

KENNETT TOWNSHIP
CHESTER COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-9

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF KENNETT TOWNSHIP, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE PRESERVATION OF CREBILLY FARM IN WESTTOWN TOWNSHIP.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Kennett Township (the "Board") recognizes that Crebilly Farm located in Westtown Township is a significant open space tract that includes areas of the Brandywine Battlefield, a setting that represents one of the largest single Revolutionary War areas in the War for Independence; and

WHEREAS, historic aspects of Crebilly Farm as set forth in a document presented by the Westtown Township Historical Commission for the Westtown Township Planning Commission Meeting in December 2016 clearly includes preservation recommendations as undertaken by the Chester County Planning Commission on behalf of the National Park Service, and

WHEREAS, the Board is aware that a developer has submitted a Conditional Use Plan for the creation of 319 residential lots and 197.2 acres of open space; and

WHEREAS, Kennett Township residents have expressed great dismay regarding the impact of this proposed development on natural and cultural resources, infrastructure, and roadways, given the scope of the project proposed by the Applicant;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOVLED by the Board of Supervisors of Kennett Township, that the Board supports the efforts of Westtown Township Consultants to require archaeological surveys, conservation design components, and open space and resource protection and any other studies or measures that will provide guidance in the preservation of Crebilly Farm; and

If any sentence, clause, section, or part of this Resolution is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality, or invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections, or parts hereof. It is hereby declared that the intent of the Board that this Resolution would have been adopted has such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid sentence, clause, section, or part thereof not been included therein.

RESOLVED and ADOPTED this 15th day of March, 2017.


Lisa M. Moore, Manager

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