Resolution

ENROLLED HOUSE
RESOLUTION NO. 1018 By: Munson

A Resolution recognizing the second week in May as Lung Cancer Action Week; and encouraging all Oklahomans to take action against lung cancer.

WHEREAS, about every two and a quarter minutes, a person in the United States is diagnosed with lung cancer; and

WHEREAS, lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths; and

WHEREAS, lung cancer screening saves lives, and advocacy and increased awareness will result in more high-risk individuals getting screened; and

WHEREAS, according to the American Lung Association, in Oklahoma only two percent (2%) of those at high-risk were screened in 2021; and

WHEREAS, public support for research funding will result in new treatments and better methods of early detection; and

WHEREAS, LUNG FORCE is a national initiative led by the American Lung Association, to defeat lung cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 59TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives hereby designates the second week in May as Lung Cancer Action Week throughout the state of Oklahoma and encourages all residents of Oklahoma to learn more about lung cancer, risk factors, and early detection and to take action.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 9th day of May, 2023.

Presiding Officer of the House of Representatives

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this 10th day of May, 20 23, at 2:01 o'clock p M.

By: Brian Bingman