

**Lancaster Inter-Municipal Committee  
LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**RESOLUTION 2011-6**

**A resolution in support of Pennsylvania Senate Bill 1150 (The Historic Preservation Incentive Act)**

**Whereas**, it is known central Lancaster County was formed in the year 1729 and as a result contains a number of older, including historic, structures throughout the region; and

**Whereas**, reuse and rehabilitation of historic structures promotes smart development, and generally includes structures supported by existing infrastructure including public water and sewer facilities; and

**Whereas**, reuse and rehabilitation, specifically financial incentives for reuse and rehabilitation, satisfies a number of goals and objectives—including objectives for Redevelopment & Infill and Historic Resource Protection—of Growing Together: A Comprehensive Plan for Central Lancaster County, Pennsylvania duly adopted by the central Lancaster County municipalities; and

**Whereas**, most states in these United States, including Maryland and Delaware, have implemented similar programs that can be deemed successful as the reuse and rehabilitation of historic structures has allowed businesses to expand—thus fostered the creation of jobs—and results in the improvement of the quality of life of all in the community; and

**Whereas**, the reuse and rehabilitation of historic structures preserves the heritage and character of communities; and

**Therefore Be It Resolved**, that the Lancaster Inter-Municipal Committee (LIMC) supports state Senate Bill 1150—The Historic Preservation Incentive Act—as introduced by Senator Lloyd Smucker.

**DULY PRESENTED AND ADOPTED** by the Lancaster Inter-Municipal Committee—Columbia Borough, East Hempfield Township, East Lampeter Township, East Petersburg Borough, Lancaster City, Lancaster Township, Manheim Township, Manor Township, Millersville Borough, Mountville Borough, West Hempfield Township and West Lampeter Township—at its monthly meeting held the fourteenth day of December, 2011.

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Kent B. Gardner, Chairman, LIMC

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