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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 1090 Session of  
2018

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DIGIROLAMO, DUSH, HENNESSEY, HILL-EVANS, KAUFER, KINSEY,  
LONGIETTI, MADDEN, MILLARD, NEILSON, QUIGLEY, READSHAW, RYAN  
AND SONNEY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2018

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
SEPTEMBER 25, 2018

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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing September 29, 2018, as "Pick Up the Poconos Day" in  
2 Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, An official countywide litter pickup day, "Pick Up  
4 the Poconos Day" is scheduled for September 29, 2018; and

5 WHEREAS, "Pick Up the Poconos Day" is organized by the Pocono  
6 Mountains Visitors Bureau, along with Monroe 2030, the Monroe  
7 County Commissioners and the Monroe County Council of  
8 Governments; and

9 WHEREAS, "Pick Up the Poconos Day" is named after the  
10 campaign "Pick Up the Poconos," undertaken by the Pocono  
11 Mountains Visitors Bureau this past spring; and

12 WHEREAS, The campaign is designed to shine a light on the  
13 litter and pollution of the beautiful, natural area of the  
14 Poconos; and

15 WHEREAS, With 2,400 square miles encompassing Pennsylvania's  
16 Wayne, Pike, Monroe and Carbon counties, the Pocono Mountains

1 region is home to rolling mountain terrain, breathtakingly  
2 beautiful waterfalls, thriving woodlands and 170 miles of  
3 winding rivers; and

4 WHEREAS, Efforts by individuals and community organizations,  
5 including the Pocono Mountains Visitors Bureau, clean-up crews,  
6 community leaders, local waste disposal organizations and more,  
7 to reduce litter are deserving of recognition; therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize  
9 September 29, 2018, as "Pick Up the Poconos Day" in Pennsylvania  
10 and encourage communities across this Commonwealth to coordinate  
11 countywide or regional litter pickup events and activities to  
12 keep Pennsylvania clean and beautiful.