

Seal

William Penn Proprietary & Govern<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Province of Pennsilvania & y<sup>e</sup> Territories thereunto belonging

At y<sup>e</sup> Request of Thomas Rouss y<sup>t</sup> I would grant him to take up Three hundred Acres of Land <sup>Purchased</sup> in y<sup>e</sup> County of Philadelphia or Chester. These are to will & require thee forthw<sup>th</sup> to survey or cause to be survey'd unto him y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Number of Acres in either of the aforementioned Counties, where not already taken up, according to y<sup>e</sup> method of Townships appointed by me, and make returns thereof into my Secretarys office. Given at Philadelphia, y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Octobr. 1683  
W<sup>m</sup> Penn

For Thomas Holmes  
Survey<sup>r</sup> General

y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> of 10<sup>th</sup> ord<sup>r</sup> Tff ~~1683~~  
to Lay it out in philad

~~ordered in a Township at or near Darby~~  
~~which after former was to Had Longshore, 17<sup>th</sup>~~  
~~ordered in 2<sup>d</sup> Township after the settlement to D.D.~~

IN TESTIMONY that the above is a copy of the original remaining on file in the Department of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania, made conformably to an Act of Assembly approved the 16th day of February, 1833, I have hereunto set my Hand and caused the Seal of said Department to be affixed at Harrisburg, this seventh day of June 1910

Henry Bowler  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.

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