



SPONSOR: Rep. Romer & Rep. Dorsey Walker on behalf of all Representatives

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
152nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 19

RECOGNIZING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2023 AS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH.

1 WHEREAS, breast cancer has impacted many individuals and families throughout Delaware and the nation; and
2 WHEREAS, breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer among females in the U.S. and Delaware, with
3 1,050 anticipated new breast cancer diagnoses among Delawareans in 2023; and
4 WHEREAS, numerous local and national organizations work tirelessly to connect individuals with breast cancer
5 screening and treatment services; and
6 WHEREAS, thousands of Delawareans will receive screenings, attend various outreach events, health fairs, and
7 breast health presentations in 2023; and
8 WHEREAS, women are encouraged to inquire with their healthcare provider about genetic or hereditary risk
9 factors to breast cancer; and
10 WHEREAS, we recognize survivors for their incredible strength, we stand with those currently fighting, and we
11 honor the memory of those who have lost their battle with breast cancer; and
12 WHEREAS, we thank Delaware's health organizations for their leadership in the fight against breast cancer.
13 NOW, THEREFORE:
14 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 152nd General Assembly of the State of Delaware, that
15 October is recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.
16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the House of Representatives calls upon citizens, government agencies, and
17 others to raise awareness and support related to breast cancer so that Delawareans may live longer and healthier lives.

SYNOPSIS

This resolution recognizes the month of October 2023 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.