

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013**

**SENATE RESOLUTION**

**CONGRATULATING FRANK GAGLIONE ON THE JOYOUS OCCASION OF HIS  
100TH BIRTHDAY**

Introduced By: Senators Gallo, Paiva Weed, Ciccone, and Walaska

Date Introduced: April 02, 2013

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

1           WHEREAS, Mr. Frank Gaglione was born ten decades ago on April 1<sup>st</sup> of 1913. During  
2 that year, Woodrow Wilson was inaugurated as the 28<sup>th</sup> President of the United States, it cost only  
3 2¢ to mail a letter, and the very first Federal Income Tax was signed into law on October 3<sup>rd</sup>; and

4           WHEREAS, Raised in the City of Providence's Federal Hill neighborhood, Mr. Gaglione  
5 and his brothers and sister, Joseph, Peter, and Anna Fontana, were the children of Andrea and  
6 Maria Gaglione; and

7           WHEREAS, Mr. Gaglione is a graduate of Providence's public schools. A hard-working  
8 man, he was self-employed as a businessman for many years until his retirement; and

9           WHEREAS, Mr. Gaglione has resided in Cranston for the past seventy-two years,  
10 currently making his home with his granddaughter, Providence attorney Emili Vaziri. He and his  
11 late wife, Emily, had been married for 68 years and together were the parents of Barbara  
12 Megrdochian and the late Frank Gaglione. Mr. Gaglione is also the proud grandfather and great-  
13 grandfather of six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; and

14           WHEREAS, With a wealth of knowledge from a life well-lived, a willingness to always  
15 help his family and friends, and an overall exuberance for life, Frank Gaglione has blessed those  
16 around him. We applaud his myriad accomplishments and are honored to join in the centennial  
17 celebration of his birth; now, therefore be it

18           RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
19 hereby joins the family and many friends of Frank Gaglione in wishing him a very happy 100<sup>th</sup>

1 birthday. We wish him good health and much happiness for many years to come; and be it further  
2 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to  
3 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Frank Gaglione.

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