

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania



The House of Representatives

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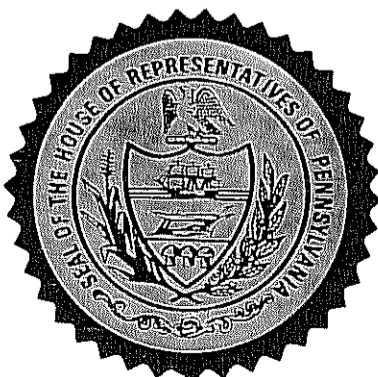
Whereas, The House of Representatives of Pennsylvania takes great pride in recognizing those organizations which contribute in a meaningful way to the well-being of their communities and ultimately to all the citizens of this great Commonwealth; and

Whereas, The Hundredfold Farm is being honored upon receiving a 2009 Environmental Stewardship Award from the Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, Established in 2000, the Hundredfold Farm is an effort of several families to create a fourteen-household rural cohousing community in the Orrtanna area of Adams County. The cohousing model is characterized by private dwellings, clustered housing, a pedestrian-friendly design and extensive common facilities. The goals of the farm include to own and manage the common land jointly, while residents own their private homes; to cluster the homes in order to reduce the impact on open space and agricultural land; to maintain a large community garden; to produce a significant amount of wholesome and healthy food using sustainable practices; and to construct homes using energy-efficient methods and earth-friendly practices. The eighty-acre property features a member-owned Christmas tree farm, vegetable and flower gardens and single-family detached modular homes which incorporate passive solar design with grid interactive photovoltaic systems and solar water heating.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania lauds the Hundredfold Farm on its well-deserved honor; affirmatively states that it stands as a model worthy of emulation; offers best wishes for continued success in the future;

And directs that a copy of this citation, sponsored by the Honorable Daniel P. Moul on February 17, 2010, be transmitted to the Hundredfold Farm, 1668F Old Route 30, Orrtanna, Pennsylvania 17353.



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Daniel P. Moul, Sponsor

Handwritten signature of Keith R. McCall in black ink.

Keith R. McCall, Speaker of the House

Attest:

Handwritten signature of Anthony Frank Barbush in black ink.

Anthony Frank Barbush, Chief Clerk of the House