

RESOLUTION NO. 16 - 25
RESOLUTION CONSENTING TO THE RE-DESIGNATION OF
AN ENTERPRISE ZONE IN BERLIN

WHEREAS, the State of Maryland has passed legislation codified under the Economic Development Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Title 5, Subtitle 7 (Enterprise Zones), providing for the designation of Enterprise Zones in political subdivisions of the State; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of such a zone is to focus local and state resources on the encouragement of economic growth in economically distressed areas of the State; and

WHEREAS, an "Enterprise Zone" was established in the Town of Berlin as referenced in County Commissioners' Resolution No. 96-25 adopted on June 4, 1996 and amended as referenced in County Commissioners' Resolutions No. 99-14 adopted on April 6, 1999 and No. 06-25 adopted on October 3, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Berlin will make application to the Maryland Department of Commerce to re-designate the existing "Enterprise Zone" which totals approximately 1,184 acres (as designated on the map attached hereto) in the Town of Berlin, Maryland; and

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of Worcester County desire to consent to the re-establishment and expansion of said "Enterprise Zone" and to consent to the application filed by the Town of Berlin to the Maryland Department of Commerce to designate said areas as an "Enterprise Zone".

SECTION ONE

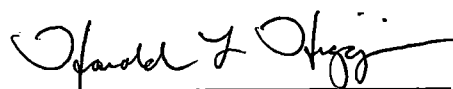
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Commissioners of Worcester County that the County hereby consents to the application of the Town of Berlin to the Maryland Department of Commerce to re-designate approximately 1,184 acres in Berlin, Worcester County, Maryland as an "Enterprise Zone".

SECTION TWO

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the County Commissioners of Worcester County that this resolution shall take effect upon its passage.


PASSED AND ADOPTED this 4th day of October, 2016.

ATTEST:

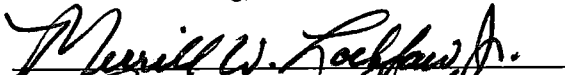


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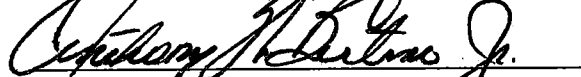
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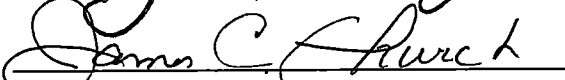
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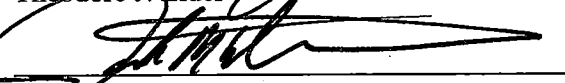
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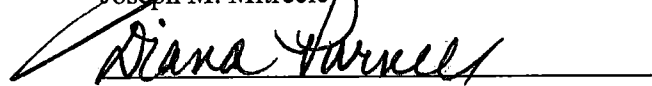
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