THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 227 Session of 2004

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A RESOLUTION

| 1 2 | Designating the week of April 4, 2004, as "Rural Road Safety Week" in Pennsylvania. |
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| 3 | WHEREAS, Agriculture is Pennsylvania's number one industry; |
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| 5 | WHEREAS, Agriculture is dependent on the movement of farm |
| 6 | equipment on rural roads in this Commonwealth; and |
| 7 | WHEREAS, Farm equipment travels at slower speeds than other |
| 8 | traffic and is often wider than other vehicles; and |
| 9 | WHEREAS, Operators of farm equipment are not always aware of |
| 10 | their duties when operating those vehicles on roads; and |
| 11 | WHEREAS, Many drivers are not aware of the possible presence |
| 12 | of farm equipment on roads and the precautions that should be |
| 13 | taken on roads occupied by farm equipment; and |
| 14 | WHEREAS, The number of drivers on rural roads in this |
| 15 | Commonwealth is increasing; and |
| 16 | WHEREAS, It is the intent of the agricultural community to |
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1 raise awareness of the use of farm equipment on roads; therefore

2 be it

3 RESOLVED, That the Senate designate the week of April 4,

4 2004, as "Rural Road Safety Week" in Pennsylvania.