WHEREAS Having a neighbor you can count on no matter what life throws your way is something that should never be taken for granted; and
WHEREAS National Good Neighbor Day began in the early 1970s when Becky Mattson, a resident of Lakeside, Mont., decided that neighbors across the country needed to get to know one another on a more intimate level than a quick wave or simple 'hello.'; and
WHEREAS In 2003 the United States Senate finally passed a resolution declaring September 28 as the official day to celebrate and honor your neighbors; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT Neighborhoods, USA encourages all those who are committed to building stronger communities throughout the world to take part in National Good Neighbor Day on September 28th this year and every year and use the day to encourage neighbors to get to know one another better and to celebrate their friendship and the work we do every day to make our neighborhoods safe places to live, work and play.

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