RESOLUTION NO. 03-2001

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO ACQUIRE BY PURCHASE CERTAIN PRIVATE PROPERTY AND AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP CLERK TO APPROPRIATE SUCH FUNDS TO ACCOMPLISH SUCH PURCHASE

WHEREAS, Title 511.11 of the Ohio Revised Code grants authority to Board of Township Trustees to "acquire by purchase..." any private or public lands which it might deem necessary for its use, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Township Trustees has identified property located at 7709 John Cox Road, West Chester Township, Butler County, Ohio and more particularly described as listed in Exhibit "A" attached hereto, that would be necessary to the duties and goals of the Township;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Township of West Chester (hereinafter called the "Board"), County of Butler, Ohio, that:

- **Section 1.** The Board finds that property located at 7709 John Cox Road, West Chester Township, Butler County Ohio is necessary for the Township's use; and
- **Section 2**. The Board instructs the Township Administrator, on behalf of the Board, to acquire said property for the sum of Eighty Nine Thousand Dollars (\$89,000.00); and
- **Section 3.** The Township Clerk is directed to appropriate the sum of Eighty Nine Thousand Dollars (\$89,000.00) from the Fire District Fund of the Township, and make necessary adjustments to the Township's annual appropriation to effect such obligation; and make payment through the Township Administrator to allow closing on or about March 1, 2001;
- **Section 4.** The Township Administrator is authorized by this Board to complete on its behalf any and all documentation (subject to approval of legal counsel) necessary to close on or about March 1, 2001 on said property; and
- **Section 5.** The Township Administrator shall be empowered to negotiate accommodations that will permit the present owners of the property to continue to occupy the property until such time as it may be reasonable and mutually beneficial for the Township to assume occupancy of said property; and
- **Section 6**. All actions taken under this resolution are taken in accordance with the provisions of the Ohio Open Meeting Statute, and further the Board certifies that no voting member holds any financial or other personal interest in this transaction that may be prohibited by law or regulation.

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Adopted the	13th	day of	February	, 2001	
					Absent
				David Tacosik	
				José Charly	Yes
				Jose Alvarez	
				Catherine Stoken	Yes
				Catherine Stoker	
ATTEST:					
Patricia	Williams				
Patricia Willian	ns, Township	Clerk			

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Donald L. Crain, Law Director

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