

# Area Geography

Rapho Township has an area of 47.4 square miles, or 30,306 acres, which makes it the largest municipality in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

Rapho is bordered on nearly all sides by creeks and streams. The Chiques Creek borders our township on the east side, while the Little Chiques Creek flows along our western boarder. There are very few roads where one can enter or exit Rapho Township without crossing a creek or stream.

Approximately 95 percent of Rapho Township is zoned Agricultural, and at least 90 percent of the Agricultural Zone is used for agricultural purposes. The majority of Rapho's soils are prime agricultural soils. The township is committed to supporting the agricultural community.

