## **As Introduced**

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## **Representative Brewer**

## **A RESOLUTION**

Against Police Brutality in Ohio.

To recognize October 22, 2025, as the National Day

OHIO:	F
WHEREAS, October 22 has been observed across the United	3
States since the mid-1990s as a day to protest and reflect upon	4
the impact of police brutality, repression, and the	5
criminalization of communities; and	6
WHEREAS, Since the year 2000, more than 1,200 Ohioans have	7
tragically lost their lives to incidents of police brutality,	8
leaving behind grieving families and wounded communities across	9
our state; and	10
WHEREAS, The State of Ohio recognizes the profound loss of	11
life and lasting trauma caused by these acts of violence and	12
affirms the need for accountability, reform, and justice; and	13
WHEREAS, October 22, 2025, provides an opportunity for	14
Ohioans to join in collective voice to honor those lives cut	15
short, to listen to the families and survivors most directly	16
impacted, and to recommit to building safer and more just	17
communities; and	18
WHEREAS, This day also serves as a solemn occasion for	19
prayer, reflection, and solidarity with all who have been	20

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affected by police violence; now therefore be it	21
RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of	22
Representatives of the 136th General Assembly of the State of	23
Ohio, do hereby recognize October 22, 2025, as the National Day	24
Against Police Brutality in Ohio; and be it further	25
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	26
transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the	27
Governor and news media of Ohio.	28