

# Proclamation

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

## NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH 2009 WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, OHIO

**Whereas**, National Preparedness Month creates an important opportunity for all residents of Centerville/Washington Township to prepare their homes, businesses and communities for any type of emergency, from natural disasters to potential terrorist attacks; and

**WHEREAS**, investing in the preparedness of ourselves, our families, businesses and communities can reduce fatalities and economic devastation in our communities and in our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, Trustees support the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Ready Campaign to increase public awareness about the importance of preparing for emergencies and also believe that emergency preparedness is the responsibility of every citizen of Centerville/Washington Township; and

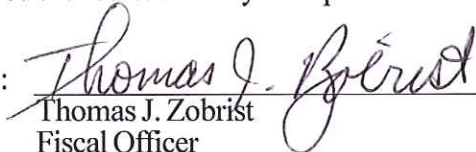
**WHEREAS**, all citizens are urged to make preparedness a priority by taking four simple steps: 1. Get an emergency supply kit; 2. Make a family emergency plan; 3. Be informed about the types of emergencies that can occur in our area; 4. Get involved with local preparedness efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, all citizens of Centerville/Washington Township are encouraged to consult the Ready Campaign's web site at [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov) to learn more about emergency preparedness.

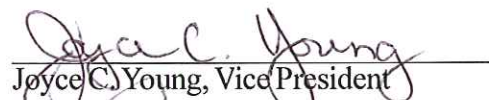
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** by the Washington Township Board of Trustees, Montgomery County, Ohio, that September 2009 is National Preparedness Month in Centerville/Washington Township and, furthermore, that trustees encourage all citizens and businesses to develop their own emergency preparedness plan.

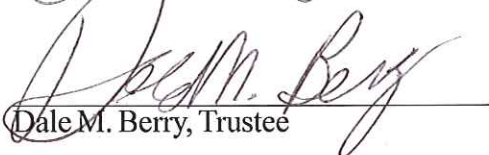
Proclaimed the fourteenth day of September two thousand and nine.

Attest to:

  
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Fiscal Officer

  
Lee E. Snyder, President

  
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