
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 336 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY SAINATO, LONGIETTI, GIBBONS, BENNINGHOFF, KOTIK,
BROWNLEE, CALTAGIRONE, COHEN, DIGIROLAMO, DONATUCCI, DUSH,
GROVE, HENNESSEY, KINSEY, KIRKLAND, MILLARD, MURT, READSHAW,
SONNEY, THOMAS, VEREB, WATSON, BAKER, YOUNGBLOOD, MAHONEY AND
FARINA, MAY 12, 2015

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
MAY 12, 2015

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring volunteers and contributors across this Commonwealth
2 who participate in and support Relay For Life events and
3 recognizing Relay For Life of New Castle on its 21st year of
4 participation in the American Cancer Society's national Relay
5 For Life movement.

6 WHEREAS, The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is the
7 world's largest and most impactful fundraising event to end
8 cancer; and

9 WHEREAS, Relay For Life unites communities across the globe
10 to celebrate people who have battled cancer, remember loved ones
11 lost and take action to finish the fight against cancer; and

12 WHEREAS, Relay for Life events are held in more than 5,200
13 communities and 20 countries; and

14 WHEREAS, The Relay For Life of New Castle event will be held
15 on May 30, 2015, marking its 21st year of participation; and

16 WHEREAS, Over the last 20 years, this event has raised over
17 \$4 million dollars; and

1 WHEREAS, According to the American Cancer Society, the funds
2 raised by Relay For Life events help to save over 400 lives a
3 day; and

4 WHEREAS, Relay For Life events such as Relay For Life New
5 Castle raise more than \$400 million each year, which is invested
6 in groundbreaking cancer research and used to provide free
7 information and services to cancer patients and their
8 caregivers; and

9 WHEREAS, The annual event calls on individuals, businesses
10 and organizations to contribute their time, talent and resources
11 in bringing teams of volunteers to the event; therefore be it

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor volunteers
13 and contributors across this Commonwealth who participate in and
14 support Relay For Life events and recognize Relay For Life of
15 New Castle on its 21st year of participation in the American
16 Cancer Society's national Relay For Life movement.