Resolution No. 283: Establish “National Family Week”
Origin: Convention Committee on Americanism
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WHEREAS, One of the principles guiding The American Legion's children & youth programs is to maintain the integrity of the family unit; and
WHEREAS, The family unit is the center of our affections and the foundation of our American society; and
WHEREAS, No institution can take the family unit's place in giving meaning to human life and stability in our society; and
WHEREAS, It is fitting that official recognition be given to the importance of strengthening family life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Cincinnati, Ohio, August 30, 31, September 1, 2016, That The American Legion urges the President of the United States and the Congress to establish "National Family Week" during Thanksgiving Holiday Week as an annual observance.