

Proclamation

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

MARTHA BOICE HISTORIC PRESERVATION

Whereas, Martha Boice has earned two state-wide honors this month for historic preservation advocacy and leadership, one from Ohio's State Historic Preservation Office and the other from Heritage Ohio, which fosters preservation and revitalization; and

WHEREAS, Martha is a founder, trustee and past president of the Landmarks Foundation, which advocates for the preservation of historic properties in our community, past board member of the Ohio Preservation Alliance, and member of Centerville-Washington History; and

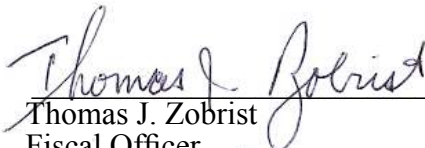
WHEREAS, her extensive historic preservation work has included serving as advisor for the establishment of the Centerville Architectural Preservation District, providing the research needed to place our community's collection of early stone houses on the National Register of Historic Places, and documenting hundreds of historical properties; and


WHEREAS, she also has co-authored the book *A Sense of Place* dedicated to local historic houses, directed the effort to have markers installed on historic Mad River Road, and performed extensive advocacy on behalf of Shaker buildings and history in Ohio and beyond; and

WHEREAS, over the last 50 years, Martha has been at the forefront of Centerville-Washington Township historic preservation whether her project is a property constructed in the early 1800s, a Frank Lloyd Wright office building, or Erma Bombeck's former home.

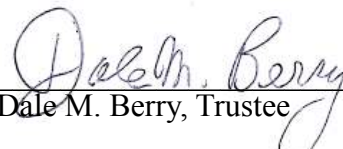
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Washington Township Board of Trustees, Montgomery County, Ohio, that Martha Boice be recognized and thanked for her tireless efforts in support of historic preservation and for speaking so eloquently on behalf of the historic homes that benefit our community.

Proclaimed this seventeenth day of October, two thousand and sixteen.

Attest to: 
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