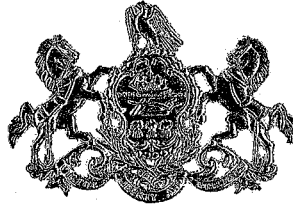


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**TO:** All Senators

**FROM:** Senator Elder Vogel, Jr. *EV*

**DATE:** January 18, 2012

**SUBJECT:** Co-Sponsorship: FFA Week in Pennsylvania

I will be reintroducing a resolution commemorating the week of February 20-26, 2012, as "FFA Week in Pennsylvania."

Founded in 1928, The FFA has served as an organization for students to interact with leaders in the agriculture community to develop leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education. Started as an organization for men, the FFA has grown to include both men and women of diverse backgrounds. Today, the FFA has over 540,000 members throughout the United States, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, with 43% of its membership being comprised of young women. Agriculture is the nation's largest employer, and the FFA has played a substantial role in contributing to its success.

For 2011, I introduced **SR 35** cosponsored by Senators Alloway, Argall, Baker, Blake, Boscola, Brubaker, Costa, Dinniman, Earll, Erickson, Ferlo, Folmer, Greenleaf, Gordner, Kasunic, Kitchen, Mensch, Orié, Pileggi, Rafferty, Robbins, Scarnati, Solobay, Ward, Washington, Waugh, D. White, and Yaw.

Please join me in cosponsoring this resolution by contacting Kacie Morrell at 787-3076 or by email at [kmorrell@pasen.gov](mailto:kmorrell@pasen.gov).

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