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**MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT:** Re-Introduction of Legislation – (HB 2787)  
Prohibiting non-resident tax

**TO:** All House Members

**FROM:** Representative Ron Marsico

At the end of last session, I introduced legislation that would prohibit Harrisburg from petitioning to impose a non-resident tax. I now plan on re-introducing this legislation.

As you may know, Harrisburg has filed for *distressed city* status (Act 47) with the Department of Community and Economic Development. If granted said status, Harrisburg will have the ability to petition the court of common pleas to allow the imposition of an earned income tax on non-residents.

Prohibiting this tax is not new territory. In 2004, the General Assembly prohibited the city of Pittsburgh, which was designated as distressed under Act 47, from imposing a non-resident tax on commuters.

**Previous HB 2787 co-sponsors:** Barrar , Deluca , Fleck , Gabler, Gingrich , Grell , Harris , Hickernell , M. Keller , Killion , Major , Metcalfe , Millard , O'Neill , Pickett , Rock , Sonney , Stevenson , Tallman, Helm , Swanger and Clymer

If you are interested in joining me by cosponsoring this legislation, please feel free to contact Michelle or Anna, at 3-2014, or through GroupWise (Michelle Moore).