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**DATE:** July 29, 2011  
**TO:** All House Members  
**FROM:** Representative Richard Mirabito  
**SUBJECT:** A Resolution designating August 1 through 8, 2011, as "Walk for Peace Week" in Pennsylvania

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In the near future, I will be introducing a resolution designating the week of August 1 through 8, 2011, as "Walk for Peace Week" in Pennsylvania.

It is common knowledge that the world we live in is plagued by violence and hate, both domestically and abroad. For this reason, the need to promote peace and understanding around the globe, and more importantly in our Commonwealth, remains an essential task.

Last October, five residents from the Williamsport area decided to do their part in fostering the message of peace and community. They undertook the arduous task of completing a 13 month peace walk in an effort to show their unwavering support and advocacy for peace. Their participation in the "13 Moon Walk 4 Peace" has been inspirational to scores of individuals across the country and serves as a testament to their spirit of volunteerism.

In order to show our appreciation of their efforts and to support their cause, I would like to designate the week of August 1 through 8, 2011, as "Walk for Peace Week in Pennsylvania.

If you would like to join me in co-sponsoring this resolution, please contact Jeannie Kosier in my office at 772-1314 or [jkosier@pahouse.net](mailto:jkosier@pahouse.net). Thank you.