THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY BOROWICZ, GREINER, LEADBETER, SCHMITT, ROSSI, KAUFFMAN, M. JONES, ROWE, HAMM, ROAE, RAPP, MENTZER, ZIMMERMAN AND MOUL, JUNE 13, 2024

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, JUNE 13, 2024

A RESOLUTION

- Designating the month of June 2024 as "Life Month" in Pennsylvania.
- 3 WHEREAS, The right to life is one of the founding principles
- 4 of our nation; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The Constitution of Pennsylvania does not include a
- 6 right to abortion; and
- 7 WHEREAS, The Federal Government, the Commonwealth and local
- 8 government entities have the duty to protect the life of all
- 9 individuals; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The development of scientific and medical technology
- 11 has demonstrated repeatedly the humanity of the unborn child;
- 12 and
- 13 WHEREAS, More than 63 million lives have been lost over the
- 14 past 50 years because of the unethical decision of Roe v. Wade;
- 15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, On June 24, 2022, the United States Supreme Court
- 17 issued its decision in the Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health

- 1 Organization case, which overturned Roe v. Wade; and
- 2 WHEREAS, A new birth of freedom began again for the unborn;
- 3 and
- 4 WHEREAS, Numerous states have passed laws protecting the
- 5 unborn since Roe v. Wade was overturned, and preliminary data
- 6 suggests approximately 32,000 lives were saved in the first six
- 7 months of 2023 as a result; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Our children and our children's children will not
- 9 live in a time in America when we killed the most innocent among
- 10 us; and
- 11 WHEREAS, The General Assembly must continue to protect and
- 12 affirm the lives of all Pennsylvanians; therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the
- 14 month of June 2024 as "Life Month" in Pennsylvania; and be it
- 15 further
- 16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives call on all
- 17 churches, businesses and communities to celebrate the two-year
- 18 anniversary of the historic overturning of Roe v. Wade on June
- 19 24, 2024.