THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 207 Session of 2023

INTRODUCED BY REGAN, PHILLIPS-HILL, MARTIN, HAYWOOD, BROWN, HUGHES AND CULVER, NOVEMBER 15, 2023

REFERRED TO RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, NOVEMBER 15, 2023

A RESOLUTION

1 2	Designating the week of November 11 through 18, 2023, as "Kindness Week" in Pennsylvania.
3	WHEREAS, Since 1988, "World Kindness Day" has been celebrated
4	across the globe on November 13; and
5	WHEREAS, The World Kindness Movement was established to
6	promote kindness worldwide, to demonstrate the positive impacts
7	of large and small acts of kindness and to encourage harmony
8	among people; and
9	WHEREAS, Random acts of kindness to strangers and friends
10	alike can have meaningful, lifelong impacts on the recipient;
11	and
12	WHEREAS, When bystanders witness acts of kindness they are
13	likely to perform their own acts of kindness; and
14	WHEREAS, When individuals start making an effort to do small
15	acts of kindness it becomes a habit, which improves communities
16	and makes others feel valued; and
17	WHEREAS, Kindness Worldwide, Inc., was founded in 2023 in
18	York, Pennsylvania, following a stranger's random act of

1 kindness; and

2 WHEREAS, Kindness Worldwide is leading an effort in this3 Commonwealth to celebrate Kindness Week; and

4 WHEREAS, Stories of kindness are encouraged to be shared on 5 www.kindnessworldwide.org and its social media pages; therefore 6 be it

7 RESOLVED, That the Senate designate the week of November 11
8 through 18, 2023, as "Kindness Week" in Pennsylvania; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That the Senate encourage all residents of 11 Pennsylvania to perform at least one act of kindness each day 12 during "Kindness Week."