

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing, honoring and celebrating Chestnut Hill in the City
2 of Philadelphia upon its selection by the National Trust for
3 Historic Preservation as one of the 2010 Dozen Distinctive
4 Destinations.

5 WHEREAS, The Dozen Distinctive Destinations program of the
6 National Trust for Historic Preservation recognizes unique
7 cities and towns across the country working to preserve historic
8 character, promote heritage tourism, enhance community and
9 encourage others to enjoy all they have to offer; and

10 WHEREAS, Each year since 2000, the Dozen Distinctive
11 Destinations program has recognized authentic visitor
12 experiences created where a dynamic downtown, diverse cultural
13 activities, attractive architecture and a strong commitment to
14 historic preservation, sustainability and revitalization are all
15 present; and

16 WHEREAS, Chestnut Hill's unique characteristics include the
17 green ethic and heritage tourism infrastructure associated with
18 its dynamic downtown and preservation commitment; and

19 WHEREAS, With its historic character and charm as well as its

1 varied activities and broad appeal to individuals, couples and
2 families, Chestnut Hill exemplifies all that the City of
3 Philadelphia can and should be; and

4 WHEREAS, The National Trust for Historic Preservation is
5 promoting Chestnut Hill on a dedicated web page on its Internet
6 website, which more than 200,000 visitors access per month; and

7 WHEREAS, The National Trust for Historic Preservation is
8 further promoting Chestnut Hill with a feature story in its
9 award-winning magazine, *Preservation*; and

10 WHEREAS, Through February 28, 2010, members of the public are
11 voting online for a Fan Favorite among the 2010 destinations at
12 www.chestnuthillpa.com; therefore be it

13 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize, honor and celebrate
14 Chestnut Hill in the City of Philadelphia upon its selection by
15 the National Trust for Historic Preservation as one of the 2010
16 Dozen Distinctive Destinations; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
18 the Chestnut Hill Business Association at the Chestnut Hill
19 Visitor's Center, 8426 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia PA 19118.