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House of Representatives COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

HARRISBURG

July 11, 1989

Mrs. Alice Peterson P.O. Box 610 North East, PA 16428

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

Thank you for your recent correspondence, in which you expressed your concern for historic preservation in Pennsylvania.

As you correctly pointed out, Senate Bill 704 addresses this issue. In response to your request that I introduce companion legislation, I am pleased to inform you that Representative Edward Haluska has done just that. House Bill 773 provides for "improvement and development at State parks and historic properties and facilities...grants-in-aid to certain nonprofit organizations and institutions for capital improvements to no-State-owned historic properties and facilities." It is currently under consideration by the House Conservation Committee.

Let me assure you that I will give this measure my personal attention, should it come before the full House for consideration during this legislative session.

Again, thanks for sharing your interest in preserving the rich heritage of Pennsylvania. Our historic buildings are indeed fortunate to be receiving the attention of concerned individuals such as you. If I may be of further assistance to you with this, or other matters in the future, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Scrimenti State Representative 4th Legislative District

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Representative Thomas J. Scrimenti House of Representatives P. O. Box 96 Harrisburg, Pa. 17/20-0028

Dear Representative Scrimenti:

Historic properties in Erie County provide a tangible link with the past and help sustain the high quality of life we enjoy. But these properties, such as the Eagle Hotel, The Hornby School School House, The Niagara, The Lake Shore Railroad Museum, etc. are deteriorating and need preservation and restoration. State assistance is critical to our ability to preserve and protect this priceless heritage. Statewide, over \$450 million is needed to protect as many as 500 endangered historic buildings.

It has come to my attention that Bill No. 704 has been introduced in the Senate. This bill will provide some of the desperately needed funds for historic preservation. As a member of Citizens Preserving Pennsylvania's Past and The Hornby School Restoration Society, I urge you to introduce companion legislation in the House and to work diligently towards its passage.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kuby W. Kemdall Harnby School Restaration Society



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MICHAEL H. HERSHOCK SECRETARY OFFICE OF THE BUDGET

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Honorable Thomas J. Scrimenti House of Representatives Room 25B, Main Capitol Building (EW) Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120-0028

Dear Representative Scrimenti:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 30 and the copy of the resolution regarding the establishment of a Human Relations Commission district office in Erie.

Thank you for taking time to bring this matter to my attention. I will keep this matter in mind as we continue preparation of the 1994-95 Budget.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Hershock

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House of Representatives

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

November 30, 1993

Honorable Michael H. Hershock Secretary for Budget Governor's Office 238 Main Capitol Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Secretary Hershock:

It is my personal and professional pleasure to inform you of a crucial issue regarding the social well-being of our citizens. I write to you to express my interest in the Commonwealth establishing a State-funded Human Relations Commission Office in Erie County.

Erie being one of the more populous counties in the Commonwealth and also containing the third largest city--Erie, would be an ideal location for said office. I consider this proposal to be an opportunity to fulfill a valid need in a sound locale. A Human Relations Commission office would furnish not only basic social provisions, but also would plant the seeds of hope, of opportunity, and equality.

The Erie County Council adopted Resolution Number 58, 1993, "Request for State Regional Office for the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission," on October 19, 1993. This begins the process of establishing the office and also demonstrates the conviction of those from Erie County.

For your perusal, I have enclosed a copy of Resolution 58. Please give your utmost attention and consideration to this proposal. Should there be anything at all which I may do for you, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Thomas J. Scrimenti State Representative

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House of Representatives commonwealth of pennsylvania harrisburg

November 18, 1993

Ms. Tracy Seyfert, Ph.D. Office of Erie Office of County Council Rm. 116, County Court House Erie, PA 16501-6303

Dear Ms. Seyfert:

I want to thank you for your letter regarding Resolution Number 58, 1993, "Request for State Regional Office for the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission."

I believe that such an office would be of great benefit to those in our area. The spirit of such an operation is even greater than the sum of its tangible benefits.

To further support this initiative, I have drafted a letter to Acting Governor Mark Singel. Enclosed you will find a copy of this letter. Too often good ideas, such as this one, are not carried out because they get lost in a barrage of bureaucracy. I am quite confident that we can rally the necessary support to see the completion of this project.

Again, I thank you for the letter and information. If there is anything that I may do to further assist you with this, or any other matter, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely, ernas

Thomas J. Scrimenti State Representative 4th District

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The Honorable Tom Scrimenti State Representative - Fourth District Main Capitol Building Box 96 Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Mr. Scrimenti:

Enclosed is Resolution Number 58, 1993, "Request for State Regional Office for the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission," which was adopted by the Erie County Council on October 19, 1993.

County Council's intent upon its adoption was to urge the Commonwealth to establish a State funded Human Relations Commission office within Erie County, similar to those in other counties. As one of the more populous counties in Pennsylvania with the third largest city, I believe such a request is warranted.

Please take the time to review the resolution as immediate action on such an important and vital matter is necessary.

Please contact me as soon as possible regarding your efforts and plans to effectuate our request.

If our office can be of any assistance or if you are in need of additional information, contact me at your convenience. Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

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Tracy Seyfert, Ph.D.

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House of Representatives COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

December 2, 1998

Carmen R. Testi

North East, PA 16428

Dear Mr. Testi:

I would like to thank you for contacting my office regarding your concerns with the hunting license increase.

As you can imagine, the issue of a game increase has been a heated topic in the past. Several legislators and a coalition of sportsmen's groups recently worked out a compromise plan to increase hunting license fees. This compromise would give the Pennsylvania Game Commission nearly \$11.4 million a year in additional revenues, as well as require the commission to improve its accountability standards and relinquish some of its powers to enforce hunting laws.

As you may already know, on November 23, 1998, the Legislature passed House Bill 1994. House Bill 1994 amended Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, to provide for an increase in license cost and fees. House Bill 1994 now awaits Governor Ridge's signature.

Under HB 1994, the cost of an adult resident deer license would increase from \$12.75 to \$19.75. Fees are also increased for most types of nonresident licenses and several types of specialty licenses. Under sections 2709 and 2923 of Title 34, "license costs and fees", you will find the costs and fees of most types of nonresident licenses, resident license, etc. I have attached a copy of this section for your perusal. This cost and fee increase will boost game commission revenues by about 20 percent.

I would like to thank you once again for keeping me apprised of your views and concerns. It is through correspondence like yours that I am better able to serve in the best interest of my constituents. If I can ever further assist you with this or any other matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely

Thomas J. Scrimenti State Representative

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