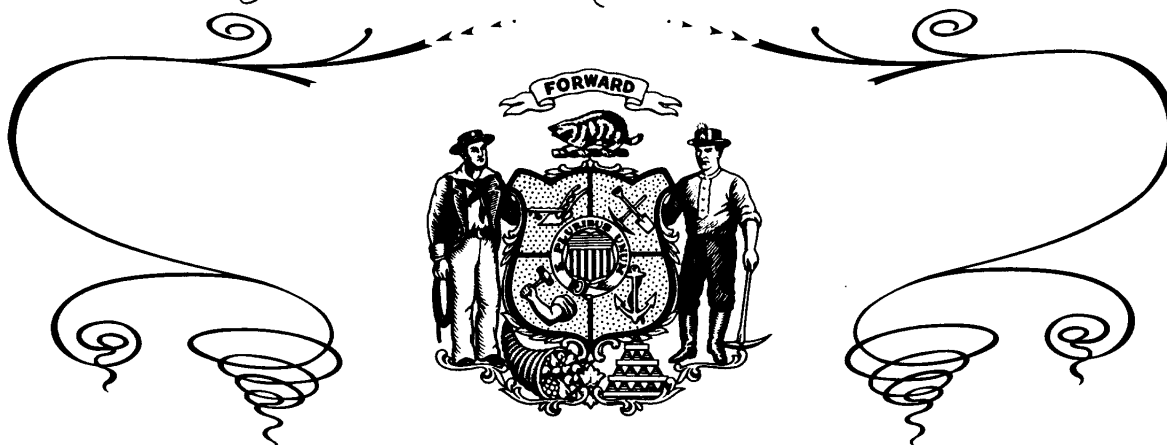


State of Wisconsin



2001 Assembly Joint Resolution 86

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to: the 60th anniversary of the Civil Air Patrol.

Whereas, the Civil Air Patrol was established by Congress on December 1, 1941; and
Whereas, the Civil Air Patrol immediately began to serve America by flying antisubmarine patrols on the Atlantic coast; and

Whereas, the activities of the Civil Air Patrol during World War II greatly reduced enemy submarine activity in American waters and helped save the lives of many survivors of torpedoed ships; and

Whereas, after the war, the Civil Air Patrol became the official auxiliary of the U.S. Air Force; and

Whereas, today the volunteers of the Civil Air Patrol perform a vital role in search and rescue and disaster relief; and

Whereas, the Civil Air Patrol now has over 53,000 members and over 500 aircraft, which are supplemented by over 4,500 aircraft owned by members; and

Whereas, historically, the Civil Air Patrol has been the single largest source of cadets for our nation's military academies; and

Whereas, with the recent return of national security to the forefront of American affairs, the Civil Air Patrol is once again fulfilling its original role of insuring homeland security, flying numerous missions since September 11 to assess damage and deliver medical supplies; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the Wisconsin legislature salute the Civil Air Patrol for its 60 years of service to America; and, be it further

Resolved, That the members of the Wisconsin legislature support the important and ongoing work of this valuable organization.

Senator Fred A. Risser
President of the Senate

Representative Scott R. Jensen
Speaker of the Assembly

Date

John A. Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk