HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.162

Reps. Glenn, Bollin, Crawford, Love, Schroeder, Wittenberg and Yaroch offered the following resolution:

- 1 A resolution to declare September 17-23, 2019, as Constitution
- 2 Week in the state of Michigan.
- 3 Whereas, September 17, 2019, marks the two hundred and thirty-
- 4 second anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the
- 5 United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and
- 6 Whereas, The 232nd anniversary of the signing of the
- 7 Constitution provides an historic opportunity for citizens
- 8 throughout Michigan and the nation to pay tribute to our Founding
- 9 Fathers and to reflect on the rights, privileges, and
- 10 responsibilities of citizenship; and
- 11 Whereas, By instilling faith in the promise of democracy, the



United States Constitution has served as a model for democratic 1 governments around the globe; and 2 Whereas, The United States Constitution secured our commitment 3 to freedom and democracy, a commitment which has guided us through 4 more than two centuries of enormous growth and change; and 5 6 Whereas, We encourage all citizens to study the Constitution 7 and reflect on the privilege of being an American with all the 8 rights and responsibilities which that privilege involves; and 9 Whereas, The Constitution of the United States of America, the 10 quardian of our liberties, embodies the principles of limited 11 government in a Republic dedicated to rule by law; and 12 Whereas, Constitution Week is a time to emphasize citizens' responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution; 13 14 now, therefore, be it 15 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of

this legislative body declare September 17-23, 2019, as

Constitution Week in the state of Michigan.

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