## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 822

Session of 2010

INTRODUCED BY PICKETT, BAKER, BEYER, BOBACK, BROOKS, CAUSER, CREIGHTON, J. EVANS, EVERETT, FAIRCHILD, FLECK, GEIST, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GROVE, HELM, HENNESSEY, HESS, HUTCHINSON, KAUFFMAN, M. KELLER, KNOWLES, MAJOR, METCALFE, MILLARD, MILLER, MOUL, MUSTIO, OBERLANDER, PEIFER, PERRY, PHILLIPS, PYLE, RAPP, REED, REESE, SONNEY, STEVENSON AND TALLMAN, MAY 25, 2010

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, MAY 25, 2010

## A RESOLUTION

- Designating June 6, 2010, as "Veterans Appreciation Day" in Pennsylvania.
- 3 WHEREAS, Men and women from Bradford County and throughout
- 4 this Commonwealth have faithfully served in the armed forces of
- 5 the United States; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Throughout this nation's history, from the
- 7 Revolutionary War to our presence in Iraq and other areas of the
- 8 world, men and women of Bradford County and the other counties
- 9 of this Commonwealth have answered the call to defend our
- 10 freedom, our liberties and our ideals; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Throughout the history of Bradford County and this
- 12 entire Commonwealth, many of these men and women have paid the
- 13 supreme sacrifice by giving their lives or their freedom to
- 14 perpetuate the unique concept of life, liberty and pursuit of
- 15 happiness upon which this great nation was founded; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Each year, for the 22nd consecutive year, a picnic
- 2 is held in honor of all veterans; and
- 3 WHEREAS, This year a picnic will be held on June 6, 2010, in
- 4 their honor to show appreciation to all veterans for their
- 5 sacrifices to allow the American people the freedoms they enjoy
- 6 every day; and
- 7 WHEREAS, The picnic will be held at Hornbrook Park in
- 8 Towanda, Bradford County; and
- 9 WHEREAS, June 6, 2010, marks the 66th anniversary of D-Day,
- 10 which is the theme for this year's event; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Residents of Bradford County and all of the other
- 12 counties of this Commonwealth once again gather to recognize
- 13 these men and women who have served with honor; therefore be it
- 14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate June 6,
- 15 2010, as "Veterans Appreciation Day" in Pennsylvania; and be it
- 16 further
- 17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives encourage all
- 18 citizens of this Commonwealth to take part in honoring the men
- 19 and women who have served our nation.