
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 102 Session of
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INTRODUCED BY REGAN, FARNESE, BREWSTER, DINNIMAN, K. WARD,
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SANTARSIERO, BAKER, AUMENT, MENSCH, FOLMER, SCHWANK, COSTA,
HUTCHINSON AND KILLION, MAY 1, 2019

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED, MAY 1, 2019

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of May 12 through 18, 2019, as "National
2 Police Week" and designating May 6, 2019, as "Police
3 Officers' Memorial Day" in Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, Since the beginning of law enforcement within this
5 Commonwealth, hundreds of police officers have made the ultimate
6 sacrifice while in the line of duty; and

7 WHEREAS, Deputy United States Marshal Christopher David Hill,
8 with the United States Marshals Service, made the ultimate
9 sacrifice on January 18, 2018, while attempting to serve an
10 arrest warrant with the Middle Pennsylvania Fugitive Task Force;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, Detective Sergeant Brian Scott Cuscino, with the New
13 Castle Police Department, made the ultimate sacrifice on April
14 19, 2018, while participating in the department's mandatory
15 physical fitness program; and

16 WHEREAS, Police Officer Alex Sable, with the York City Police
17 Department, made the ultimate sacrifice on May 9, 2018, during a

1 SWAT training exercise; and

2 WHEREAS, Police Officer Raymond Diaz, Jr., with the
3 Philadelphia Police Department, made the ultimate sacrifice on
4 September 9, 2016, due to complications from injuries sustained
5 during an on-the-job incident; and

6 WHEREAS, Across the United States, the week of May 12 through
7 18, 2019, is being recognized as "National Police Week"; and

8 WHEREAS, The first "National Police Officers' Memorial Day"
9 was held on May 15, 1982, following a proclamation signed by
10 President John F. Kennedy on October 1, 1962; and

11 WHEREAS, The observance continues to be held annually in
12 memory of those police officers who have made the ultimate
13 sacrifice in the line of duty; therefore be it

14 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the week of May 12
15 through 18, 2019, as "National Police Week" and designate May 6,
16 2019, as "Police Officers' Memorial Day" in Pennsylvania; and be
17 it further

18 RESOLVED, That the Senate honor the memory of the hundreds of
19 police officers who have given their lives in the line of duty
20 in this Commonwealth.