

RESOLUTION #R-10-2013

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO BE FILED WITH THE PA DCNR FOR FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE ACQUISITION OF 8.9 MILES OF THE TURTLE CREEK RAILROAD WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF MURRYSVILLE, MONROEVILLE, PENN TOWNSHIP AND TRAFFORD.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, as governing body of the COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND wishes to acquire 8.9 miles of the Turtle Creek Railroad within the municipalities of Murrysville, Monroeville, Penn Township and Trafford; and

WHEREAS, a grant application can be filed with the PA DCNR to obtain \$457,000.00 which constitutes 50% of the project total; and

WHEREAS, the Westmoreland County Parks and Recreation Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) is committing \$35,000 in matching funds; and

WHEREAS, the CAB is partnering with the Regional Trail Corporation and the Westmoreland Land Trust to raise the remaining matching funds via grant applications to other state agencies and private foundations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND, PENNSYLVANIA, AS FOLLOWS:

An application is authorized to be filed with the PA DCNR requesting funds in the amount of \$457,000.00 to support the acquisition of 8.9 miles of the Turtle Creek Railroad within the Municipalities of Murrysville, Monroeville, Penn Township and Trafford.

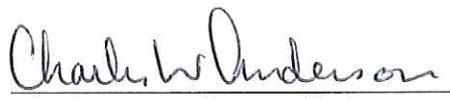
RESOLVED AND ENACTED this 28th day of March 2013 by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Westmoreland at a duly advertised public meeting with a quorum being present.

ATTEST:

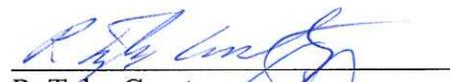
COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



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