

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
JUNE 16, 2016

## A RESOLUTION

1 Designating June 18, 2016, as "Volunteer Youth Athletic Coaches'  
2 Day" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Thousands of men and women across this Commonwealth  
4 volunteer their time to coach youth sports at night and on  
5 weekends throughout the sports season and sometimes even all  
6 year round; and

7 WHEREAS, Volunteer youth athletic coaches help teach children  
8 on their sports teams not only the sports they are playing, but  
9 life skills, such as teamwork, sportsmanship and discipline; and

10 WHEREAS, Volunteer youth athletic coaches serve as mentors to  
11 children and can build relationships that last a lifetime; and

12 WHEREAS, Volunteer youth athletic coaches can become parental  
13 figures for children in need of parental guidance; and

14 WHEREAS, Volunteer youth athletic coaches help children  
15 experience teachable moments which can help shape their life

1 values for the future, such as making the last out of a baseball  
2 game, congratulating a teammate who scored a winning touchdown  
3 or consoling a teammate who allowed a winning goal; and

4 WHEREAS, No matter which sport or coaching level, volunteer  
5 youth athletic coaches should be recognized for the hard work  
6 they do and for the unpaid hours they put in to make learning  
7 and playing sports fun for the children of this Commonwealth;  
8 therefore be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate June  
10 18, 2016, as "Volunteer Youth Athletic Coaches' Day" in  
11 Pennsylvania and urge the residents of this Commonwealth to  
12 honor and thank the volunteer youth athletic coaches in their  
13 communities for their time, dedication and hard work mentoring  
14 the children of this Commonwealth.