

RESOLUTION 7-2003

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF Schuylkill  
APPROVING SUBMISSION OF CDBG FUNDING REQUEST TO THE COUNTY  
OF SCHUYLKILL.

The Schuylkill Township Supervisors having met this 5th day of November, 2003,  
(name of municipality)  
in public session, has approved a funding request to the County of Schuylkill in  
the amount of \$ 10,000.00 for the project described below:

Demolition and removal of the structure located at 81 Back Street, Village of Mary-D, PA  
17952

The Municipal Governing Body authorizes alfred benesch & company to submit the  
application for funding on its behalf.

Approved:

By: Joseph Boran  
Chief Elected Official

Attest:

Mary E. Kubel  
Municipal Secretary

Affix Municipal Seal

**THIS RESOLUTION MUST BE ATTACHED TO APPLICATION  
AND SUBMITTED BY 4:30 P.M. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2003.**

7-2003

**SCHUYLKILL COUNTY**  
**F.Y. 2004 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM**  
**APPLICATION**

To: Schuylkill County  
Planning and Zoning  
Court House - 401 N. Second St.  
Pottsville, PA 17901-2528

The Township of Schuylkill intends to apply for funding for the project described below:

Check with type of activity your are applying for:

- 1. Water Lines
- 2. Sewer Lines
- 3. Storm Water Collection
- 4. Recreation
- 5. Street Improvements:
- 6. Handicap Barrier Removal
- 7. Economic Development
- 8. Demolition
- 9. Public/Community Facility:  
i.e. Community/Senior Center  
Fire Station Improvements
- 10. Other (Specify: \_\_\_\_\_)

**Provide Specific Location: Indicate Address, Street Intersection, Township or State Route:**  
Property #27-8-90 81 Back Street, Mary-D, PA 17952

**Provide Description of the Project:**

Demolish structure, dispose of debris at an approved landfill, break up any concrete basement slabs, backfill and grade site to provide positive drainage.

**What specific problems would be solved if this project is funded?**

The demolition of this property will eliminate a severely deteriorated structure that is a fire hazard and a danger to people of the Community.

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**What is the status of the project (i.e.: Right of way to be acquired, permits needed, engineering not yet done).**

Engineering and design work is to be completed

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**This project is expected to serve 160± households**

**Design work and specification will be provided, at our expense, by the engineering or architectural firm listed below:**

**alfred benesch & company**

400 One Norwegian Plaza, PO Box 1090

Pottsville, PA 17901

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**PROJECT BUDGET:**

General Fund	\$	_____
County CDBG Funds	\$	<u>10,000.00</u>
Other Funds	\$	_____
PennVest	\$	_____
Rural Development		_____
Administration (former FHA)	\$	_____
Bank Loan	\$	_____
CDBG Discretionary Grant	\$	_____
Other State Funds	\$	_____
Other Federal Funds	\$	_____

Engineering Fees  
(to be paid by Municipality) \$ 1,000.00

Estimated Total Project Cost \$ 11,000.00

Cost estimate prepared by:

Name: alfred benesch & company

Address: 400 One Norwegian Plaza, Pottsville, PA 17901

Telephone No. (570) 622-4055

Application submitted by:

Municipality Schuylkill Township

Name and Title of Chief Elected Official Joseph Boran

Chairman - Board of Supervisors

Joseph Boran  
Signature of Chief Elected Official

11/17/03  
Date

**OPENING STATEMENT**

**SCHUYLKILL COUNTY**

**2004 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2003**

**GOOD MORNING!**

The purpose of today's public hearing is to provide an opportunity for citizens to comment on the Community Development and Housing needs of the County that can be addressed through the use of Community Development Block Grant funds.

The County anticipates receiving approximately \$475,000 from the Pennsylvania Small Communities Program for Fiscal Year 2004. According to Federal regulations and guidelines, these funds must be used for activities that benefit low to moderate income persons or to eliminate slums and blight. A list of eligible activities has been made available for your use.

The application process has been advanced in order to provide sufficient time for municipal officials to incorporate local project costs into their 2004 budgets. Local project costs include engineering fees, which are the sole responsibility of the municipality.

Tom Gallagher, CDBG Compliance Officer, and Karen Parish, our consultant from Mullin and Lonergan Associates, will provide additional information on the Schuylkill County Community Development Block Grant Program.

We will then entertain any comments and questions from those of you in attendance.

