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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

- 1 Designating the week of May 16 through 22, 2004, as "Emergency Medical Services Week" in Pennsylvania.
- 3 WHEREAS, There are more than 47,500 emergency medical
- 4 technicians (EMT-Bs Basic and EMT-Ps Paramedics) and 6,296
- 5 first responders who deliver 24-hour, seven-days-a-week
- 6 lifesaving care to persons in need; and
- 7 WHEREAS, This year's theme, "EMS: There When You Need Us,"
- 8 focuses on the commitment and dedication of the more than

- 1 750,000 providers nationwide who render essential community
- 2 services every day.
- 3 WHEREAS, "Emergency Medical Services Week" is a time when
- 4 Emergency Medical Services crews hold activities honoring
- 5 paramedics, emergency medical technicians, first responders,
- 6 firefighters and police and provide vital educational material
- 7 and training to adults and children on a variety of topics,
- 8 including injury prevention, safety awareness and medical
- 9 emergencies; and
- 10 WHEREAS, "Emergency Medical Services Week" is sponsored by
- 11 the American College of Emergency Physicians and organizational
- 12 sponsors, including the National Traffic Safety Administration
- 13 and the Emergency Medical Services for Children program;
- 14 therefore be it
- 15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor the
- 16 Commonwealth's emergency medical service workers by designating
- 17 the week of May 16 through 22, 2004, as "Emergency Medical
- 18 Services Week" in Pennsylvania.