



The House of Representatives

Citation

Whereas, Zurn Elkay Water Solutions is being honored upon the momentous occasion of its one hundred twenty-fifth anniversary; and

Whereas, Founded in Erie in 1900, Zurn Elkay Water Solutions was established by John A. Zurn, who purchased the discontinued backwater valve patterns of Erie City Iron Works. With the assistance of partner Milton Rowley, Mr. Zurn broadened the company in 1910 and named it J. A. Zurn Manufacturing Company. In 2007, it was acquired by the Rexnord Corporation and renamed Zurn Water Solutions, and it adopted its current moniker in 2022. Zurn Elkay Water Solutions has grown into a trusted industry leader that employs approximately two thousand five hundred individuals around the world, including one hundred fifty employees at its three locations in the Erie region. A water management business, it designs, procures, manufactures and markets a broad and sustainable product portfolio of specification-driven water management solutions to improve health, hydration, human safety and the environment. Its portfolio includes professional-grade water safety and control products, flow systems products, hygienic and environmental products and filtered drinking water products. Zurn Elkay Water Solutions has contributed to the local economy by creating jobs, fostering innovation, supporting a skilled workforce and contributing grants, products and volunteer support to area institutions. Named one of America's Greenest Companies in 2025 by "Newsweek" and one of the World's Best Companies for Sustainable Growth in 2025 by "TIME" magazine, the business recently donated fifty filtered bottle filling stations, eight filtration conversion kits and five years of filters to Erie's Public Schools to ensure that students and staff members have access to safe drinking water. Since its inception, Zurn Elkay Water Solutions has been an integral part of the Erie community, and it will continue to offer its quality products for many more years to come.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania salutes Zurn Elkay Water Solutions upon its richly deserved recognition; offers best wishes for continued growth and success in the years to come;

And directs that a copy of this citation, sponsored by Representatives Patrick J. Harkins and Robert E. Merski on May 5, 2025, be transmitted to Zurn Elkay Water Solutions, 1801 Pittsburgh Avenue, Erie, Pennsylvania 16505.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Patrick J. Harkins".

Patrick J. Harkins, Sponsor

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert E. Merski".

Robert E. Merski, Sponsor



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Joanna E. McClinton".

Joanna E. McClinton, Speaker of the House

Attest:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Brooke Wheeler".

Brooke Wheeler, Chief Clerk of the House