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## **RESOLUTION**

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Recommendation

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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Patrol Officer Eugene J. Ruddy of Dunmore Borough,
- 2 Lackawanna County, for his record of service to this
- 3 Commonwealth.
- 4 WHEREAS, Citizens who selflessly devote their lives to
- 5 ensuring the safety of the residents of their communities and
- 6 ultimately of all the people of this Commonwealth deserve
- 7 special recognition; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Patrol Officer Eugene J. Ruddy of Dunmore borough,
- 9 Lackawanna County, deserves such recognition for his heroism
- 10 during a structure fire; and
- 11 WHEREAS, A twelve-year veteran of the Dunmore Police
- 12 Department, Patrol Officer Ruddy was on patrol on September 21,
- 13 2013, when he smelled smoke; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Driving to the source, he saw flames coming from an
- 15 apartment building and without regard for his own safety, Patrol
- 16 Officer Ruddy entered the structure to rouse residents and
- 17 assist them from the building; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Through his laudable actions and deeds, he was able

- 1 to successfully remove eight individuals from the fire; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Patrol Officer Ruddy has faithfully displayed great
- 3 loyalty, commitment and professionalism in the performance of
- 4 his duties as a member of the Dunmore Police Department and
- 5 serves as a role model for all those who aspire to a career in
- 6 law enforcement; therefore be it
- 7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize Patrol
- 8 Officer Eugene J. Ruddy be recognized for his record of service,
- 9 which far exceeds those standards normally ascribed as
- 10 exemplary; and be it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the House of
- 12 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Patrol
- 13 Officer Eugene J. Ruddy, 215 Swartz Street, Dunmore,
- 14 Pennsylvania 18512.