

SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION

RESOLUTION NO. 7-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION to proclaim CommuteInfo Commute Options Awareness Month - May 2008.

WHEREAS, approximately sixty percent of the Southwestern Pennsylvania region's 1.5 million workers travel outside their resident municipality to work; and

WHEREAS, commuting options are an integral part of the region's employers and workers life by reducing the number of people driving to work alone benefits of less traffic congestion on area roadways and better air quality; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all commuters be aware of the various commuting options available to them; and

WHEREAS, CommuteInfo, celebrates over 30 years of promoting commuting options in the region by providing information on transit, sponsoring vanpools, helping arrange carpools and providing biking and walking resources through the program website www.commuteinfo.org or by calling toll-free 1-888-819-6110; and

WHEREAS, the month of May includes National Transportation Week, National Bike to Work Day, National Employee Health and Fitness Day, National Try Transit Week, and National Clean Air Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission encourages the citizens of this region to welcome and emphasize the value of ridesharing and offers support by declaring May 2008 as "CommuteInfo Commute Options Awareness Month" in Southwestern Pennsylvania.

I, Rodney Ruddock, HEREBY CERTIFY that I am Secretary-Treasurer of the SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION, that the foregoing resolution was adopted, in accordance with the By-Laws, by the Members of said Commission at a Meeting duly called and held on the 24th day of March 2008, and that said resolution is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I hereto subscribe my name as Secretary-Treasurer.

Secretary-Treasurer