

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 838

Expressing support for designation of April 11 as “National Pet Adoption Day” and the month of April as “National Pet Adoption Month” to highlight the important role pets play in the lives of United States citizens.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2016

Mr. WILLIAMS submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

RESOLUTION

Expressing support for designation of April 11 as “National Pet Adoption Day” and the month of April as “National Pet Adoption Month” to highlight the important role pets play in the lives of United States citizens.

Whereas April 11 would be an appropriate date to designate as “National Pet Adoption Day”; and

Whereas the month of April would be an appropriate month to designate as “National Pet Adoption Month”: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—
- 2 (1) supports the designation of “National Pet
- 3 Adoption Day” and “National Pet Adoption Month”

1 to highlight the important role pets play in the lives
2 of United States citizens;

3 (2) requests that the President issue a procla-
4 mation calling upon the people of the United States
5 to observe “National Pet Adoption Day” and “Na-
6 tional Pet Adoption Month” with appropriate cere-
7 monies and activities; and

8 (3) encourages the people of the United States
9 to adopt pets from local animal shelters and rescues.

○