

Bullet Points – Fire Territory Appeal

1. The Fire Protection Territory has successfully appealed for the growth factor appeal for the last three calendar years.
2. In previous years, the Township Board had the authority to appeal on behalf of the FPT.
3. In 2024, the legislation changed and now requires the participating units to pass the growth factor appeal in addition to the Township Board. (Please see attached DLGF slide)
4. This appeal is critical to the future success of the VTFPT.
5. The VTFPT qualifies for \$675,686, but we are requesting \$725,000 in the resolution. Advertise/Adopt high and let the DLGF cut it back.
6. This is expected to have minimal impact on the total tax rate for the Township. The 2024 tax rate is .5127 and is expected to be .5137 in 2025.