

JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AND THE BOROUGH OF STANHOPE, IN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, IN SUPPORT OF THE RESTORATION OF THE PLANE STREET BRIDGE AS PART OF THE MORRIS CANAL/GIVAUDAN BRAILLE TRAIL PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive, along with the Givaudan fragrance company and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, together are constructing a “Braille trail”; and

WHEREAS, the Braille Trail will benefit the residents of Mount Olive Township, Stanhope Borough and the residents of other neighboring municipalities; and

WHEREAS, as part of the “Braille trail”, the Plane Street Bridge which traverses the Muscnetcong River and is situated at the north end of the trail traversing the property of Mount Olive Township, Stanhope Borough and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection; and

WHEREAS, in order to complete the “Braille trail” it is necessary to restore the Plane Street Bridge; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection will permit the restoration of the Plane Street bridge but is requesting that Mount Olive Township and Stanhope Borough pass a joint resolution endorsing and supporting the restoration and improvement of the bridge in accordance with direction from the State Historic Preservation Office within the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection as part of the Morris Canal/Givaudan Braille Trail project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT JOINTLY RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, and the Borough Council of the Borough of Stanhope, in the County of Sussex and State of New Jersey, that both the Township of Mount Olive and the Borough of Stanhope endorse and support the restoration and improvement of the Plane Street bridge in accordance with direction from the State Historic Preservation Office within the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection as part of the Morris Canal/Givaudan Braille Trail project.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

John Mania, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on March 25, 2014

Lisa Lashway, Township Clerk

BOROUGH OF STANHOPE

Rosemarie Maio, Borough Stanhope Mayor

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Borough of Stanhope Council at a duly convened meeting held on

Ellen Horak, Borough of Stanhope Clerk