

The County of Centre

PROCLAMATION

NUMBER 33 of 2016
Celebrating the 71st Anniversary of the UN

WHEREAS, the United Nations was founded in 1945, and the anniversary of the day on which the UN Charter came into force is observed each year on October 24; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations promotes peace and security, development, democracy, economic prosperity, global health and human rights around the world, and is vital now more than ever; and

WHEREAS, the United States has a long tradition of leading international efforts to improve health, education and economic growth in developing countries; and has shown its commitment to the Sustainable Development Goals through foreign assistance, progressive trade initiatives, and debt relief measures; and

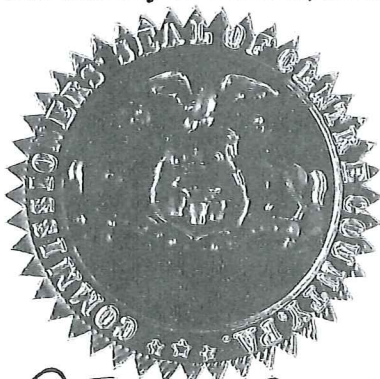
WHEREAS, a bipartisan poll revealed that more than eight out of ten voters say it is important that the United States maintain an active role within the UN; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations Association of the USA has declared "One Humanity, Shared Responsibility" as its theme to bring awareness of and support for the global refugee crisis and other humanitarian emergencies around the world, for the 2016 United Nations Day commemoration; and

WHEREAS, the Centre County Chapter of the United Nations Association and its Council of Organizations, in keeping with the UNA theme have declared the Refugee Crisis and Climate Change as the focuses of its 2016 United Nations Day commemoration.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Centre County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim Sunday, October 23, 2016 as "United Nations Day" in Centre County.

ADOPTED this 18th day of October, 2016



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