

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE

Assembly



RESOLUTION

By the Honorable Jerry Hill
19th Assembly District, Relative to

TOASTMASTERS' DAY 2011

WHEREAS, The ability to communicate, persuade, and lead in an effective manner is one of the most powerful tools in overcoming the barriers to successful performance and advancement, found in virtually every endeavor and line of work; and

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International is the largest nonprofit educational organization dedicated to helping men and women in all walks of life to improve and develop their communication and leadership skills; and

WHEREAS, Since its founding on October 22, 1924, Toastmasters International has worked diligently to empower people to achieve their full potential; the organization's educational program is the heart of every Toastmasters club and provides members with a proven curriculum that develops communication and leadership skills one step at a time, with many opportunities for awards and recognition along the way; and

WHEREAS, Imbedded in its mission, Toastmasters International has continued to expand its worldwide network of member clubs, thereby offering ever-greater numbers of people the opportunity to benefit from its programs; today, the organization includes more than 13,000 clubs and over 270,000 members in 116 countries worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International District 4 consists of more than 220 clubs and has over 4,200 members from Monterey to San Francisco, including 32 clubs from the County of San Mateo; and

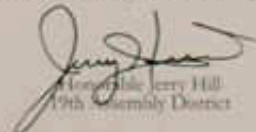
WHEREAS, Corporate and community clubs include Ears Club, Breathe in Speak Out, Brisbane Club, Speaking Under the Stars, Chamber Speakers Circle Club, City Talk Club, Daly City Toastmasters, Donald L. Bogue Club, Fresh Voice, Foster City Toastmasters Club, Gilman, Genesee Toastmasters Club, High Spirits of Toastmasters, Life Technologies Toastmasters Club, Millbrae's Club, Opal Toastmasters, OracleDirect Toastmasters - RWS, Oracle Speakers Club, Pacifica PM Club, Peninsula Toastmasters, Point of Order, Promasters Toastmasters Club, Pro Toasties Club, Redwood City Orators Club, RELogic Toastmasters Club, San Carlos-Belmont Club, Smart Meeters, Speak 4 Yourself Toastmasters Club, Stand & Deliver, The A-Team, Toastmasters DDX, Vista Speakers' Circle Toastmasters Club, and Walmart.com Doc.com municators; and

WHEREAS, The Toastmasters International District 4 Fall Conference, held in Burlingame on Saturday, November 12, 2011, includes a semi-annual speech contest, business meeting, and educational presentations from special guests about communication and leadership ability—vital skills that promote self-actualization, enhance leadership potential, foster human understanding, and contribute to the betterment of mankind; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY ASSEMBLY MEMBER JERRY HILL, That he commends Toastmasters International District 4 on its extensive record of contributions to the local community and beyond, and recognizes November 12, 2011, as Toastmasters' Day 2011 in honor of the immense strides that the organization has made towards making effective oral communication a worldwide reality.

Members Resolution No. 2185

Dated this 12th day of November, 2011


Honorable Jerry Hill
19th Assembly District

