
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 458 Session of
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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
SEPTEMBER 24, 2013

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing September 24, 2013, as "National Voter Registration
2 Day" in Pennsylvania and encouraging Pennsylvanians to
3 register and vote.

4 WHEREAS, In 2008, 6 million Americans did not vote because
5 they missed a registration deadline or did not know how to
6 register; and

7 WHEREAS, A Pennsylvania resident who is a citizen of the
8 United States for at least one month before the next primary,
9 special, municipal or general election, who is a resident of the
10 election district where the Pennsylvanian wants to register and
11 vote for at least 30 days before the next primary, special,
12 municipal or general election and is at least 18 years of age on
13 the day of the next primary, special, municipal or general
14 election may register and vote in Pennsylvania; and

15 WHEREAS, A Pennsylvanian may register to vote in person at a
16 county voter registration commission office, by mail
17 application, at a PennDOT office while acquiring a driver's

1 license and other State government offices, including State
2 offices that provide public assistance and services to persons
3 with disabilities, Armed Forces Recruiting Centers, County Clerk
4 of Orphans' Court offices, including each Marriage License
5 Bureau, Area Agencies on Aging, Centers for Independent Living,
6 county mental health and mental disability offices, student
7 disability services offices of the State System of Higher
8 Education, offices of special education and ADA Complementary
9 Paratransit offices; and

10 WHEREAS, The deadline to register for the municipal election
11 on November 5, 2013, is October 7, 2013; therefore be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize
13 September 24, 2013, as "National Voter Registration Day" in
14 Pennsylvania and encourage Pennsylvanians to register and vote.