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MEMORANDUM

TO: Legislative Reference Bureau

FROM: REPRESENTATIVE PETER ZUG

RE: House Resolution

DATE: February 14, 2006

Representative Zug would like a House Resolution drafted for Bobby Gerhart who won his fourth Daytona ARCA race. Please see the attached article for details.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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TO: ALL MEMBERS

FROM: REPRESENTATIVE PETER ZUG

DATE: March 24, 2005

SUBJECT: Bobby Gerhart Resolution

Please join me in paying tribute to Bobby Gerhart for his history-making victory in the 42nd Annual Advance Discount Auto Parts 200 at Daytona International Speedway on February 12, 2005.

If you are interested in being a co-sponsor, please contact Lori Losch at 787-2686 or llosch@pahousegop.com.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL HOUSE MEMBERS

FROM: REPRESENTATIVE PETER ZUG

RE: BOBBY GERHART RECEPTION

DATE: APRIL 29, 2005

I, along with Mauree Gingrich and Rep. John Payne, Chairman of the Motorsport Caucus will be hosting a reception for Bobby Gerhart on Tuesday, June 7th at 9:30 am in room 313 Main Capitol.

Bobby Gerhart was the winner of the 42nd Annual Advanced Discount Auto Parts 200 ARCA/ReMax Series stock car race, which was held at the historic Daytona International Speedway on February 12, 2005.

Please feel free to stop by and meet Bobby and congratulate him on his victory.



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May 5, 2005

Catherine Baker Knoll, Lieutenant Governor
200 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Lieutenant Governor:

On February 12, 2005, Bobby Gerhart became only the second driver in the history of the Automobile Racing Club of America (ARCA) racing series to win the Advance Discount Auto Parts 200 at Daytona International Speedway for a third time. The other driver to do this was Iggy Katona in the 1940's. Also this past February at Daytona, Bobby tied another record held by former Winston Cup Champion Benny Parsons by winning the pole position for a third consecutive year.

The Pennsylvania House of Representatives and the Motorsport Caucus will be honoring Bobby for his accomplishments. As part of the festivities, we will be hosting a reception for Bobby and passing a House Resolution honoring his achievements.

We would be honored if you would share a few words at the press conference June 7, 2005 for this tribute to Bobby Gerhart. The tentative agenda is a reception beginning at 9:00 a.m., a press conference at 9:30 and activities on the House Floor beginning at 11:00 a.m. Also, in addition to the press conference, the vehicle Bobby drove at Daytona will also be on display and I would like to request we use your parking space to display his race car proudly in front of the Capitol.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and we look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

PETER J. ZUG, MEMBER
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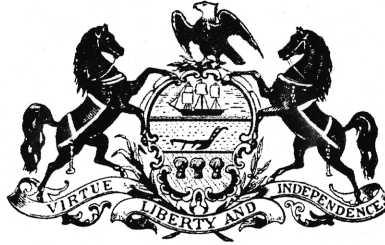


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MEMORANDUM

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative John D. Payne 

DATE: May 26, 2005

SUBJECT: Motorsports Caucus Meeting

The next meeting of the Motorsports Caucus is scheduled for Tuesday, June 7th, at 9 am in Representative Zug's office (Room 313 Main Capitol). I invite all members to attend, whether you are part of the Motorsports Caucus or not.

Following our meeting, there will be a reception for Bobby Gerhart. As many of you know, Bobby is a Lebanon County native who won the 42nd Annual Advance Discount Auto Parts 200 at Daytona International Speedway on February 12, 2005. He also won the event in 1999 and 2002. This year, Bobby drove the fastest qualifying lap winning the pole for the third consecutive year and was presented with the first-ever Hurst Golden Shifter Award in honor of his accomplishment.

If you are interested in joining the Motorsports Caucus, please contact my secretary, Shawne, at either sgaler@pahousegop.com or at 787-2684.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

June 6, 2005

Zug, House Colleagues to Honor Stock Car Star Gerhart

HARRISBURG – Professional stock car driver and Lebanon County native Bobby Gerhart will be honored at the State Capitol on Tuesday, June 7 by Rep. Peter Zug (R-Lebanon) and the Pennsylvania House of Representatives.

Gerhart, a veteran of the ARCA/RE/MAX stock car series, won that series' season-opening race at Daytona International Speedway on Feb. 12, becoming only the second ARCA driver in history to be a three-time winner at Daytona. Gerhart also took the checkered flag at Daytona in 1999 and 2002.

Zug will hold a press conference in the Capitol Rotunda at 9:30 a.m. prior to honoring Gerhart on the House floor and presenting him with a copy of the House resolution. Gerhart and his #5 Lucas Oil Chevrolet will be featured at the press conference.

Others expected to attend the event are Gerhart's brother and crew chief, Billy Gerhart; Joseph Mattioli, chief executive officer and chairman of the board of Pocono Raceway; Rose Mattioli, secretary treasurer of Pocono Raceway; Don Radebaugh, media and public relations director of ARCA; Andy Papathanassiou, director of driver development of Hendrick Motorsports; and members of Gerhart's crew.

"It will be a distinct pleasure and privilege to honor Bobby Gerhart, a great competitor and the pride of Lebanon County," Zug said. "Over the years, he has carved out a great career in stock car racing, while winning the respect and support of the racing community."

The 46-year-old driver has 186 career ARCA starts since 1988, with four career wins and 37 Top Five finishes. His best finish in the ARCA season points standings came in 1999 when he placed third. This season, Gerhart currently is 25th in the points standings.

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Gerhart also has made 28 career starts in NASCAR Nextel Cup (formerly Winston Cup) dating back to 1985. His best finish in stock car racing's top level was a 17th place finish at North Wilkesboro in 1987.

Gerhart, who began his racing career on central Pennsylvania dirt tracks like Linda's Speedway and Susquehanna Speedway, also has competed on the NASCAR Busch series, the NASCAR Craftsman Truck series, and the NASCAR Busch North and NASCAR Winston West circuits.

Like the Pettys, Earnhardts and Allisons, Gerhart comes from a racing family. His father, Bobby Gerhart Sr., was a well-known driver regionally and was a profound influence on his son.

"Bobby has carried on his family's racing legacy with pride, and for that, as well as for his stellar racing career, I look forward to honoring him in the House of Representatives," Zug said.

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The House of Representatives
Pays Tribute to Bobby Gerhart

Capitol Rotunda
Tuesday, June 7, 2005
9:30 a.m.

Introduction

Representative Peter Zug

Speakers

Lt. Governor Catherine Baker Knoll

Representative John Payne, Chairman
House Nascar/Stockcar Caucus

Bobby Gerhart
Winner, 2005 Daytona 500 International Speedway

Andy Papathanassiou
Director of Driver Development of Hendrick Motorsports

Don Radebaugh
Media & Public Relations Director of ARCA

Dr. Joseph Mattioli
Chief Executive Officer & Chairman of the board of Pocono Raceway

Concluding Comments

Representative Peter Zug