A RESOLUTION

Recognizing Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month, November 2018.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to recognize November 2018 as Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, One of the most common causes of cancer deaths worldwide, pancreatic cancer kills tens of thousands of people in the United States annually, but like many types of cancer, there are preventable actions individuals can take to reduce their chance of developing the disease. Educating the population about the danger pancreatic cancer presents and what steps to take to help eliminate those risk factors is at the heart of Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, What once seemed like a death sentence only a generation ago has now become a fighting chance, and it is through efforts such as Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month that we can improve those odds even further. We hope that by recognizing this month, we can help people catch the warning signs earlier and increase their chances of survival; and

WHEREAS, As cancer research has become more prominent and widespread in recent years, undertakings such as this are a great benefit to remind patients that there is still hope and that they are never alone. Taking the month of November to educate the community about the fight against pancreatic cancer is undoubtedly a worthy endeavor, and it will help us forge a cancer-free future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, recognize November 2018 as Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit duly authenticated copies of this Resolution to the news media of Ohio.