

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 60

Reps. Morgan, Breen, MacDonell, Rheingans, Rogers, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to declare April 2025 as Community College Month
2 in the state of Michigan.

3 Whereas, The House of Representatives is pleased to honor and
4 salute Michigan's thirty-one community and tribal colleges in
5 recognition of April of 2025 as Michigan Community College Month;
6 and

7 Whereas, Community College Month is an appropriate time to
8 acknowledge community colleges and the important contributions they
9 make to the richness and accessibility of post-secondary education;
10 and

11 Whereas, The leaders and staff of Michigan's community
12 colleges are fully devoted to the praiseworthy mission of providing
13 relevant academic and technical coursework leading to industry-

1 recognized credentials; and

2 Whereas, Michigan's outstanding community colleges enroll
3 283,000 students, grant 20,000 degrees, and 6,900 certificates each
4 year; and

5 Whereas, Community colleges help meet the real and immediate
6 challenges of economic development, student achievement, and
7 competitiveness; and

8 Whereas, Students of all ages and backgrounds who attend these
9 exceptional schools receive a superb education and earn degrees,
10 certificates, and training that help them become skilled members of
11 a workforce that propels economic growth and encourages learning
12 and culture; and

13 Whereas, The strength and success of Michigan's community
14 colleges, the vitality of its communities, and the effectiveness of
15 our American society depend, in great measure, upon excellent
16 organizations, exemplified by Michigan's community colleges; and

17 Whereas, It is altogether proper and fitting for this
18 legislative body to pause in its deliberations and recognize
19 Michigan's community colleges, and to affirm their importance to
20 the citizens of this State; now, therefore, be it

21 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That members of this
22 legislative body declare April 2025 as Community College Month in
23 the state of Michigan. We urge the continued awareness of community
24 college job training for the students of Michigan to ensure the
25 sustainability of Michigan's workforce for the years to come; and
26 be it further

27 Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the
28 Governor of Michigan and each Michigan community college.