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SYNOPSIS

Designates November of each year as "Veterans' Month" in the State of New Jersey.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 **A JOINT RESOLUTION** designating the month of November of each
2 year as Veterans' Month in the State of New Jersey in recognition
3 of the accomplishments, contributions and sacrifices of veterans in
4 the service of this nation and State.

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6 **WHEREAS**, Although brave men and women have throughout our
7 nation's history served with honor in the Armed Forces of this
8 country and participated in wars and conflicts in which this country
9 has engaged, their contributions, sacrifices and heroism are in
10 danger of being forgotten by the general public or of being taken
11 for granted; and

12 **WHEREAS**, We Americans should express our respect and gratitude
13 for the millions of men and women who have served our nation as
14 members of the Armed Forces; and

15 **WHEREAS**, We should remember the selflessness and valor of those
16 brave men and women who answered their country's call to duty
17 and participated in the wars and conflicts of this nation or served
18 during times of peace; and

19 **WHEREAS**, We should remember those who were captured by the
20 enemy or who are missing in action and whose fate is still unknown;
21 and

22 **WHEREAS**, Americans and millions of people around the world enjoy
23 the blessings of freedom, peace, and representative government
24 because our veterans were willing to risk their lives for them; and

25 **WHEREAS**, The people of this State owe a great debt of gratitude to
26 all our military veterans who have stood, in times of peace and war,
27 for the value of individual liberty and a free and democratic
28 government; and

29 **WHEREAS**, It is fitting and proper that this Legislature express its
30 recognition of and appreciation for the contributions, heroism and
31 sacrifices of these dedicated and valiant men and women and for
32 their devotion to duty, flag and country by declaring the month of
33 November of each year as Veterans' Month in the State of New
34 Jersey; now, therefore,

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36 **BE IT RESOLVED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
37 *of New Jersey:*

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39 1. The month of November of each year is designated as "Veterans'
40 Month" in the State of New Jersey in recognition of the
41 accomplishments, contributions and sacrifices of veterans in the
42 service of this nation and State.

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44 2. The Governor is requested to annually issue a proclamation
45 calling upon public officials and citizens of this State to observe
46 "Veterans' Month" with appropriate activities and programs.

1 3. This joint resolution shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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6 This resolution designates the month of November of each year as
7 "Veterans' Month" in New Jersey in recognition of the
8 accomplishments, contributions and sacrifices of veterans in the
9 service of this nation and State. Its purpose is to acknowledge and
10 commemorate the sacrifices endured and the valor displayed by
11 veterans during the wars and conflicts of this nation and during times
12 of peace.