

Dear Neighbor:

137.56 Acres Of Washington Crossing Historic Park Is Available For \$1.00 According to Pennsylvania House Bill 2126!

This e-mail message is to update you on the status of Pennsylvania House Bill 2126, introduced by State Representative Bernie O'Neill, and its impact on American history. This Bill is about to be voted on, and we need to work together to prevent it from passing.

The leaders of **The Crossing Legacy Foundation** invited us to meet with them and asked for our support. Attached is their **Position Statement** that explains why there is deep concern about the continued legacy of Washington Crossing Historic Park. We need to support their courageous effort, or we will see the dismantling of this exquisite and profound piece of American history.

Please sign the **Petition** [<http://www.thepetitionsite.com/petition/110282042>] from **The Crossing Legacy Foundation** after reading their **Position Statement** , and contact with vigor all of the Pennsylvania legislators, including State Representatives Bernie O'Neill and Scott Petri. Their telephone numbers and e-mail addresses are included in the **Position Statement**.

The Crossing Legacy Foundation represents that **it does not oppose the work of the Bowman's Hill Wildflower Preserve**, a separate, private entity. It does oppose granting any private entity (including the Bowman's Hill Wildflower Preserve) the right to purchase this historic, national living monument, where George Washington fought for our independence.

One does not need to be a real estate agent to understand the value of land in Upper Makefield and Solebury townships. **Who amongst you would not want to buy 137.56 acres for \$1.00.**

Clearly, it is evident that the elected officials **did not obtain your authorization and permission to sell 27% of this living monument**, dedicated to George Washington, the Father of our country. The battle that ensued on December 25, 1776, was a pivotal turning point for our freedom and independence during the American Revolution.

The Washington Crossing Historic Park has been in disrepair and needs to be cared for to continue to achieve its original purpose, and we need to avail ourselves of the options that will achieve that objective.

It appears that there has been a lack of transparency, and while there has been information about the Park building needing repair, deals such as this particular "sale" have been deliberately hidden from the electorate! For example, when were the public meetings scheduled on giving historic park land away?

If our elected officials clearly listen to the views of their constituents, they will stop this Bill.

Without General Washington's success, there would be no Valley Forge, Gettysburg, Yellowstone, Yosemite, or Denali. **Are those Parks having a "fire sale" too?** The answer is "no" because the legislators in charge respect the origin of each of them.

Once again, we need to work at lightning speed to defeat this Bill; the vote on the Pennsylvania House Floor is **imminent. Because of our awareness, the legislators are attempting to rush this Bill through for an immediate vote! **Help Save the Park!****

Thank you for your dedication, diligence, and continued support!

Sincerely,

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