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# **MEMORANDUM**

To:

Members of the House of Representatives

From:

Representative Neal P. Goodman

Date:

January 5, 2011

Re:

Daffodil Days Awareness Week - March 14 - 20, 2011

In the near future, I plan to introduce a resolution designating March 14 through 20, 2011, as Daffodil Days Awareness week and congratulating the American Cancer Society for its commitment to research and public service.

In 2010, an estimated 75,260 people were diagnosed with some form of cancer in Pennsylvania. However, in large part because of the efforts of the American Cancer Society, the survival rates for men and women are increasing.

Daffodil Days is one of the American Cancer Society's longest running and most successful fundraisers. Last year's campaign in Pennsylvania raised \$3.8 million to support the American Cancer Society's lifesaving mission: to eliminate cancer as a life-threatening disease.

If you are interested in co-sponsoring this resolution, please contact Linda Reed at lreed@pahouse.net or at 787-2798.