THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 319 Session of 2024

INTRODUCED BY RADER, ADAMS, VITALI, GILLEN AND ZIMMERMAN, FEBRUARY 9, 2024

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, FEBRUARY 9, 2024

A RESOLUTION

1 2 3	Recognizing the week of February 11 through 17, 2024, as "National Future Business Leaders of America Week" in Pennsylvania.
4	WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) is a
5	nonprofit educational organization whose first chapter was
6	established in Johnson City, Tennessee, in 1942; and
7	WHEREAS, Pennsylvania's first FBLA chapter was chartered at
8	Blairsville High School in Indiana County in 1943; and
9	WHEREAS, Pennsylvania FBLA was chartered as a State chapter
10	in 1952; and
11	WHEREAS, Pennsylvania FBLA has grown to encompass 14,500
12	members Statewide and more than 250,000 members and advisers
13	nationwide in middle schools, high schools, colleges,
14	universities, career and technical schools and private business
15	schools; and
16	WHEREAS, FBLA is a professional business organization
17	dedicated to bringing business and education together in a
18	positive working relationship through innovative leadership and

1 career development programs; and

2 WHEREAS, Members perform community service activities and 3 strive to build a student's understanding of the realities of 4 the modern business world; and

5 WHEREAS, FBLA teaches middle school and high school students 6 basic business and leadership principles and assists in the 7 transition from school to work; therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the 9 week of February 11 through 17, 2024, as "National Future 10 Business Leaders of America Week" in Pennsylvania.