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TO: All Senators

FROM: Senator Jane C. Orie

DATE: April 25, 2011

SUBJECT: Firefighters Day (May 4th, 2011)

Next week I will be introducing a resolution designating May 4th as "Firefighters' Day" in Pennsylvania.

Firefighters dedicate their lives to the protection of life and property. Sometimes that dedication is in the form of the many selfless years working in the industry and in others it is the countless hours volunteered. In all cases, it is the risk of the ultimate sacrifice - a firefighter's life.

Firefighters' Day is meant to recognize and honor the sacrifices that firefighters make to ensure that their communities are as safe as possible. On this date, please join in remembering the past firefighters who have died while serving our communities and those that have dedicated their lives to protecting the safety of us all.

For 2010, I introduced **SR331** cosponsored by Senators ARGALL , BAKER , BROWNE, BRUBAKER , COSTA , DINNIMAN , ERICKSON , FARNESE, FERLO , FOLMER , FONTANA , GORDNER , GREENLEAF , KASUNIC , KITCHEN , LOGAN , MENSCH , O'PAKE , PIPPY , RAFFERTY , ROBBINS , SCARNATI , TARTAGLIONE , TOMLINSON , VOGEL, WARD, WAUGH , WILLIAMS , WOZNIAK , McILHINNEY , ALLOWAY, LEACH , STACK , D. WHITE and EARLL.

Please join me in cosponsoring this resolution by contacting Monica Armstrong at 787-6538 or by email at marmstrong@pasen.gov.

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