
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 93 Session of
2017

INTRODUCED BY READSHAW, D. COSTA, DEASY, LONGIETTI, KULIK,
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NEILSON, SONNEY, DUSH, GILLESPIE, GABLER, V. BROWN, ROEBUCK,
WATSON, SAYLOR, WARD, GROVE, MOUL, THOMAS AND DONATUCCI,
FEBRUARY 17, 2017

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
FEBRUARY 17, 2017

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the month of May 2017, as "Junior Achievement Month"
2 in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement is the world's largest
4 organization dedicated to educating students about work force
5 readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy through
6 experiential, hands-on programs; and

7 WHEREAS, More than 6,000 business, community and parent
8 volunteers touch the lives of more than 200,000 students each
9 year in kindergarten through grade 12 in public and private
10 school systems in this Commonwealth; and

11 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement's message of hope and prosperity
12 for the future helps prepare students to be the workers, leaders
13 and educated consumers of tomorrow; and

14 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement programs help prepare young

1 people for the real world by showing them how to generate wealth
2 and effectively manage it, how to create jobs that make their
3 communities more robust and how to apply entrepreneurial
4 thinking to the workplace; and

5 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement empowers young people to own
6 their economic success; and

7 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement believes in the boundless
8 potential of young people; is committed to the principles of
9 market-based economics and entrepreneurship; is passionate about
10 what its volunteers do, while practicing honesty, integrity and
11 excellence; respects the talents, creativity, perspectives and
12 backgrounds of all individuals; believes in the power of
13 partnership and collaboration and has conviction in the
14 educational and motivational impact of relevant, hands-on
15 learning; and

16 WHEREAS, Junior Achievement sustains our democracy by
17 strengthening communities with proven programs that focus on
18 work readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy; and

19 WHEREAS, In 2017, Junior Achievement commemorates the 78th
20 anniversary of its founding in this Commonwealth; therefore be
21 it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the
23 month of May 2017, as "Junior Achievement Month" in
24 Pennsylvania; and be it further

25 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
26 Dennis Gilfoyle, Junior Achievement of Western Pennsylvania,
27 5001 Centre Avenue #2, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.