

Know All Men by these Presents that I Thomas Burns of  
the State of Pennsylvania County of Bedford yeoman for  
Divers good Causes and Considerations hereunto Moving have  
Made Ordained Constituted & Appointed and by these presents  
Do Make Ordain Constitute and Appoint my Trusty Faithful  
Robt Wilson of the above shewd My True and Lawful Attorney for me  
In my name and to my use to seek Demand Receive and Receive  
of and from the Secretary of the State above Written all that Gratuity  
of Salary Allowance to a Sergeant who has served as such for the term of  
Seven years Giving and by these presents Granting to my said  
Attorney my sole and full power and Authority to take service and  
Follow such Legal Courses for the Recovery Receiving and obtaining of the  
Same as I myself might or could do were I personally Present  
And upon the Receipt of the same Acquittance or other sufficient Discharge  
For me and in my Name to make sign Seal and Deliver as also one or  
More Attorneys or Attorneys under him to Substitute and appoint  
And again at his pleasure to Revoke and further to do perform  
And finish for me and in my name all and every singular thing  
or things which shall or may be necessary Touching or Concerning  
the Premises as fully Thoroughly and entirely as the said Tho Burns  
in my own person might or could do in and About the same Ratifying  
Allowing and Confirming whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully  
do or Cause to be Done in and about the Execution of the Premises  
By Virtue of these Presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set  
my hand and Seal this 9<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1764

Thomas Burns  
[Seal]

November 19 1764  
Trusty Burns  
Donation Land  
Received 10<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1764  
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