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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 107 Session of  
2015

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INTRODUCED BY BRIGGS, KIRKLAND, BENNINGHOFF, KIM, HARHART,  
HENNESSEY, D. COSTA, BAKER, COX, DONATUCCI, COHEN,  
DIGIROLAMO, ROZZI, READSHAW, SCHWEYER, SANKEY, FREEMAN,  
MCNEILL, VEREB, V. BROWN, ACOSTA, BROWNLEE, BARRAR, MUSTIO,  
FARINA, PAYNE, ROSS, HELM, MARSICO, TOEPEL, MILLARD,  
CALTAGIRONE, WHEELAND, KINSEY, HEFFLEY, DeLUCA, ELLIS, GRELL,  
MAHONEY, MURT AND EVERETT, FEBRUARY 24, 2015

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
FEBRUARY 24, 2015

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A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and public service contributions of William F.  
2 Ross of Montgomery County and extending condolences to his  
3 family.

4 WHEREAS, William F. Ross, known by his family as Bill, died  
5 surrounded by family on January 29, 2015, at 92 years of age;  
6 and

7 WHEREAS, A graduate of Upper Merion High School and The  
8 Pennsylvania State University, Mr. Ross was a devoted member of  
9 the former Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Bridgeport and the  
10 Holy Name Society; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Ross served with distinction in the United  
12 States Army in the Battle of the Bulge, Central Europe and  
13 Rhineland campaigns during World War II; and

14 WHEREAS, No stranger to public service, Mr. Ross held elected  
15 office as an Upper Merion Township Supervisor, previously

1 chaired the Montgomery County Democratic Party and was a member  
2 of the Montgomery County Redevelopment Authority; and

3 WHEREAS, An entrepreneur, Mr. Ross owned the National Paint  
4 Center and worked as a real estate agent; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Ross participated in the Upper Merion Lions Club  
6 and served as president of the L.A.M.-Valley Forge Lodge 1776  
7 Sons of Italy; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Ross, who is survived by his loving wife Dorothy  
9 and other family members, is deeply missed by all who knew him;  
10 therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor the life  
12 and public service contributions of William F. Ross of  
13 Montgomery County and extend condolences to his family; and be  
14 it further

15 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to  
16 the family of William F. Ross.