2005 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 39

May 4, 2005 – Introduced by Representatives Nerison, Albers, Freese, Gard, Jeskewitz, Krawczyk, Lothian, Owens, Petrowski, Townsend, Van Roy, Vrakas, M. Williams and Zepnick, cosponsored by Senators Kapanke, Cowles, Darling, Grothman, Kedzie, Lassa and Wirch, by request of Hillsboro and Yuba "The Czech Capitol of Wisconsin". Referred to Committee on Rules.

2	Whereas, among the ethnic groups that have helped to form this state are th
3	Czechs; and
4	Whereas, the Czechs have remembered and preserved their rich cultura
5	heritage while they assimilated themselves to life in Wisconsin; and
6	Whereas, among the centers of Czech culture in this state are Hillsboro and
7	Yuba; and
8	Whereas, in 1983 the first Cesky Den (Czech Day) celebration was held to
9	promote the Czech heritage; and
10	Whereas, Cesky Den has been celebrated each year since 1983; and
11	Whereas, among the features of that celebration are polka music; th
12	enjoyment of such traditional Czech foods as roast pork, dumplings, sauerkraut
13	rohlike, jiternice, suleke soup, and kolaches; a polka mass; various contests; th

wearing of authentic Czech costumes; and the creation of a special button; and

Relating to: proclaiming Cesky Den.

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Whereas, the next celebration of Cesky Den is on June 10, 11, and 12, 2005; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the Wisconsin legislature proclaim June 10, 11, and 12, 2005, Cesky Den and encourage Wisconsinites to spend that weekend in Hillsboro or Yuba helping to celebrate Wisconsin's Czech heritage and enjoying themselves.

7 (END)