

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Captain Peter Crespo, Station Captain of Ladder 22 of
2 the Philadelphia Fire Department, for his extraordinary
3 accomplishments and contributions to the Commonwealth in
4 observance of "Hispanic Heritage Month" in Pennsylvania.

5 WHEREAS, An 11-year veteran of the Philadelphia Fire
6 Department, Captain Peter Crespo is dedicated to public safety;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo is of Puerto Rican descent and a
9 native of the City of Philadelphia; and

10 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo earned an associate degree in fire
11 safety and a bachelor of science degree in emergency management
12 and is currently pursuing a master's degree in homeland
13 security; and

14 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo holds several certifications,
15 including Technical Rescue and HAZMAT Operations, and has been
16 certified by the National Fire Academy in numerous additional
17 capacities; and

18 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo has attained distinction as a

1 supervisor of a Special Operations Company, instructor and
2 facilitator of Fire Cadet classes at the Philadelphia Fire
3 Academy and member of Pennsylvania Task Force One; and

4 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo was the youngest individual and first
5 Latino appointed Executive Chief and Deputy Commissioner of the
6 Philadelphia Fire Department; and

7 WHEREAS, In his role as Executive Chief, Captain Crespo
8 directly assisted the Fire Commissioner, headed Philadelphia
9 Fire Department's Media and Public Relations division and
10 assisted with special projects and event coordination; and

11 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo served on Governor Tom Wolf's
12 transition committee for the Pennsylvania Emergency Management
13 Agency; and

14 WHEREAS, Captain Crespo was recently appointed Station
15 Captain of Ladder 22 of the Philadelphia Fire Department, the
16 largest fire department in our Commonwealth; and

17 WHEREAS, The Philadelphia Fire Department is one of the
18 oldest established fire departments and the fifth largest public
19 safety department in the United States; and

20 WHEREAS, The month of September 15 through October 15 is
21 observed as "Hispanic Heritage Month" in Pennsylvania in order
22 to celebrate the value of our diversity and the rich culture
23 which makes our Commonwealth and our nation so extraordinary;
24 therefore be it

25 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor Captain
26 Peter Crespo, Station Captain of Ladder 22 of the Philadelphia
27 Fire Department, for his extraordinary accomplishments and
28 contributions to the Commonwealth in observance of "Hispanic
29 Heritage Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Recommendation	

By Hon. _____	