

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 93

Senators Schmidt, McMorrow, Horn, Polehanki, Irwin, Bayer, Brinks, Moss, Chang, Hollier, LaSata, MacDonald, VanderWall, Bizon, Barrett, Wojno, Zorn, Bumstead, McBroom, Bullock and Geiss offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to recognize November 17, 2021, as the Eighth
2 Annual Michigan Auto Heritage Day.

3 Whereas, Michigan's distinctive automotive heritage is
4 preserved and promoted by the MotorCities National Heritage Area
5 Partnership, an affiliate of the National Park Service; and

6 Whereas, The MotorCities National Heritage Area tells stories
7 about how Michigan "Put the World on Wheels" throughout a region of
8 10,000 square miles in 16 Michigan counties, with a population of
9 more than six million people; and

1 Whereas, These unique stories are used to advance our state
2 both culturally and economically; and

3 Whereas, The MotorCities National Heritage Area is the largest
4 concentration of auto-related sites, attractions, and events in the
5 world, bringing in millions of visitors each year; and

6 Whereas, Annually, the MotorCities National Heritage Area
7 generates \$490 million in economic impact, including \$40 million in
8 tax revenue and over 5,300 jobs; and

9 Whereas, For the eighth consecutive year, the MotorCities
10 National Heritage Area, in partnership with the Michigan
11 Legislative Auto Caucus, organized Michigan Auto Heritage Day,
12 where supporters of automotive heritage preservation come together
13 in celebration of the state's unique automotive history; and

14 Whereas, The Michigan Legislative Auto Caucus allows members
15 to exchange ideas and influence policy, including auto heritage
16 policy; now, therefore, be it

17 Resolved by the Senate, That the members of this legislative
18 body recognize November 17, 2021, as the Eighth Annual Michigan
19 Auto Heritage Day.