

Proclamation

Recognizing the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum On its 50th Anniversary June 21, 2013

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors of Chartiers Township wishes to recognize the accomplishments of the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum on its 50th Anniversary; and

Whereas, the Township wishes to acknowledge that Pennsylvania Trolley Museum is located in Chartiers Township as a Community Asset; and

Whereas, the Museum opened to the public in Chartiers Township in June of 1963, using the trade name of the Arden Trolley Museum; and

Whereas, regular guided tours and changing exhibits began in 1993; and

Whereas, the Museum has become an educational historical institution within our Township; and

Whereas, it was renamed the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum in 1998; and

Whereas, over 21,000 people have visited the Museum from around the world; and

Whereas, the Museum has expanded since its inception to approximately 600 members and over 50 historic street railway vehicles preserved, and

Whereas, the efforts and dedication of the volunteers and staff of the Museum over the years have demonstrated extraordinary vision and preserved the history of the trolley in a manner to educate the public; and

Whereas, the Township is honored to have such valuable resource and historic asset in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it proclaimed that the Chartiers Township Board of Supervisors does hereby proclaim that the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum, be honored for its 50 years of existence in our community.

Witness, our signatures, this 18th day of June 2013

Richard W. Metzler, Chairman

Attest: _____
Jodi L. Noble, Township Manager

A. William Kiehl, Vice Chairman

John M. Marcischak, Secretary