



**SOUTH FAYETTE TOWNSHIP
ALLEGHENY COUNTY**

RESOLUTION NO. 7

**A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CELEBRATING THE 175TH ANNIVERSARY OF
SOUTH FAYETTE TOWNSHIP, OFFICIALLY ESTABLISHED ON MARCH 16, 1842.**

WHEREAS, the area known as South Fayette Township became part of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, in 1788; and

WHEREAS, the area originally was assigned to Moon Township, one of the county's seven townships; and

WHEREAS, Moon Township was deemed too large in 1790, and a new township was defined and named Fayette, after the French general Gilbert du Motier, Marquis de Lafayette, a hero of the American Revolution; and

WHEREAS, Fayette Township was deemed too large in 1842 and divided into separate municipalities, South Fayette Township and North Fayette Township; and

WHEREAS, the community today is proud of the achievement of 175 years of history and progress;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of South Fayette that the year 2017 shall be marked as the 175th anniversary of South Fayette Township, and that all citizens are encouraged to celebrate the milestone by participating in a variety of events and activities planned throughout the year, with details announced via the township's media and website: www.southfayettepa.com/175.

ADOPTED this 15th day of March, 2017.

ATTEST:

A blue ink signature of Ryan T. Eggleston, written in a cursive style.

Ryan T. Eggleston
Township Manager/Secretary

A blue ink signature of Joseph Horowitz, written in a cursive style.

Joseph Horowitz
President, Board of Commissioners