

**TOWNSHIP OF FAIRFIELD
WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 1-2026

**A RESOLUTION TO FILL A VACANCY ON
THE FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF AUDITORS**

WHEREAS, Frank Tantlinger has now submitted a written resignation from his position as a Member of Fairfield Township Board of Auditors to be effective as of the 5th day of January, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Section 407 of the Pennsylvania Second Class Township Code, 53 P.S. § 65407, addresses the manner for filling vacancies in elected positions, including Auditor; and

WHEREAS, the Fairfield Township Board of Supervisors has the first opportunity to fill such vacancies within thirty (30) days thereof by the appointment by resolution of a qualified Township resident; and

WHEREAS, the Fairfield Township Board of Supervisors now wishes to adopt this Resolution to officially accept the resignation and to fill the vacancy existing on the Board of Auditors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Fairfield Township Board of Supervisors at a public meeting duly assembled as follows:

1. That the resignation of Frank Tantlinger as an elected member of the Fairfield Township Board of Auditors is hereby accepted as of the 5th day of January, 2026.
2. That Daniel Sowers, having met the qualifications for the position as set forth in the law, be and hereby is appointed to the position of Member of the Board of Auditors effective the 5th day of January, 2026.

3. In accordance with the provisions of Section 407(f) of the Pennsylvania Second Class Township Code, 53 P.S. § 65407(f), this appointment shall be for the completion of term through the first Monday in January 2028.
4. A certified copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the Westmoreland County Elections Bureau.

RESOLVED at a public meeting duly assembled the 5th day of January, 2026.

TOWNSHIP OF FAIRFIELD

By: Paul J. Altimus
Chairman or Vice-Chair

ATTEST:

Carrie G. Santlinger
Secretary

I, Frank Tantlinger, resign my current auditor position that would have ended on the first Monday in January 2028.

Sincerely,

Frank Tantlinger