
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY DINNIMAN, ERICKSON, WOZNIAK, WASHINGTON, BREWSTER,
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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the month of September 2014 as "Senior Center Month"
2 in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Older Americans are significant members of our
4 society who invest their wisdom and experience to enrich the
5 lives of younger generations; and

6 WHEREAS, Senior centers have acted as catalysts for
7 mobilizing the creativity, energy, vitality and commitment of
8 the older residents of this Commonwealth; and

9 WHEREAS, Through the wide array of services, programs and
10 activities, senior centers empower older citizens of this
11 Commonwealth to contribute to their own health and well-being
12 and the health and well-being of their fellow citizens of all
13 ages; and

14 WHEREAS, Senior centers in this Commonwealth affirm the
15 dignity, self-worth and independence of older persons by
16 facilitating their decisions and actions, tapping their
17 experiences, skills and knowledge and enabling their continued

1 contributions to the community; and

2 WHEREAS, Research shows that older adults who participate in
3 senior center programs can learn to manage and delay the onset
4 of chronic disease and experience measurable improvements in
5 their physical, social, spiritual, emotional, mental and
6 economic well-being; therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the month of September
8 2014 as "Senior Center Month" in Pennsylvania and call upon all
9 citizens to recognize the special contributions of the senior
10 center participants and the special efforts of the staff and
11 volunteers who work every day to enhance the well-being of the
12 older citizens of our community.