

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF YORK  
YORKTOWN, VIRGINIA

Resolution

At a regular meeting of the York County Board of Supervisors held in York Hall, Yorktown, Virginia, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016:

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Present

Vote

Jeffrey D. Wassmer, Chairman  
Sheila S. Noll, Vice Chairman  
Walter C. Zaremba  
W. Chad Green  
Thomas G. Shepperd, Jr.

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On motion of \_\_\_\_\_, which carried \_\_\_\_, the following resolution was adopted:

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE VIRGINIA WORLD WAR I AND  
WORLD WAR II COMMEMORATION COMMISSION AND ENDORS-  
ING ESTABLISHMENT OF A YORK COUNTY COMMEMORATION  
COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, the Virginia World War I and World War II Commemoration Commission (the Commission) was created by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia in 2016 for the purpose of guiding the commemoration of the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World War I and the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World War II in Virginia; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has requested each locality in Virginia to form a local Commemoration Committee to assist the Commission with its mission and signature events and to plan, promote, and coordinate commemorative tours, events and other activities at the local level; and

WHEREAS, the County of York wishes to endorse establishment of a local Commemoration Committee to coordinate its commemorative efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Committee will be created as an ad hoc committee of the York County Museum Board and may include members of the York County Historical Committee and other interested parties, such as the National Park Service, US Naval Weapons Station Yorktown, Joint Base Langley - Fort Eustis, localities in the region, veterans associations, local and regional museums, and local and regional historic preservation agencies and groups, for such purposes as:

- Honoring the service of our veterans and fostering community understanding of the varied perspectives of York County and Virginia's role in World War I and World War II.
- Preserving, interpreting, and documenting World War I and World War II sites in York County and the region.
- Creating educational tours, exhibits, programs, and materials which tell the story of World War I and World War II in York County.
- Promoting visitation and long term tourism efforts in York County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the York County Board of Supervisors this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016, that York County hereby supports the Virginia World War I and World War II Commemoration Commission in its work to commemorate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World War I and the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World War II in Virginia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the York County Board of Supervisors hereby endorses the establishment of a York County Commemoration Committee to coordinate commemorative efforts as described above.