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## DELAWARE STATE SENATE 152nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38

DESIGNATING APRIL 23-29, 2023, AS "DELAWARE LIBRARY WEEK" IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

1	WHEREAS, National Library Week is April 23-29, 2023; and
2	WHEREAS, public libraries are important institutions that provide free and equitable access to information,
3	technology, and resources that enrich the lives of all Delawareans; and
4	WHEREAS, libraries in communities, schools, and on campuses play a vital role in the education, enrichment, and
5	empowerment of Delawareans of all ages, backgrounds, and abilities; and
6	WHEREAS, school libraries and school librarians are vital partners with students, families, and other teachers in
7	promoting student success and achievement; and
8	WHEREAS, academic libraries are essential to the success of colleges and universities, providing students and
9	faculty with access to a wealth of information resources, research assistance, and learning spaces; and
10	WHEREAS, the dedicated staff of libraries work tirelessly to provide exceptional services and resources,
11	enriching the lives of their community members; and
12	WHEREAS, the Delaware Library Association has designated the week of April 23-29, 2023, as "Delaware
13	Library Week," a time to celebrate the contributions of public libraries, school libraries, academic libraries and the
14	librarians and library workers who so ably serve their communities, schools, and campuses;
15	NOW, THEREFORE:
16	BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the 152nd General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the House of
17	Representatives concurring therein, that April 23-29, 2023, is designated as "Delaware Library Week," and all Delawareans
18	are encouraged to visit their local libraries, participate in library programs and events, and show their support for these
19	valuable community resources.
20	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the librarians and library workers of Delaware are commended for their
21	tireless dedication to serving their communities, schools, and campuses, and thank them for their vital contributions to our
22	state's education, culture, and quality of life.

## **SYNOPSIS**

This Resolution designates April 23-29, 2023, as "Delaware Library Week" in the State of Delaware.

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