

2001 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 57

1 **Relating to:** commending the Wisconsin Elks Association on its 100th anniversary.

2 Whereas, the Wisconsin Elks Association was organized on April 23, 1902, and
3 is celebrating its 100th anniversary in providing services to the citizens of the state
4 of Wisconsin; and

5 Whereas, the affiliated member Lodges of the Benevolent and Protective Order
6 of Elks donate their time and energy in providing service to youth, activities, and
7 programs, such as scholarships, drug awareness, hoop shoot, soccer, scouting,
8 sporting events, and other activities; and

9 Whereas, these same lodges have provided substantial support of our armed
10 forces during various wars and conflicts that the United States was involved in, and
11 continuously provide social, recreational, and rehabilitative services to our
12 hospitalized veterans and conduct Flag Day services; and

13 Whereas, the Wisconsin Elks Association established a respite camp for the
14 handicapped, in cooperation with the Easter Seals Program, and erected and
15 maintains its facilities at Camp Wawbeek in the Wisconsin Dells area; and

