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PROCLAMATION 2022-16 MAY AS OLDER AMERICANS' AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, Susquehanna County includes a community of older Americans who deserve recognition for their contributions to our nation; and

WHEREAS, Susquehanna County recognizes that older adults are trailblazers; advocating for themselves, their peers, and their communities, as well as paving the way for future generations; and

WHEREAS, Susquehanna County is committed to raising awareness regarding issues facing older Americans and helping all individuals to thrive in communities of their choice for as long as possible; and

WHEREAS, we appreciate the value of inclusion and support in helping older adults successfully contribute to and benefit from their communities; and

WHEREAS, our community can provide opportunities to enrich the lives of individuals of all ages by:

- Promoting and engaging in activity, wellness, and social involvement.
- Emphasizing home and community-based services that support independent living.
- Ensuring community members can benefit from the contributions and experience of older adults.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that we, the Commissioners of Susquehanna County, declare the month of May 2022, to be Older Americans Awareness Month in Susquehanna County and urge all residents of Susquehanna County to take to take time this month to acknowledge older adults and the people who serve them as powerful and vital individuals who greatly contribute to our community.

Adopted April 27, 2022

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