



## 1995 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 58

September 28, 1995 - Introduced by Representatives LINTON, BOYLE, DUEHOLM, TRAVIS, BLACK, R. POTTER, BALDWIN, NOTESTEIN, PLOMBON, REYNOLDS, HUBLER, HASENOHRL, KUNICKI, RUTKOWSKI, BOCK, TURNER, BALDUS, MEYER, WOOD, KRUG, WILDER, WIRCH, CULLEN, ROBSON, BELL, ZIEGELBAUER, RILEY, R. YOUNG, CARPENTER, MORRIS-TATUM, SCHNEIDER, WASSERMAN, VANDER LOOP, KREUSER, KRUSICK, MURAT, L. YOUNG, LORGE, BRANCEL, ALBERS, KELSO, OLSEN, HUTCHISON, KREIBICH, KLUSMAN, OWENS, GARD, HAHN, SILBAUGH, HARS DORF, OURADA, OTTE, ZUKOWSKI, GUNDERSON, JENSEN, HUBER and PLACHE, cosponsored by Senators CLAUSING, ANDREA, MOEN, JAUCH, BRESKE, DECKER, RUDE and DARLING.

1     **Relating to:** commending Gaylord Nelson on his receipt of a national medal of  
2     freedom.

3     Whereas, on September 28, 1995, Gaylord Nelson will be one of 12 persons who  
4     will receive the Presidential Medal of Freedom, this nation's highest civilian honor;  
5     and

6     Whereas, Mr. Nelson served in the Wisconsin legislature, was governor of  
7     Wisconsin and represented Wisconsin in the U.S. senate; and

8     Whereas, in 1970 he founded Earth Day, which alerted millions of persons in  
9     this country that protecting the environment was urgent business that required  
10    their constant vigilance and best efforts; and

11    Whereas, he also was the author of the Environmental Education Act, was  
12    named Conservationist of the Year, received the Environmental Leadership Award  
13    and is now counselor to the Wilderness Society; and

14    Whereas, this preeminent champion of the environment is receiving  
15    recognition of the highest order for his achievements; now, therefore, be it

16    ***Resolved by the assembly, the Senate concurring, That*** the members of the  
17    legislature of the state of Wisconsin congratulate Gaylord Nelson on his great honor,

1 receipt of the Presidential Medal of Freedom; salute him for his work for the  
2 environment and his other achievements; and urge him to continue his efforts; an,  
3 be it further

4 ***Resolved, That*** the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint  
5 resolution to Gaylord Nelson.

6 (END)