

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of February 2 through 8, 2020, as "National  
2 Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda Week" in  
3 Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda  
5 (FBLA-PBL) is a nonprofit educational organization whose first  
6 chapter was established in Johnson City, Tennessee, in 1942; and

7 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania's first FBLA-PBL chapter was chartered  
8 at Blairsville High School in Indiana County in 1943; and

9 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania FBLA-PBL was chartered as a State  
10 chapter in 1952; and

11 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania FBLA-PBL has grown to encompass 14,500  
12 members Statewide and more than 250,000 members and advisers  
13 nationwide in middle schools, high schools, colleges,  
14 universities, career and technical schools and private business  
15 schools; and

16 WHEREAS, FBLA-PBL is a professional business organization  
17 dedicated to bringing business and education together in a  
18 positive working relationship through innovative leadership and

1 career development programs; and

2 WHEREAS, Members perform community service activities and  
3 strive to build a student's understanding of the realities of  
4 the modern business world; and

5 WHEREAS, FBLA-PBL teaches middle school and high school  
6 students basic business and leadership principles and assists in  
7 the transition from school to work; therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the  
9 week of February 2 through 8, 2020, as "National Future Business  
10 Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda Week" in Pennsylvania.