

**RESOLUTION**  
**of the**  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF EAST NORRITON TOWNSHIP**  
**Supporting the Proposed Concept for**  
**THE LIBERTY BELL TRAIL**

*WHEREAS*, the Board of Supervisors of East Norriton Township has been involved in an intergovernmental planning project involving the preparation of a study to develop a 25-mile trail from East Norriton Township, Montgomery County to Quakertown Borough, Bucks County; and

*WHEREAS*, the intent of the study is to assess whether it is possible and practical to develop a trail utilizing the former route of the historic Liberty Bell Route trolley and to identify alternative alignments where the old trolley corridor is unavailable or to make the trail more functional and safe; and

*WHEREAS*, the trail is envisioned to serve both as a recreation and a transportation resource; and

*WHEREAS*, the Liberty Bell Trail Feasibility Study Committee (comprised of representatives from Montgomery and Bucks counties, the municipalities through which the proposed trail will pass, and the Regional Improvement Consortium and a local trail advocate) has reached a point in the trail planning process where a preferred alignment has been chosen with help from a planning consultant, The Waetzman Planning Group; and

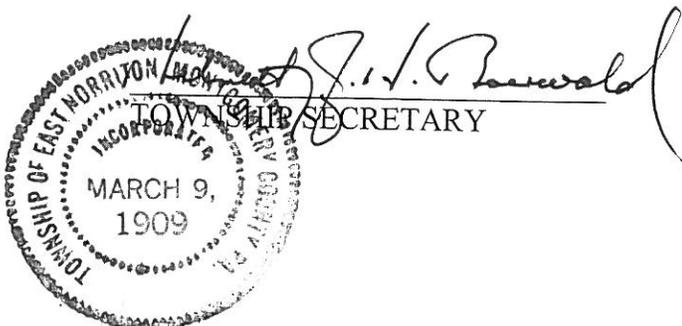
*WHEREAS*, the County of Montgomery is seeking municipal support for the proposed Liberty Bell Trail alignment.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* that the Board of Supervisors of East Norriton Township supports the concept of development of the Liberty Bell Trail and endorses the preferred alignment proposed by the Study Committee.

RESOLVED this 27th day of October, 2003.

ATTEST:

EAST NORRITON TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



  
CHAIRMAN