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Upon the Memorial of Solomon Cowles of Farmington in the County of Hartford and the Rest of the Proprietors of that Tract of Land in ~~said~~ Farmington aforesaid Called the Indian Neck Shewing to this Assembly that the Inhabitants of said Farmington in Early Days Sequestered for the Use and Benefit of the Indian Natives of said Town that Tract of Land Lying and being Scituate in s.<sup>d</sup> Farmington Called the Indian Neck & that the said Tribe of Indians Improved the said Land in Severalty and in Procefs of time Sold the said Land by Small Quantities to the Present Memorilists and the Persons under whom they Clame for greate and Valuable Consideration many of which said Purchasef not being by the approbation of the General Assembly and the said Indians being willing and Desirous the Present Clamants Should be Quietted in their said Lands have agreed to Receive the sum of Twenty Shillings Lawfull Money p acre for so much of said Land as was not Purchasef by the Liberty and approbation of the General Assembly of this Colony which sum the said Clamants have agreed to give; praying to have a Comm<sup>tee</sup> appointed to Take said Money into their Hands and the same Dispose off for the Benefit of s.<sup>d</sup> Indians and in Conj: :unction with said Indians to Make and Execute Deed or Deeds of Conveyance of said Land &.<sup>c</sup> as p Mem:<sup>l</sup> on file

Resolved by this assembly that Mefs<sup>rs</sup> Elnath Gridley <sup>^</sup> & Fisher Gay ~~with~~ of said Farmington be a Committe and they are hereby appointed a Committee to take and Receive of the said Propri: :etors the said Twenty Shillings Lawfull money p acre for so much of said land as was not Purchasef by the appro: :obation of the General assembly of this Colony and the same Dispose of for the Best Interest of the said Indians Decendants of ~~said~~ the Original Tuncis Tribe Resideing in said Farmington and also that the s.<sup>d</sup> Committee have full Power and authority in Conjunction with Solomon Mofsock and Elijah Weompey tow of said Tribe to make and Execute Deed or Deeds of said Land to the present Proprietors or Possesors of said Land ~~wh~~ which saide Deed or Deeds being made and Executed by the said Committee & said Solo.<sup>m</sup> & Elijah and Authenticated in Common

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Form & Recorded on Records of said Town of Farmington Shall Vest the Grantees in said Deeds Mentioned with an Absolute Estate <sup>^</sup> in sd Lands in fee

/May 1769/

pafs<sup>d</sup> in the upper Houfe  
Test George Wyllys Secret<sup>y</sup>

In the lower Houfe Read  
& Concur'd Teft W<sup>m</sup> Williams

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