

RESOLUTION NO. 50- 2003

**RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BUTLER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT (TID) TO DONATE APPROXIMATELY 0.7 ACRE OF
REAL PROPERTY TO THE WEST CHESTER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PORT UNION-GILMORE PONDS
CONSERVATION CORRIDOR**

WHEREAS, the West Chester Township Board of Trustees supports efforts to preserve open space, conserve natural resources and develop recreational opportunities; and,

WHEREAS, the Port Union – Gilmore Ponds Conservation Corridor is intended to establish a riparian conservation corridor from State Route 747 to Gilmore Ponds, following the Mill Creek and the former Miami-Erie Canal; and,

WHEREAS, The Transportation Improvement District (TID) of Butler County wishes to make a land donation to the Township of West Chester in support of the Port Union-Gilmore Ponds Conservation Corridor; and,

WHEREAS, the parcel is situated in the heart of the Port Union – Gilmore Ponds Conservation Corridor and is no longer needed by the Transportation Improvement District of Butler County; and,

WHEREAS, the parcel of land to be donated by the Transportation Improvements District is 0.7 acres more or less and is located southeast of the Union Centre Boulevard Bridge.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the West Chester Township Board of Trustees does hereby:

SECTION 1. Request the Butler County TID to donate the 0.7 acres more or less for the preservation of the Port Union – Gilmore Ponds Conservation Corridor.

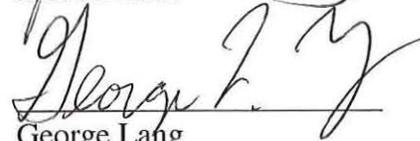
SECTION 2. Agree to accept the said donation from the TID for the preservation of the Port Union-Gilmore Ponds Conservation Corridor and apply the real property as a local match for the Clean Ohio Fund Grant.

Adopted the 13th day of January, 2004



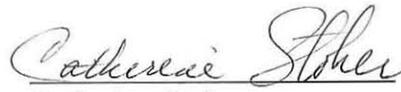
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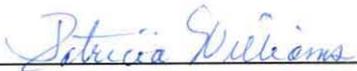
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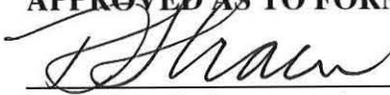
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ATTEST:



Patricia Williams, Township Clerk

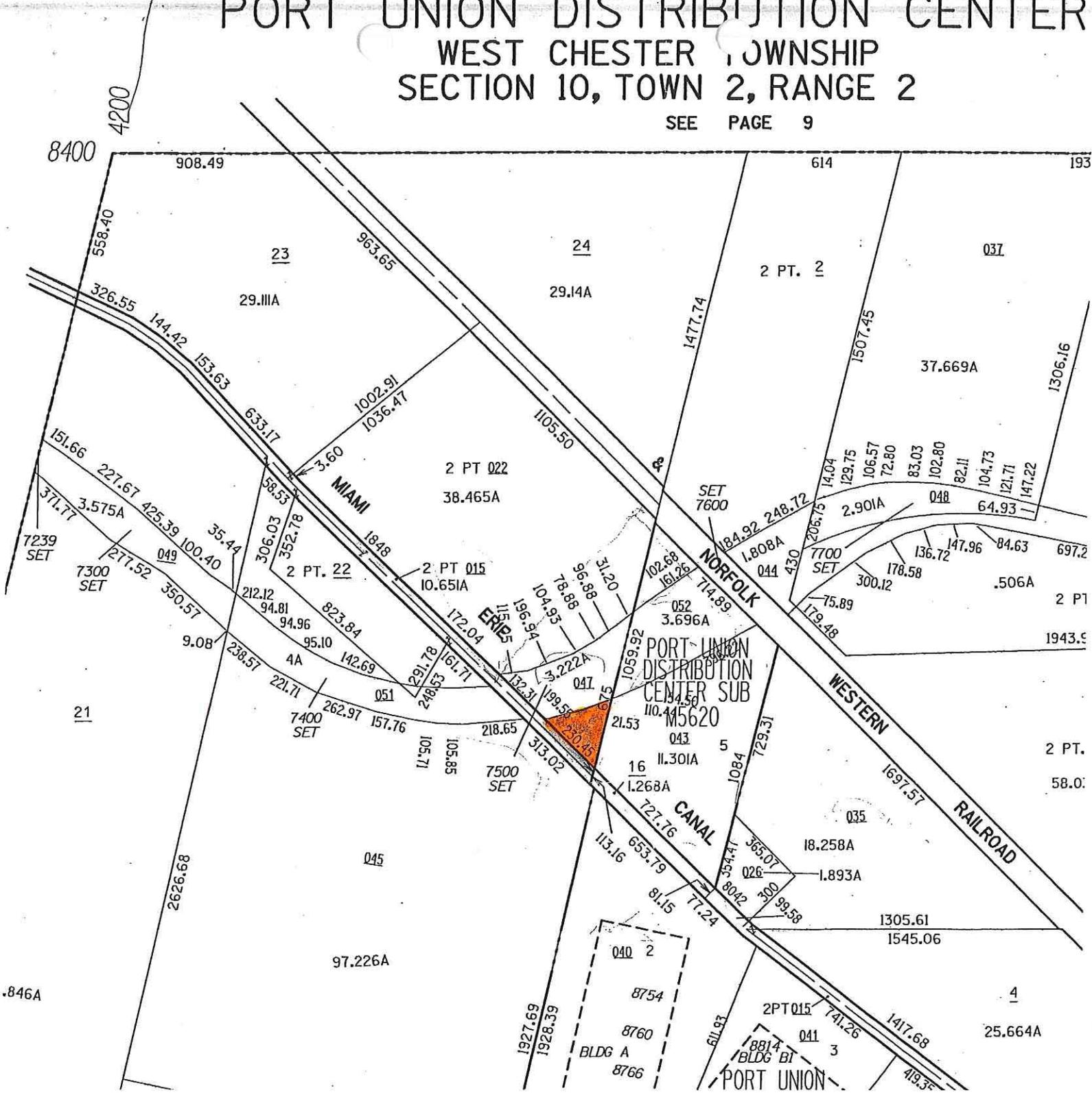
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Donald L. Crain, Law Director

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