

Know all Men by these Presents That I Solomon Sparks  
 of the County of Bedford and State of Pennsylvania  
 Yeoman, have made Constituted and Appointed, and  
 by these Presents do make constitute & appoint my  
 trusty friend Martin Riley of the Town & County of  
 Bedford, in the State aforesaid, my true and Lawfull  
 Attorney for me and in my Name to Act for Me in  
 Drawing & procuring a Title for a Donation Tract of  
 Land to which I am Entitled, for Serving as a Regular  
 Soldier under Capt. John Boydes Company in the  
 year 1782 - Giving and Granting unto my Said Attor:  
 my full power and Authority, to make and Execute  
 any Instrument of writing, or other Assurances, and  
 in my Name and Stead to Sign Seal and deliver  
 the Same in as full and ample a Manner in Law  
 as I myself might or could do was I personally  
 Present, And generally all and every other Act &  
 Acts, thing & things and Instruments in the Law  
 whatsoever Needfull and Necessary to be done  
 in & about the Premises for me and in my Name  
 to Execute and Perform, and Transact all Business  
 whatsoever as fully, legally and amply to all Intents  
 and purposes as I my self might or could do  
 if Personally present - Hereby ratifying, allowing &  
 holding for firm and Effectual all and whatsoever  
 my Said Attorney shall lawfully do in and about  
 the Premises by Virtue Hereof. In Witness where-  
 of I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  
 Thirty first day of November Anno Domini one  
 Thousand Eight Hundred and two  
 Sealed & Delivered }  
 in Presence of us }  
 Wm. A. Jacob Bonnett  
 Solomon Sparks

Power of Atty

Solomon Sparks

Martin Riley

Donation Land

Solomon Sparks

Nov 31 1782