

MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 31, 2011
TO: All House Members
FROM: Representative Eugene DePasquale
SUBJECT: Co-Sponsorship: Hydrocephalus Awareness Month

In the near future, I will be introducing a resolution recognizing November 2011 as “Hydrocephalus Awareness Month” in Pennsylvania.

Hydrocephalus is the abnormal build up of cerebrospinal fluids on the brain. It affects an estimated 1 million Americans, including more than 375,000 older Americans who have been diagnosed with this condition. There is currently no cure for this disease. However, appropriate diagnoses and treatment can allow people with hydrocephalus to live full lives.

I ask that you to join me in recognizing November 2011, as “Hydrocephalus Awareness Month” in Pennsylvania and call upon citizens of the Commonwealth to observe these days by participating in appropriate activities to raise awareness of hydrocephalus and learning how to improve the quality of life for people suffering from this condition.

If you are interested in co-sponsoring this resolution, please contact Cynthia Clory at my Harrisburg office at (717) 787-7514 X 6611 or via email at cclory@pahouse.net.

Thank you.