RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY

County of Camden, State of New Jersey #R () (e F) -2022

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING APPROVAL OF PROPOSED SITES FOR AMERICAN REVOLUTION SIGNS AT HISTORICAL LOCATIONS

WHEREAS, the Camden County Historical Society has received a grant from the National Park Service American Battlefield Protection Program (ABPP) which will be matched by the Camden County Open Space and Historic Preservation Program to create the Camden County American Revolution Trail signage and mobile audio app project; and

WHEREAS, the Camden County Historical Society has identified the City of Gloucester's most significant historical locations during the American Revolution including the Courthouse (and Malt House), Sheriff Ellis's House, Hugg's Tavern, the location of Morgan's Rifle Corp, and the Battle of Gloucester (Small Map Kiosk at Cold Springs School); and

WHEREAS, the American Battlefield Protection Program and the New Jersey Historic Preservation Program (NJHPO) require local input and land owner approval of the proposed signs subject to installation issues that may arise including, but not limited to, archeological review, the location of underground utilities, and any other subsurface matters.

WHEREAS, the Camden County Historical Society requests assistance in working with the property owners on sign location agreements; and

WHEREAS, the Camden County Historical Society would request the assistance of the City of Gloucester Public Works Department for installation of the sign in the fall of 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gloucester has the option to consolidate several signs into a large Map Kiosk.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Gloucester City Council hereby supports preliminary approval of the proposed sites at five locations including the Courthouse (and Malt House), Sheriff Ellis's House, Hugg's Tavern, the location of Morgan's Rifle Corp, and the Battle of Gloucester (Small Map Kiosk at Cold Springs School) as shown in the attached photos subject to approvals by the ABPP, NJHPO, Camden County, and the City of Gloucester.

Dayl R. Baile, Mayor

I, Vanessa L. Little, Clerk of Gloucester City, hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council at their meeting of February 24, 2022, held at 313 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, New Jersey.

Vanessa L. Little, City Clerk