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Senate Resolution

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Rel: Commending the life and contributions of
Joshua Glover

Whereas, in 1852 Joshua Glover ~~Joshua~~ appeared in Racine, Wisconsin, after escaping from his St. Louis master.

Whereas, on March 10, 1854, he was seized at his cabin about 4 miles from Racine by his master and a U. S. Marshal and taken to the Milwaukee jail.

Whereas, when it became known that Joshua Glover was incarcerated and being held in Milwaukee County jail, one hundred determined men landed a boat in Racine and formed a line that marched toward Milwaukee. By the time the men arrived at the steps of the jail, more than 5,000 Wisconsin citizens joined them as they congregated around the jail. The meeting culminated with the storming of the jail and the rescue of Joshua Glover; and

Whereas, through the resistance and courageous actions of Joshua Glover, national attention was brought to the state of Wisconsin which later became the only state to declare the unconstitutionality of the 1850 Fugitive Slave Act that was used to jail Joshua Glover; and

Whereas, because of Joshua Glover's defiance and the concerned actions of Wisconsin citizens, on a lone page in the history of civil disobedience; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, that the legislature of the state of Wisconsin honors the life and contributions of Joshua Glover who through his boldness spurred citizens to repeal unjust law that required that all slaves found in free states be returned to bondage.



State of Wisconsin
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3 from his St. Louis master; and

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9 the steps of the jail, more than 5,000 Wisconsin citizens joined them as they
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APP INS 4118/1 (attached w/ chgs)

6 **Resolved by the senate, That** the senate of the state of Wisconsin honors the
7 life and contributions of Joshua Glover who through his boldness spurred citizens to
8 repeal an unjust law that required that all slaves found in free states be returned to
9 bondage.

10 (END)

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f Whereas, the adoption of this ^s ~~Senate~~ ^r Resolution is supported not only by the
d senate, but also by members of the assembly, including specifically Representatives
Sheridan, Schneider, Young, Grigsby, Sinicki, Mason, Fields, Benedict, Turner, and
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1 4118/2 - J

2 4169 - J

3 4170 - J

4 4171 S

5 4172 S

6 4173 S

7 4174 S

8 4175 S

9 4191 J

10 4192 — (?)

11 4193 — (?)

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