

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 302

Reps. Reilly, Gay-Dagnogo, Afendoulis, Allor, Bellino, Bollin, Brann, Byrd, Calley, Cambensy, Cole, Crawford, Eisen, Frederick, Green, Greig, Griffin, Hauck, Hoadley, Hoitenga, Huizenga, Cynthia Johnson, Jones, Kahle, Kennedy, LaFave, Leutheuser, Lightner, Lilly, Lower, Maddock, Markkanen, Meerman, Miller, Mueller, Cynthia Neeley, O'Malley, Paquette, Peterson, Rendon, Schroeder, Slagh, Sneller, VanSingel, Vaupel, Wakeman, Webber, Whiteford, Whitsett, Witwer, Wozniak and Yancey offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to declare September 24, 2020, as a Day of
2 Prayer, Fasting, and Humiliation in the state of Michigan.

3 Whereas, Our state and nation cries out in pain, grief,
4 anxiety, and worry; and

5 Whereas, We restate the proclamation of President Lincoln: "it



1 is fit and becoming in all people, at all times, to acknowledge and
2 revere the Supreme Government of God," and "that the fear of the
3 Lord is the beginning of wisdom."; and

4 Whereas, We humbly ask almighty God in accordance with His
5 sovereignty to heal our land of calamities, division, anger, and
6 strife; and

7 Whereas, We further quote President Lincoln to, "earnestly
8 recommend to all the People, and especially to all ministers and
9 teachers of religion of all denominations, and to all heads of
10 families, to observe and keep that day according to their several
11 creeds and modes of worship, in all humility and with all religious
12 solemnity, to the end that the united prayer of the nation may
13 ascend to the Throne of Grace and bring down plentiful blessings
14 upon our Country"; and

15 Whereas, We have confidence that in accordance with God's
16 will, our nation and state will be healed and unified; now,
17 therefore, be it

18 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of
19 this legislative body declare September 24, 2020, as a Day of
20 Prayer, Fasting, and Humiliation in the state of Michigan.