

Committee on Standard Metropolitan
Statistical Areas Resolution, 1972 November 9

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RESOLUTION
OF
THE FLOOD RECOVERY TASK FORCE,
INC. of WYOMING VALLEY, PENNSYLVANIA

The Flood Recovery Task Force, Inc. recognizes that the need for coordination of the effort on the part of communities in Northeastern Pennsylvania to develop a metropolitan marketing area is more urgent and necessary than ever before in the history of these communities, especially since the devastation wrought by Hurricane Agnes in the Great Flood of 1972. The task of rebuilding our communities, our economic vitality and our markets requires that the communities and cities of Northeastern Pennsylvania join together and unify their efforts in the creation of a metropolitan marketing area.

The trend of federal and state planning in recent years has been to regionalize operations and to designate Northeastern Pennsylvania as an appropriate region. Evidence of this trend is the creation and organization of the Economic Development Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania, an agency carrying responsibility for the economic planning and development of this area.

The Health & Hospital Planning Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania, a "B" agency charged with comprehensive health planning, is likewise organized on a regional basis for Northeastern Pennsylvania. The cultural activities of the area are developing along these lines as evidenced by the Philharmonic Society of Northeastern Pennsylvania. The Northeastern Pennsylvania Industrial Commission, the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Department of Health of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania have established regional offices in Northeastern Pennsylvania to coordinate and effectively carry on the activities of these departments.

We believe that it is in the best interests of the citizens of Northeastern Pennsylvania and in the economic development of this area that the counties of Luzerne, Lackawanna, Monroe, Sullivan, Wyoming and Susquehanna be coordinated for this purpose and combined into one metropolitan statistical area to be known as the Northeastern Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

Be it, therefore,

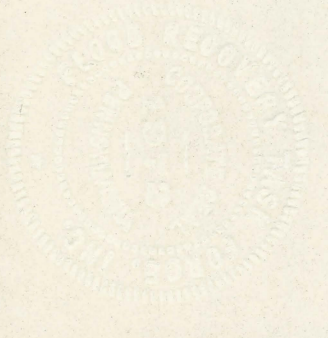
RESOLVED by the Flood Recovery Task Force, Inc. of Wyoming Valley at a meeting held this 25th day of August, 1972, that it recommend to the Federal Committee on Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas of the Office

of Management and Budget that it establish such a marketing area for the counties of Luzerne, Lackawanna, Monroe, Sullivan, Wyoming and Susquehanna and that it be designated as the Northeastern Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

Be it further

RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Roy L. Lowry, Chairman of the Federal Committee on Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas, Frank C. Carlucci, Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Senators Hugh Scott and Richard S. Schweiker, and to Congressmen Daniel J. Flood and Joseph McDade.

Witness the seal of this organization this 1st day of November, 1972.



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Secretary

November 9, 1972

Roy L. Lowry, Chairman
Committee on Standard Metropolitan
Statistical Areas
Office of Management and Budget
Executive Office of the President
Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Mr. Lowry:

Enclosed you will find a resolution adopted by the Flood Recovery Task Force, Inc. of Wyoming Valley. We strongly urge the creation of a metropolitan statistical area to be known as the Northeastern Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

Thank you kindly for your favorable consideration to this request.

Sincerely yours,

MAX ROSENN
Chairman

MR:cjr
Enclosure

cc: (with enclosure)

Frank C. Carlucci
Senator Hugh Scott
Senator Richard Schweiker
Congressman Daniel Flood
Congressman Joseph McDade
Hon. William W. Scranton

1. The first part of the paper is devoted to a general discussion of the problem of the existence of solutions of the system of equations (1) for arbitrary values of the parameters α and β . It is shown that the system has solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if the function $f(x)$ is continuous and has a bounded derivative.

2. In the second part of the paper the problem of the uniqueness of the solutions of the system (1) is considered. It is shown that the system has a unique solution for all values of the parameters α and β if the function $f(x)$ is continuous and has a bounded derivative.

3. In the third part of the paper the problem of the stability of the solutions of the system (1) is considered. It is shown that the system has stable solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if the function $f(x)$ is continuous and has a bounded derivative.

4. In the fourth part of the paper the problem of the asymptotic behavior of the solutions of the system (1) is considered. It is shown that the solutions of the system (1) tend to zero as $x \rightarrow \infty$ for all values of the parameters α and β if the function $f(x)$ is continuous and has a bounded derivative.

5. In the fifth part of the paper the problem of the periodicity of the solutions of the system (1) is considered. It is shown that the system has periodic solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if the function $f(x)$ is continuous and has a bounded derivative.