
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY O'MARA, DELLOSO, BURNS, GALLOWAY, YOUNGBLOOD,
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NEILSON, ZABEL, DAVIDSON, QUINN, McCLINTON, BARRAR,
DONATUCCI, GREEN, KORTZ AND READSHAW, JUNE 23, 2020

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT, JUNE 23, 2020

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating June 10, 2020, as "Delco Day" in Pennsylvania.

2 WHEREAS, Each year on June 10, the residents of the County of
3 Delaware come together to celebrate the beloved community known
4 as "Delco" and to raise money for a local charity; and

5 WHEREAS, The festivities this year are postponed due to
6 unprecedented times faced by not just the County of Delaware or
7 this Commonwealth, but every corner of the globe due to the
8 COVID-19 pandemic; and

9 WHEREAS, The true spirit of Delco residents is shown through
10 their resilience, compassion and ability to be united together
11 in the cause for common good; and

12 WHEREAS, Although the celebration may be paused, "Delco Day"
13 will not cease its mission of representing the ability for the
14 residents of Delco to continue to rally together to help those
15 in need; and

16 WHEREAS, "Delco Day" uses all proceeds to support a chosen

1 charitable organization each year; and

2 WHEREAS, In the fine Delco fashion of adaptation and
3 overcoming, while this year's event is different from other
4 years, it is still raising money to support the HEADstrong
5 Foundation, an organization that works to improve the quality of
6 life for cancer patients; and

7 WHEREAS, The HEADstrong Foundation purchased a home in
8 Swarthmore Borough and fully renovated the home to serve
9 families affected by cancer on or after December 11, 2017; and

10 WHEREAS, The house is known as "Nick's House," after the
11 owner's son who passed away from cancer; and

12 WHEREAS, The house offers 2,555 complimentary nights of
13 comfort, support and respite annually for families displaced to
14 the Greater Philadelphia Region while seeking comprehensive
15 cancer care and potentially lifesaving clinical trials;
16 therefore be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate June
18 10, 2020, as "Delco Day" in Pennsylvania.