

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 382 Session of
2012

INTRODUCED BY BRUBAKER, PILEGGI, DINNIMAN, STACK, FARNESE,
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WARD, D. WHITE, ARGALL, ALLOWAY, SCHWANK, GREENLEAF, BOSCOLA,
FERLO, MENSCH, M. WHITE AND BLAKE, OCTOBER 15, 2012

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A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the United Way as it celebrates the 125th anniversary
2 of its founding.

3 WHEREAS, The United Way was founded in Denver in 1887, in
4 1908 the United Way was established in Pittsburgh and there are
5 now 63 United Way organizations in this Commonwealth; and

6 WHEREAS, The United Way is the largest privately funded
7 nonprofit corporation in the world, with more than 1,800 United
8 Ways in 41 countries and territories; and

9 WHEREAS, The United Way focuses on identifying and resolving
10 pressing community issues; and

11 WHEREAS, The United Way strives to make measurable changes in
12 the communities through partnerships with schools, government
13 agencies, businesses, organized labor, financial institutions,
14 community development corporations, voluntary and neighborhood
15 associations, the faith community and others; and

16 WHEREAS, According to the United Way, the American Federation

1 of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)
2 have enjoyed a cooperative relationship with the United Way
3 since 1946 and both Pennsylvania NFL franchises, the
4 Philadelphia Eagles and the Pittsburgh Steelers, are strong
5 United Way supporters; therefore be it

6 RESOLVED, That the Senate honor the United Way on the 125th
7 anniversary of its founding and encourage all residents of this
8 Commonwealth to support the United Way.