HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.312

Rep. Glenn offered the following resolution:

- 1 A resolution to declare September 17-23, 2020, as Constitution
- 2 Week in the state of Michigan.
- 3 Whereas, September 17, 2020, marks the two hundred and thirty-
- 4 third anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United
- 5 States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and
- 6 Whereas, The 233rd anniversary of the signing of the
- 7 Constitution provides an historic opportunity for citizens
- 8 throughout Michigan and the nation to pay tribute to our Founding
- 9 Fathers and to reflect on the rights, privileges, and
- 10 responsibilities of citizenship; and
- 11 Whereas, By instilling faith in the promise of democracy, the
- 12 United States Constitution has served as a model for democratic
- 13 governments around the globe; and

Whereas, The United States Constitution secured our commitment 1 2 to freedom and democracy, a commitment which has guided us through more than two centuries of enormous growth and change; and 3 Whereas, We encourage all citizens to study the Constitution 4 and reflect on the privilege of being an American with all the 5 6 rights and responsibilities which that privilege involves; and 7 Whereas, The Constitution of the United States of America, the 8 quardian of our liberties, embodies the principles of limited 9 government in a republic dedicated to rule by law; and 10 Whereas, Constitution Week is a time to emphasize citizens' 11 responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution; 12 now, therefore, be it 13 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of 14 this legislative body declare September 17-23, 2020, as

Constitution Week in the state of Michigan.

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