THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 330

Session of 1986

INTRODUCED BY BOWLEY, PRESSMANN AND BORTNER, JUNE 30, 1986

ADOPTED, JUNE 30, 1986

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating the Village and Township of Sheffield, Warren
- 2 County, on its 150th Anniversary.
- 3 WHEREAS, The Village of Sheffield, Pennsylvania, is
- 4 celebrating its Sesquicentennial Anniversary on July 10, 11, 12
- 5 and 13, 1986; and
- 6 WHEREAS, In 1836, Newton Lounsbury entered Sheffield Township
- 7 and built a temporary cabin residence along the Tionesta Creek
- 8 near the mouth of Two Mile Run and constructed a water-powered
- 9 sawmill; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The surrounding forest lands provided a natural
- 11 resource for a tanning and lumbering industry; and
- 12 WHEREAS, The discovery of oil and gas was instrumental in the
- 13 development of the area; and
- 14 WHEREAS, In 1872, "Sheffield Depot" was renamed "Sheffield"
- 15 and "Sheffield" was changed to "Barnes"; and
- 16 WHEREAS, The lumbering and oil and gas industries continue to
- 17 play a vital role in the economy of the area; and

- 1 WHEREAS, The Village of Sheffield is known as the "Heart of
- 2 the Allegheny National Forest"; therefore be it
- 3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives congratulate and
- 4 honor the citizens of the Village and Township of Sheffield,
- 5 Pennsylvania, on the meaningful and monumental occasion of its
- 6 150th Anniversary and express its hope that the beauty,
- 7 friendliness and growth of Sheffield will continue throughout
- 8 the coming years; and be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
- 10 the Township of Sheffield, Sheffield, Pennsylvania 16347.