



## 2009 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 100

January 12, 2010 – Introduced by Representatives TOWNSEND, BERCEAU, BERNARD SCHABER, BROOKS, CLARK, GOTTLIEB, GUNDERSON, HEBL, HRAYCHUCK, JORGENSEN, KAUFERT, KERKMAN, KNODL, LEMAHIEU, LOTHIAN, NEWCOMER, A. OTT, J. OTT, PETROWSKI, PRIDEMORE, RIPP, ROTH, SEIDEL, SPANBAUER, STASKUNAS, STRACHOTA, SUDER, TAUCHEN, VAN ROY, VOS and ZIEGELBAUER, cosponsored by Senators LEIBHAM, HOPPER, COWLES, DARLING, HANSEN, HARSDFORF, HOLPERIN, KEDZIE, KREITLOW, A. LASEE, LAZICH, LEHMAN, OLSEN, PLALE, RISSER, SCHULTZ, SULLIVAN, TAYLOR, VINEHOUT and WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1       **Relating to:** congratulating the Boy Scouts of America on its 100th anniversary.

2               Whereas, W. D. Boyce of Chicago incorporated the Boy Scouts of America on  
3       February 8, 1910, inspired by Robert Baden-Powell’s Scout Movement in England;  
4       and

5               Whereas, under the leadership of Daniel Beard, Ernest Thompson Seton, and  
6       James West, the Boy Scouts of America expanded rapidly, absorbing similar  
7       organizations, and 17-year-old Arthur Rose Eldred of New York became the first  
8       Eagle Scout in 1912; and

9               Whereas, the Boy Scouts played an important role on the home front during the  
10       first and second world wars, collecting scrap metal, carrying messages, and selling  
11       war bonds; and

12               Whereas, over the years, the Boy Scouts expanded to include older and younger  
13       boys under the Cub Scouts, the Tiger Cub Scouts, the Explorers, and the Venturers;  
14       and

