
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 34 Session of 2017

INTRODUCED BY MATZIE, READSHAW, BARBIN, D. COSTA, FRANKEL, D. MILLER, KULIK, DeLUCA, O'BRIEN, NEILSON, BAKER, O'NEILL, DiGIROLAMO, BOBACK, PICKETT, HENNESSEY, LONGIETTI, GALLOWAY, MURT, CHARLTON, DAVIS, RYAN, ROZZI, DRISCOLL, MILLARD, CALTAGIRONE, DONATUCCI, WATSON, MARSICO, WARD, KINSEY, MACKENZIE, V. BROWN, DEAN, ROEBUCK, PASHINSKI, DOWLING, IRVIN, GABLER, THOMAS AND FREEMAN, JANUARY 23, 2017

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, JANUARY 23, 2017

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating January 30, 2017, as "Pennsylvanians with
2 Disabilities Day" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The act of May 26, 1988 (P.L.413, No.71), designated
4 January 30, Franklin Delano Roosevelt's birthday, as "Day of the
5 Disabled"; and

6 WHEREAS, The act of June 2, 1993 (P.L.44, No.14), amended the
7 act of May 26, 1988 (P.L.413, No.71), to designate January 30,
8 Franklin Delano Roosevelt's birthday, as "Pennsylvanians with
9 Disabilities Day"; and

10 WHEREAS, "Pennsylvanians with Disabilities Day" is meant,
11 according to the act of June 2, 1993 (P.L.44, No.14), to
12 recognize and honor "citizens of Pennsylvania who have
13 disabilities"; and

14 WHEREAS, Pennsylvanians with disabilities are valued members
15 of society and all members of society deserve the right to life,

1 liberty and the pursuit of happiness; and

2 WHEREAS, This Commonwealth has a history of valuing
3 individuals with disabilities and providing services intended to
4 promote each individual's ability to live, contribute and
5 achieve status in their respective communities; therefore be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate January
7 30, 2017, as "Pennsylvanians with Disabilities Day" in
8 Pennsylvania; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives encourage
10 Pennsylvanians to appropriately recognize and commemorate
11 individuals with disabilities who have distinguished themselves
12 and this Commonwealth in the spirit of the late President
13 Franklin Delano Roosevelt.