THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 382 Session of 2022

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A RESOLUTION

- Honoring the life and achievements of the Honorable Jeffrey Paul 2 Pyle and expressing heartfelt condolences to his many family
- members, friends and colleagues. 3
- WHEREAS, The Honorable Jeffrey Paul Pyle, a former member of 4
- the Pennsylvania House of Representatives, passed away on
- September 14, 2022, at 58 years of age, following a long battle
- 7 with cancer; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle, the son of Theodore and Janet
- Pyle, was born August 30, 1964, in Kittanning and graduated from
- 10 Ford City High School in 1982; and
- WHEREAS, Representative Pyle earned a Bachelor of Arts degree 11
- 12 in Political Science from West Virginia University and a
- 13 Bachelor of Science degree in Social Studies Education from
- 14 Indiana University of Pennsylvania; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle began his career as an American
- History, Government and Sociology teacher for the Armstrong 16
- School District from 1992 to 2004; and 17

- 1 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle cared greatly for the welfare of
- 2 all his students and was named "Educator of the Year" in 1999 by
- 3 the Armstrong School District in recognition of his efforts with
- 4 drug abuse prevention; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle was named "Conservation Educator
- 6 of the Year" by the Armstrong Conservation District in 2000; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle was an active member of his
- 8 local community, serving as the Mayor of Ford City from 2001 to
- 9 2004; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle dutifully served the people of
- 11 the 60th Legislative District as their State representative for
- 12 16 years from 2005 to 2021; and
- 13 WHEREAS, A kidney cancer diagnosis in 2005 and his subsequent
- 14 battle with cancer over the years never prevented Representative
- 15 Pyle from being an ardent advocate of the needs of his
- 16 constituents and a dedicated servant to the residents of this
- 17 Commonwealth; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle's strong work ethic, good humor,
- 19 enthusiasm and genuine nature left a lasting impact upon many
- 20 members in both chambers of the General Assembly; and
- 21 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle's lifelong passion and
- 22 commitment to education will be hereafter memorialized by the
- 23 completion of the new Butler County Community College campus in
- 24 Ford City, a project made possible only by the vision, hard work
- 25 and dedication of Representative Pyle; and
- 26 WHEREAS, Representative Pyle leaves behind his loving wife of
- 27 28 years, Michele Pyle (née Buccieri), and their two daughters,
- 28 Lauren and Katherine; therefore be it
- 29 RESOLVED, That the Senate honor the life and achievements of
- 30 the Honorable Jeffrey Paul Pyle and express heartfelt

1	condolences	to	his	many	family	members,	friends	and	colleagues.