STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2025

HOUSE RESOLUTION

COMMEMORATING "NATIONAL SCHOOL COUNSELING WEEK" ON FEBRUARY 3-7, 2025, IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

<u>Introduced By:</u> Representatives McNamara, Shekarchi, Blazejewski, Chippendale, Kislak, Corvese, Ackerman, Kennedy, Ajello, and Costantino Date Introduced: February 04, 2025

Referred To: House read and passed

1	WHEREAS, School counselors are employed in public and private schools to help
2	students reach their full potential; and
3	WHEREAS, School counselors are actively committed to helping students explore their
4	abilities, strengths, interests, and talents as these traits relate to career awareness and
5	development; and
6	WHEREAS, School counselors help parents focus on ways to further the educational,
7	personal and social growth of their children; and
8	WHEREAS, School counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students
9	explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and
10	WHEREAS, School counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can
11	enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become
12	productive members of society; and
13	WHEREAS, Comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered
14	an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school;
15	now, therefore be it
16	RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island hereby
17	commemorates February 3-7, 2025, as "National School Counseling Week"; and be it further
18	RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
19	transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Anne-Marie Flaherty, President, Rhode Island

1	School Counselor Association.
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