HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.192

Rep. Andrews offered the following resolution: 1 A resolution to declare February 11-17, 2024, as Michigan 2-1-2 1 Week in the state of Michigan. 3 Whereas, Launched in 2002, Michigan 2-1-1 is a service provided at no cost to Michigan residents and connects them with 4 thousands of both public and private health and human services 5 6 agencies and resources right in their communities-quickly, easily, 7 and confidentially; and 8 Whereas, The Michigan 2-1-1 helpline is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year via phone, email, live chat, and online 9 databases; and 10 Whereas, Michigan 2-1-1 has supported Michigan during recent 11 12 disasters, including recent water contamination crises, tornados,

- 1 flooding, and global crises, including providing information
- 2 relating to the COVID-19 emergency; and
- 3 Whereas, 433,000 individuals across the state of Michigan
- 4 contacted Michigan 2-1-1 for assistance with housing, utility
- 5 assistance, food, job training, and other resources in just the
- 6 last year alone; and
- 7 Whereas, The state of Michigan recognizes Michigan 2-1-1's
- 8 service as a valued community asset and is grateful to the
- 9 dedicated community care advocates at Michigan 2-1-1 for their
- 10 efficient, effective, and compassionate response to the growing
- 11 needs of residents; and
- 12 Whereas, Coinciding with February 11 (2-11), this week is
- 13 appropriate for recognition of the beneficial services provided by
- 14 2-1-1 community care advocates through the Michigan 2-1-1; now,
- 15 therefore, be it
- 16 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of
- 17 this legislative body declare February 11-17, 2024, as Michigan 2-
- 18 1-1 Week in the state of Michigan. We urge increased awareness of
- 19 the beneficial services available to those residents in need.