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A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the month of October 2011 as "Archives Month" in
2 Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The historical documents and records of our nation
4 and our Commonwealth provide a crucial link to our past; and

5 WHEREAS, Appreciating this heritage and its lessons provides
6 immeasurable guidance for our future; and

7 WHEREAS, The House of Representatives has an established
8 archival repository for the records of elected members,
9 committees and administrative agencies of that body; and

10 WHEREAS, These historical records and documents, if not
11 professionally collected, cataloged and preserved by dedicated
12 archivists and staff and housed in a secure location, would be
13 lost to future generations of our citizens; therefore be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
15 invaluable contribution of its archival repository and its
16 committed staff members; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the
2 month of October 2011 as "Archives Month" in Pennsylvania; and
3 be it further

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives urge all
5 Pennsylvanians to visit their local archives, historical
6 repositories and libraries to learn more about the contributions
7 of historical documents and records to the discovery of the rich
8 heritage of this Commonwealth.