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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the week of April 11 through 17, 2016, as "Eat for Peace Week" in Pennsylvania.
- WHEREAS, "Eat for Peace Week" was inspired by Philadelphian
- 4 Anthony Lucidonio, Jr., after opening his restaurant, Tony
- 5 Luke's, in Bahrain; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The House of Representatives understands the need
- 7 for people from all walks of life to recognize and appreciate
- 8 cultural differences; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Respectful collaboration among all nationalities,
- 10 customs and backgrounds is key in creating and maintaining a
- 11 peaceful world; and
- 12 WHEREAS, All people need to recognize the differences between
- 13 themselves and others and engage in the understanding of others;
- 14 and
- 15 WHEREAS, Regardless of race or ethnicity, all individuals
- 16 strive for happiness; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Anthony Lucidonio, Jr., found that when people eat
- 2 together they share cultural experiences and deepen
- 3 understanding and peace between individuals; and
- 4 WHEREAS, "Eat for Peace Week" asks that all people share a
- 5 meal with persons of various backgrounds and thereby take a
- 6 stride toward peace by shedding their stereotypes and
- 7 prejudices; therefore be it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives encourage
- 9 individuals to dine with people of diverse customs in order to
- 10 bring peace among different races and religions; and be it
- 11 further
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
- 13 week of April 11 through 17, 2016, as "Eat for Peace Week" in
- 14 Pennsylvania, in order to encourage all societies to recognize
- 15 differences in cultures and accept those differences to attain
- 16 acceptance and peace around the world.