

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.187

Rep. Stone offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to declare October 23-31, 2021, as Red Ribbon  
2 Week in the state of Michigan.

3 Whereas, Alcohol and drug abuse affect individuals, families,  
4 and communities across the nation; and

5 Whereas, It is imperative that visible unified efforts by  
6 community members be launched to prevent drug abuse; and

7 Whereas, Red Ribbon Week offers citizens the opportunity to  
8 demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles; and

9 Whereas, Red Ribbon Week will be celebrated in communities  
10 across the nation on October 23-31; and

11 Whereas, Businesses, government, law enforcement, media,  
12 health care, providers, religious institutions, schools, and other

1 community-based organizations will demonstrate their commitment to  
2 healthy drug-free lifestyles by wearing red ribbons and  
3 participating in drug prevention activities; and

4       Whereas, The state of Michigan further commits its resources  
5 to ensure the success of Red Ribbon Week; now, therefore, be it

6       Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of  
7 this legislative body declare October 23-31, 2021, as Red Ribbon  
8 Week in the state of Michigan. We encourage participation in drug  
9 prevention education activities, not only during Red Ribbon Week,  
10 but also throughout the year, to make a visible statement of strong  
11 commitment to a drug-free lifestyle.

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