House Resolution 68 By: Representative Rich of the 97th

A RESOLUTION

Recognizing and commending the Health for Humanity Yogathon on January 16-31, 2021;
 and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, the Health of Humanity Yogathon, also known as "Surya Namaskar Yajna"
(Sun Salutation Yogathon), is an annual event hosted by Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh USA
Inc. (HSS); and

6 WHEREAS, the purpose of the campaign is to encourage persons from all corners of the
7 country, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, faith, nationality, etc., to participate and achieve
8 their personal goals of a healthy lifestyle; and

9 WHEREAS, HSS launched the Health for Humanity Yogathon as an annual event in 2007
10 to create awareness about yoga and its advantages in achieving a healthy body, mind, and
11 spirit; and

WHEREAS, the campaign integrates simple postures of well-balanced movements in ten
steps with an easy breathing technique to provide immense health benefits for everyone from
beginners to yoga enthusiasts; and

- 15 WHEREAS, the campaign's inclusive and accessible approach has seen tremendous success
- 16 over the years, as evidenced by its more than 10,000 participants across 38 states; and
- 17 WHEREAS, the Health for Humanity Yogathon is a part of the organization's greater goal
- 18 to promote community spirit and ideals among Hindus residing in the United States.
- $19 \quad \text{NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that}$
- 20 the members of this body recognize and commend the Health for Humanity Yogathon on
- 21 January 16-31, 2021.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 24 public and the press.