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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY
JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2024

HOUSE RESOLUTION<br>COMMEMORATING "NATIONAL SCHOOL COUNSELING WEEK" ON FEBRUARY 5-9, 2024, IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Introduced By: Representatives McNamara, Shekarchi, Blazejewski, Biah, Donovan, Chippendale, Potter, Cruz, Ackerman, and Kislak
Date Introduced: February 01, 2024
Referred To: House read and passed

WHEREAS, School counselors are employed in public and private schools to help students reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS, School counselors are actively committed to helping students explore their abilities, strengths, interests, and talents as these traits relate to career awareness and development; and

WHEREAS, School counselors help parents focus on ways to further the educational, personal and social growth of their children; and

WHEREAS, School counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and

WHEREAS, School counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become productive members of society; and

WHEREAS, Comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island hereby commemorates February 5-9, 2024, as "National School Counseling Week"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Kristi Lombardo, President, Rhode Island

1 School Counselor Association.

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