

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF WEST READING, COUNTY OF BERKS, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, SUPPORTING THE PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION FOR THE UNITED STATES SEMI-QUINCENTENNIAL (AMERICA250PA).

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania legislature and the Governor created AMERICA250PA in 2018 to plan, encourage, develop and coordinate the commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the United States and Pennsylvania's integral role in that event and the role of its people on the nation's past, present and future; and

WHEREAS, The Berks County Commissioners have unanimously adopted a resolution endorsing the Commonwealth effort to celebrate and commemorate the 250th anniversary of both the United States and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and

WHEREAS, the Berks County Commissioners hope to engage all 72 municipalities in Berks County through their many signatures and officially recognized programs, projects and events over the next five years by inspiring future leaders and celebrating all Pennsylvanians' contributions to the nation over the last 250 years; and

WHEREAS, by adoption of AMERICA250PA's four pillars of EPIC, we hope to educate, preserve, innovate, and celebrate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AND IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Borough of West Reading hereby endorses AMERICA250PA and the Berks County Commissioners in their mission to educate, preserve, innovate and celebrate every Pennsylvanian in every county and the 72 municipalities of Berks County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Borough Council of the Borough of West Reading officially supports Berks County and the work with AMERICA250PA on any and all activities as appropriate within Berks County. The participation will be strictly through voluntary roles, and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Berks County Commissioners and further to the legislative delegation and AMERICA250PA Commission.


Adopted at a duly constituted meeting of Borough Council this 20th day of July, 2021.

BOROUGH OF WEST READING

By: 
Philip Wert, Vice President Borough Council

Attest: 
Cynthia Madeira, Borough Secretary

Examined and approved this 20th day of July, 2021.


Andrew Kearney, Mayor