

Know all Men by these presents that I Edward Spear
Lieutenant in the First Conn. Reg^t in the late Army
of the United States do authorize and empower
Captain Beatty of the First Reg^t in my Name and
behalf to take out Deeds of the Lands which may have
been drawn as a donation for my service agreeably
to a Resolution of the Common Wealth of Conn. and
to Transact all and every Business requisite for the
same as Witness my hand and Seal
dtd Fort Mifflin 24th Feb^y 1787

Edward Spear

In presence of -
J. P. Smith
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