

SPONSOR: Rep. Brady on behalf of all Representatives & Sen. Poore on behalf of all Senators

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 149th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 87

RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF MAY 7-14, 2018 AS "TRAVEL AND TOURISM WEEK" IN DELAWARE.

1	WHEREAS, Delaware, has been compared to a diamond, a state endowed with great natural beauty, abundant
2	agriculture, premier beaches, tax free shopping and a vibrant business community; and
3	WHEREAS, each county is uniquely different offering history, culture, gardens, magnificent mansions, NASCAR,
4	Firefly, incredible birding and arts; and
5	WHEREAS, tourism is the fifth largest sector of the Delaware economy overall, generating \$3.3 billion in GDP to
6	the Delaware Economy; and
7	WHEREAS, 9 million visitors come to Delaware on an annual basis to enjoy the splendor our state offers; and
8	WHEREAS, some \$504 million in direct tax and fee revenue is derived from tourism in Delaware; and
9	WHEREAS, hospitality and other tourism related businesses comprise the fourth largest source of private sector
10	employment in Delaware; and
11	WHEREAS, the Greater Wilmington Convention and Visitors Bureau, Kent County Tourism and Southern
12	Delaware Tourism do an outstanding job of promoting our state as a travel and tourism destination.
13	NOW, THEREFORE:
14	BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives of the 149th General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the
15	Senate concurring therein, that the week of May 7 to May 14, 2018, is "Travel and Tourism Week" in Delaware.
	<u>SYNOPSIS</u>
	This House Comment Description recomines the week of May 7 to May 14, 2019, as "Travel and Tourism Week?"

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