

2001 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 106

March 7, 2002 – Introduced by Representative BOYLE, cosponsored by Senator JAUCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** the life and public service of Reino A. Perala.

2 Whereas, Reino A. Perala was born on August 28, 1915, in Maple, Wisconsin,
3 and died on February 25, 2002, in Superior, Wisconsin; and

4 Whereas, Mr. Perala graduated from the Wisconsin School for the Blind and
5 attended the University of Wisconsin from 1938 to 1943, where he earned both his
6 B.A. degree in English and L.L.B. degree from the law school; and

7 Whereas, Mr. Perala practiced law in Superior for more than 50 years, retiring
8 in 1994; and

9 Whereas, on February 2, 1945, he was united in marriage to Elvie Olson; and

10 Whereas, Reino and Elvie recently celebrated 57 years of marriage; and

11 Whereas, Mr. Perala was elected to the Wisconsin assembly in 1952 and served
12 from 1953 until 1969; and

13 Whereas, during his tenure in the assembly, Mr. Perala was one of 2 visually
14 impaired legislators; and

