## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED, MAY 10, 2017

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the 75th anniversary of the Civil Air Patrol Cadet 2 Program.
- 3 WHEREAS, The Senate takes great pride in recognizing those
- 4 organizations which, through adherence to the highest standards
- 5 of volunteer service, contribute in a meaningful way toward a
- 6 better and more productive society; and
- 7 WHEREAS, The Civil Air Patrol (CAP) and Pennsylvania Wing
- 8 Civil Air Patrol are celebrating the momentous occasion of the
- 9 75th anniversary of the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program, created
- 10 in December 1942; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania Wing has pursued the Civil Air Patrol's
- 12 Cadet Program mission with excellence in this Commonwealth
- 13 throughout the past 75 years and continues to do so today; and
- 14 WHEREAS, The proud and incredible heritage of the CAP Cadet
- 15 Program is a focus on developing America's youths to become
- 16 dynamic Americans, aerospace leaders and citizens of high

- 1 character who serve their nation, state, communities and fellow
- 2 citizens faithfully; and
- 3 WHEREAS, The Pennsylvania Wing Cadet Program includes the key
- 4 elements of leadership education, aerospace education, character
- 5 development and physical fitness; and
- 6 WHEREAS, CAP cadets gain first-hand experience in the
- 7 Learning, Leadership, Command and Executive phases of the Cadet
- 8 Program, progressively assuming increasing responsibilities for
- 9 personal leadership and leadership of others; and
- 10 WHEREAS, CAP cadets adhere to their cadet oath, which
- 11 concludes with their pledge to "advance my education and
- 12 training rapidly to prepare myself to be of service to my
- 13 community, state and nation"; and
- 14 WHEREAS, CAP cadets, along with their senior member adult
- 15 counterparts, train rigorously to attain emergency services
- 16 specialty qualifications and stand ready to engage in Civil Air
- 17 Patrol search and rescue and disaster relief and humanitarian
- 18 missions within this Commonwealth and across this nation; and
- 19 WHEREAS, CAP cadets learn and are taught by example to adhere
- 20 to the Civil Air Patrol core values of integrity, volunteer
- 21 service, excellence and respect; and
- 22 WHEREAS, Tens of thousands of young Pennsylvanians have
- 23 benefited from the education and experience gained through their
- 24 achievements in the CAP Cadet Program and now serve this
- 25 Commonwealth and our nation faithfully in all walks of life,
- 26 including military service, law enforcement, judicial service,
- 27 legislative service, education, industry, health care,
- 28 agriculture, transportation, trades and many others; and
- 29 WHEREAS, Cadet and senior members of Pennsylvania Wing are
- 30 scheduled to celebrate their achievements and communicate plans

- 1 for future service on May 10, 2017, "PA Wing Day" at the
- 2 Capitol; therefore be it
- 3 RESOLVED, That the Senate join with Pennsylvania Wing Civil
- 4 Air Patrol as it celebrates the joyous occasion of the 75th
- 5 anniversary of the Civil Air Patrol's Cadet Program; and be it
- 6 further
- 7 RESOLVED, That the Senate extend warmest wishes to the Civil
- 8 Air Patrol and Pennsylvania Wing Civil Air Patrol for a future
- 9 replete with ever-increasing success in service to this
- 10 Commonwealth, its communities and our nation; and be it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
- 12 Pennsylvania Wing Civil Air Patrol Headquarters, Building 3-108
- 13 Fort Indiantown Gap, Annville, Pennsylvania 17003.