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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 905 Session of  
2014

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THOMAS, TOEPEL, VEREB, WATSON, WHITE AND YOUNGBLOOD,  
JUNE 17, 2014

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
JUNE 17, 2014

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A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary's 75th  
2 anniversary.

3 WHEREAS, The United States Coast Guard Auxiliary was  
4 originally formed as the Volunteer Reserve of the Coast Guard by  
5 an act of Congress in June 1939; and

6 WHEREAS, The United States Coast Guard Auxiliary was renamed  
7 the Auxiliary following the creation of the Formal Coast Guard  
8 Reserve by an act of Congress in 1941; and

9 WHEREAS, The United States Coast Guard Auxiliary has become  
10 the premier volunteer organization in the United States,  
11 providing direct support and assistance to the Coast Guard; and

12 WHEREAS, The Coast Guard Auxiliary provides 2 million hours

1 of volunteer service to the Coast Guard and the boating  
2 population each year; and

3 WHEREAS, The Coast Guard Auxiliary annually saves hundreds of  
4 lives, rescues hundreds of stranded boaters and retrieves  
5 millions of dollars of property; and

6 WHEREAS, Four of the first five Coast Guard Auxiliary  
7 Flotillas were formed in the Philadelphia and southern New  
8 Jersey areas in 1940; and

9 WHEREAS, The Coast Guard Auxiliary has provided the boating  
10 population of the United States with 75 years of promoting safe  
11 recreational boating; and

12 WHEREAS, The Coast Guard Auxiliary is celebrating its 75th  
13 anniversary on the banks of the Delaware River, where the first  
14 Coast Guard activities took place in 1790; therefore be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor and pay  
16 tribute to the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary upon the 75th  
17 anniversary of its founding.