



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
HARRISBURG

MEMORANDUM

TO: All House Members

FROM: Rep. Jennifer L. Mann
Rep. Joseph F. Brennan
Rep. Gary W. Day
Rep. Julie Harhart
Rep. Steve Samuelson
Rep. Justin J. Simmons

DATE: March 5, 2012

SUBJECT: Resolution Commemorating the Bicentennial Anniversary of Lehigh County

In the near future, the Lehigh County delegation will be introducing a resolution commemorating Lehigh County on the occasion of its bicentennial celebration.

Lehigh County was formed on March 6, 1812 by splitting Northampton County in two, shortly before the outbreak of the War of 1812. Northampton Town was named county seat, and re-named Allentown, after William Allen, in 1838. The county has enjoyed a rich, prosperous history over the past two hundred years of existence.

Should you wish to be a co-sponsor on this resolution, please contact Kira Zickler by e-mail at kzickler@pahouse.net.