

Tho M. Bean

In the Name and by the Authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylv



of the said Commonw

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:



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Now ye, That in consideration of the services rendered by John Morris ^{in the late Army of the United States} ^{under the restrictions herein after mentioned} there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto the said John Morris a certain tract of land

District No 5 now Mercer county Beginning at a Black oak thence by lot No 886 South eighty seven degrees one hundred and thirty perches to a Cherry tree thence by lot No 887 North two degrees and a half West two hundred and sixty one perches thence by lot No 888 North eighty seven degrees and a half East one hundred and thirty perches to a White oak and thence by lot No 889 South two degrees and a half East two hundred and sixty one perches to the Beginning containing Two hundred acres and allowance of a special act of Assembly passed the 21st February 1785 and drawn by the said John Morris

To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land, with the appurtenances, unto the said John Morris and his Heirs to the use of him the said John Morris

free and clear of all restrictions and reservations as to Mines, Royalties, Quit-rents or otherwise, excepting and reserving only the fifth Silver Ore for the use of this Commonwealth, to be delivered at the pit's mouth, clear of all charges. In Testimony whereof, I have set my Hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed, at Lancaster this 21st day of July - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one and of the Commonwealth the twenty third

By the Governor,
M. Jenkinson Sec.