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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commemorating October 2001 as "Westmoreland Heritage Month."
- 2 WHEREAS, Westmoreland County has a rich history and is home
- 3 to many significant historical sites and museums; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Its citizens have helped shape national and global
- 5 events since the 18th century; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The Westmoreland County Historical Society and the
- 7 University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg have initiated the annual
- 8 Arthur St. Clair Lectureship each October to broaden public
- 9 understanding of county history; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The Westmoreland County Historical Society has
- 11 established the Arthur St. Clair Heritage Preservation Awards
- 12 presented each October; and
- 13 WHEREAS, October is "National Archaeology Month," and the
- 14 Westmoreland County Archaeological Society is active in
- 15 discovering the buried physical record of our past; and
- 16 WHEREAS, All citizens should become more knowledgeable about
- 17 the history of counties in this Commonwealth; therefore be it

- 1 RESOLVED, That October 2001 be commemorated as "Westmoreland
- Heritage Month"; and be it further
- RESOLVED, That Westmoreland County schools, libraries, 3
- 4 historical sites and museums be encouraged to participate in a
- 5 coordinated program of activities which feature county history.