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RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION LTPF-2025-00101 STONE WALL PRESERVATION AT THE MORRIS CANAL FOR NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LOCAL TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS FUND

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation accepts applications for the Local Transportation Projects Fund; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Wharton is applying for funding to conduct the Stone Wall Preservation to stabilize and preserve the existing stone retaining wall supporting the Rail Trail at the Morris Canal which is a recreational link to the restored Lock 2 East and Lock Tender's House within the Wharton Canal Walk and Hugh Force Park; and

WHEREAS, maintenance of the facility, once constructed, will be assumed by the Borough of Wharton;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the Borough of Wharton formally approves the grant application for the above stated project and that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to submit an electronic grant application identified as "LTPF-2025-Stone Wall Preservation at the Morris Canal-00101" to the New Jersey Department of Transportation on behalf of the Borough of Wharton.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of the Borough of Wharton and that their signature constitutes acceptable of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approves execution of the grant agreement.

Adopted: June 16, 2025

BOROUGH OF WHARTON

ATTEST:

WILLIAM CHEGWIDEN,
MAYOR

Cheryl Muzzillo,
Deputy Municipal Clerk