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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 1121 Session of  
2018

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SCHWEYER, MARSICO, DALEY, GOODMAN, WATSON AND ZIMMERMAN,  
OCTOBER 5, 2018

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
OCTOBER 5, 2018

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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of November 10 through 18, 2018, as "Hunger  
2 and Homelessness Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The National Coalition for the Homeless and the  
4 National Student Campaign Against Hunger and Homelessness have  
5 sponsored "National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week" each  
6 year during the week prior to Thanksgiving; and

7 WHEREAS, The purpose of "National Hunger and Homelessness  
8 Awareness Week" is to educate the public about the many reasons  
9 people are hungry and homeless, including the shortage of  
10 affordable housing in this Commonwealth for very low-income  
11 residents, and to encourage support for homeless assistance  
12 service providers as well as community service opportunities for  
13 students and school service organizations; and

14 WHEREAS, Coordinated activities take place during this week

1 to promote education, service and action domestically and  
2 internationally with the aim of ending hunger and homelessness  
3 and strengthening individuals and communities; and

4 WHEREAS, The House of Representatives recognizes that hunger  
5 and homelessness continue to be serious problems for many  
6 families and individuals in this Commonwealth; therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the  
8 week of November 10 through 18, 2018, as "Hunger and  
9 Homelessness Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania and urge  
10 Pennsylvanians to gain a greater awareness of the problems of  
11 hunger and homelessness in their communities and this  
12 Commonwealth.