

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SOMERSET, KENTUCKY IN DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE BODY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROCESS OF SEEKING DESIGNATION AS A PRESERVE AMERICA COMMUNITY FOR 2003/2004.

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the city council to preserve and enhance the quality of life in their community, and

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the city council is committed to the revitalization of the “downtown” Main Street area;

WHEREAS, Preserve America is a White House initiative to encourage and support community efforts for the preservation and enjoyment of our priceless cultural and natural heritage;

WHEREAS, this initiative is compatible with our community’s interests and goals related to historic places,

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved this day that the city council commits to:

- Identify and preserve the historic places in our community
- Use our historic assets for economic development and community revitalization;
- Encourage people to experience and appreciate local historic resources through education and heritage tourism programs, and
- Create programs and policies that support the retention and rehabilitation of historic buildings; and
- Commits to a goal of retaining and locating city services in the downtown area, whenever feasible.
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Mayor, *J.P. Wiles*

ATTEST:

City Clerk, *Diana H. [Signature]*

DATED: *January 26, 2004*