
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 768 Session of
2008

INTRODUCED BY FAIRCHILD, ADOLPH, BELFANTI, BEYER, BISHOP, BOYD, BROOKS, BUXTON, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, COHEN, CONKLIN, COX, CREIGHTON, CUTLER, DIGIROLAMO, DONATUCCI, EACHUS, EVERETT, FABRIZIO, FLECK, FRANKEL, GEIST, GEORGE, GIBBONS, GINGRICH, GODSHALL, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HELM, HENNESSEY, HERSHEY, HICKERNELL, M. KELLER, KENNEY, KOTIK, KULA, MAJOR, MANN, MANTZ, McCALL, MELIO, MENSCH, METCALFE, MILLARD, R. MILLER, MOYER, MUSTIO, NAILOR, D. O'BRIEN, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PAYNE, PEIFER, PETRONE, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, QUINN, RAMALEY, RAPP, READSHAW, REICHLEY, ROCK, ROHRER, ROSS, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SANTONI, SAYLOR, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SIPTROTH, STERN, R. STEVENSON, SURRA, SWANGER, THOMAS, TRUE, VEREB, VULAKOVICH, WALKO, WATSON, J. WHITE, WOJNAROSKI, YOUNGBLOOD, SOLOBAY, KING, SHIMKUS AND MAHONEY, JUNE 4, 2008

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
JUNE 4, 2008

A RESOLUTION

1 Proclaiming the week of June 8 through 14, 2008, as "State
2 Veterans' Home Week."

3 WHEREAS, The history of our nation reflects the memories of
4 the men and women who have endeavored to preserve our freedom,
5 whose task, while indescribable in terms of sacrifice and
6 commitment, stands as a lasting tribute to the ideals we value
7 as Americans; and

8 WHEREAS, These heroes, every man and woman, relinquished a
9 part of their lives in defense of these United States, and their
10 struggles will never be forgotten, overlooked or underestimated;
11 and

1 WHEREAS, Those who served our country in the United States
2 Armed Forces forever carry the virtues of liberty, freedom and
3 the right to independence, and we, as citizens of the United
4 States of America, owe an inexpressible debt to these men and
5 women, and we take time here to thank each of these American
6 heroes, past and present; and

7 WHEREAS, The Commonwealth has, for more than 100 years,
8 provided a home for these distinguished veterans in need; and

9 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania will continue to honor its veterans by
10 providing them with support; therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That, in recognition of our veterans and veterans'
12 homes, the House of Representatives proclaim the week of June 8
13 through 14, 2008, as "State Veterans' Home Week" and encourage
14 all citizens to visit a State-supported home in Erie,
15 Hollidaysburg, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Scranton or Spring City
16 and thank these veterans and the personnel who serve them.