

1999 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 8

January 12, 1999 – Introduced by Representatives FOTI, AINSWORTH, ALBERS, BLACK, BOYLE, BRANDEMUEHL, COGGS, FREESE, HAHN, HANDRICK, HEBL, HOVEN, HUBER, HUEBSCH, HUNDERTMARK, HUTCHISON, KAUFERT, KELSO, KLUSMAN, KREIBICH, KRUG, KRUSICK, LADWIG, F. LASEE, LASSA, LEIBHAM, MILLER, MONTGOMERY, MUSSER, OTT, PETROWSKI, POCAN, REYNOLDS, SINICKI, STASKUNAS, SUDER, TURNER, UNDERHEIM, URBAN, VRAKAS, WALKER, WOOD, ZIEGELBAUER and PORTER, cosponsored by Senators RISSER, BAUMGART, BRESKE, BURKE, CHVALA, DARLING, DRZEWIECKI, ERPENBACH, GEORGE, GROBSCHMIDT, HUELSMAN, JAUCH, PLACHE, ROESSLER, SCHULTZ, SHIBILSKI, WIRCH and ZIEN. Referred to Calendar.

1 **Relating to:** commending the Wisconsin Badgers for their 1999 Rose Bowl victory.

2 Whereas, on January 1, 1999, the University of Wisconsin–Madison football
3 team repeated its 1994 triumph as “Rose Bowl Champions” and became the first
4 University of Wisconsin–Madison football team to finish the season with an 11–1
5 record; and

6 Whereas, the Badgers were ranked number 5 in the final *USA Today/ESPN*
7 coaches poll and number 6 in the *Associated Press* poll; and

8 Whereas, 56 members of the Badgers are Wisconsin natives and many other
9 states are represented on the roster; and

10 Whereas, Athletic Director Pat Richter, Head Coach Barry Alvarez and the
11 entire football coaching staff led the team to its great success; and

12 Whereas, the University of Wisconsin Marching Band and Professor Michael
13 Leckrone proved to a nationwide audience that we have “*Something Special from*
14 *Wisconsin*” — the best marching band in the country; and

