
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 71 Session of
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INTRODUCED BY DONATUCCI, BURNS, KORTZ, BIZZARRO, DIGIROLAMO,
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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
FEBRUARY 11, 2019

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the month of March 2019 as "National Nutrition
2 Month" in Pennsylvania as sponsored by the Academy of
3 Nutrition and Dietetics.

4 WHEREAS, "National Nutrition Month" is a nutrition education
5 and information campaign created by the Academy of Nutrition and
6 Dietetics to focus attention on the importance of making
7 informed food and nutrition choices and developing sound eating
8 and physical activity habits; and

9 WHEREAS, The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, which is the
10 world's largest organization of food and nutrition
11 professionals, has more than 100,000 credentialed practitioners;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, The Pennsylvania Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics,
14 an affiliate of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics,
15 advocates for promotion of optimal nutrition, health and well-
16 being in this Commonwealth and has nearly 3,700 members; and

1 WHEREAS, The majority of the Academy of Nutrition and
2 Dietetics's members are registered dietitian nutritionists,
3 dietetic technicians, registered and other dietetics
4 professionals holding degrees in nutrition and dietetics; and

5 WHEREAS, Food is the substance by which life is sustained;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, The type, quality and amount of food that
8 individuals consume each day play a vital role in overall health
9 and physical fitness; and

10 WHEREAS, There is a need for continuing nutrition education
11 and a wide-scale effort to enhance healthy eating practices
12 among the general public; and

13 WHEREAS, "National Nutrition Month" presents an opportunity
14 to increase public awareness of the transformative power of food
15 and nutrition; therefore be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
17 month of March 2019 as "National Nutrition Month" in
18 Pennsylvania as sponsored by the Academy of Nutrition and
19 Dietetics; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That all Pennsylvanians be encouraged to join the
21 campaign and become concerned about their nutrition and the
22 nutrition of others in the hope of achieving optimum health for
23 today and tomorrow.