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House of Representatives
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
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MEMORANDUM

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Scott Conklin 

DATE: April 5, 2011

SUBJECT: Proposed Legislation – "Letter Carrier Food Drive Day" Resolution

In the near future, I intend to introduce a resolution designating May 14, 2011, as "Letter Carrier Food Drive Day" in Pennsylvania; and commending the National Association of Letter Carriers for its humanitarian efforts to eliminate hunger.

On Saturday, May 14, 2011, the National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) will conduct the 19th annual NALC "Stamp Out Hunger" food drive to combat hunger. This is the largest one-day food drive in the nation, which is held in all 50 states and territories of the United States. Letter carriers will collect nonperishable donations as they deliver mail along their postal routes. The food will be collected in over 10,000 communities by nearly 1,500 local branches of the postal union, along with rural carriers and other volunteers. Donations will be delivered to food banks, pantries and shelters that serve the area where the donations are collected.

The resolution will encourage postal patrons to participate by leaving donations by their mailboxes on May 14, 2011. It also will commend the National Association of Letter Carriers and its cosponsors for their humanitarian efforts to stamp out hunger.

If you wish to co-sponsor this resolution, please call Kim at 7-9473 or via email at kacri@pahouse.net.

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