## **ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION**

**Relating to:** the life and public service of Dale J. Bolle.

Whereas, Dale J. Bolle was born on June 12, 1923, in Kossuth, Wisconsin, and died on December 12, 2007, in Manitowoc; and

Whereas, Mr. Bolle graduated from Manitowoc Lincoln High School in 1941; and

Whereas, upon graduation, Mr. Bolle began a 26–year military career on February 25, 1943, with the 44th Army Division in Europe during World War II serving until November 1945; later serving in the Korean Conflict from January 17, 1951, until June 10, 1952; and finally serving in the U.S. Army Reserves until 1967 where he retired as a captain; and

Whereas, Mr. Bolle earned many military medals, including the Purple Heart after being wounded in World War II, and the Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster; and

Whereas, Mr. Bolle married the former Ethelyn Junk on November 19, 1946; and

Whereas, the couple celebrated 61 years of marriage; and

Whereas, Dale was the owner of Bolle Trucking Company for more than 30 years; and

Whereas, Mr. Bolle began his government career as a member of the Manitowoc County Board from 1970 to 1980, of which he was chairman from 1976 to 1978; and

Whereas, Mr. Bolle was first elected to the Wisconsin assembly in 1982 serving in the 1983 through 1993 sessions; and

Whereas, during his tenure in the legislature, Mr. Bolle was chairperson of the Veterans and Military Affairs Committee from the 1983 session through the 1993 session; and

Whereas, Dale was proud of his work in helping to create veterans services programs; now, therefore, be it

**Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That** the members of the Wisconsin legislature commend the devoted public service that Dale J. Bolle contributed to this state and his community; and, be it further

**Resolved, That** the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint resolution to Mr. Bolle's wife, Ethelyn, and his two sons, Wayne of Whitelaw, and Alan of Reedsville.

Senator Fred A. Risser President of the Senate	Representative Michael D. Huebsch Speaker of the Assembly
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Date	Patrick E. Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk