



General Assembly

***Proposed House
Resolution No. 8***

January Session, 2025

LCO No. 88



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
REP. ROSARIO, 128th Dist.

***RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE HISTORICAL STEWARDSHIP
OF NATIVE AMERICAN COMMUNITIES OF LAND IN THIS STATE.***

Resolved by this House:

- 1 That this house (1) honor and recognize the historical stewardship of
- 2 the Native American communities that were the original inhabitants
- 3 and caretakers of the land in this state, (2) acknowledge the enduring
- 4 relationship between the Mohegan, Mashantucket Pequot, Eastern
- 5 Pequot, Schaghticoke, Golden Hill Paugussett, Nipmuc and Lenape
- 6 peoples and the land they have cared for over generations, and (3) foster
- 7 a greater understanding of Connecticut's rich and diverse cultural
- 8 heritage and appreciation for the resilience and cultural significance of
- 9 Native American peoples, but not seek to influence or imply federal
- 10 recognition or formal status.

Statement of Purpose:

To recognize Native American stewardship, promote historical awareness and cultivate respect and appreciation for the resilience and cultural significance of Native American peoples.