitoes, cockroaches, flies, ticks.

(B) The term "vector proofing" shall mean a form of construction to prevent the ingress or egress of vectors to or from a given space or building or gaining access to food, water, or harborage. This term shall include, but not be limited to rat proofing, fly proofing, mosquito proofing.

(C) The term "breeding area" shall mean any condition which provides the necessary environment for the birth or hatching of vectors.

