



## 2009 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 34

1       **Relating to:** the life and public service of James A. McCann.

2               Whereas, James A. McCann was born on March 7, 1924, in Freedom,  
3       Wisconsin, and died on February 20, 2009; and

4               Whereas, Mr. McCann earned a B.B.A. degree from the University of  
5       Wisconsin-Madison in 1959; and

6               Whereas, Mr. McCann served in World War II and the Korean Conflict; and

7               Whereas, Mr. McCann married Shirley McCann, to whom he was married for  
8       54 years; and

9               Whereas, Mr. McCann was first elected to the Wisconsin assembly in 1964,  
10       representing Milwaukee's 15th district, serving in the 1965 and 1967 sessions; and

11              Whereas, after leaving the legislature, he was elected to the Milwaukee  
12       Common Council in 1968 and to the city comptroller's post in 1972; and

13              Whereas, during his tenure as city comptroller, he served on the Milwaukee  
14       Pension Board until 1997; and

