

State of Misconsin 2009 - 2010 LEGISLATURE

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2009 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 70

1	Relating to: proclaiming September 18, 19, and 20, 2009, as Gemuetlichkeit Days.
2	Whereas, the state of Wisconsin has long been the home for countless German
3	immigrants, who have become the foundation of this state's great heritage; and
4	Whereas, the state of Wisconsin has one of the largest representations of
5	German ancestry in the United Sates; and
6	Whereas, German-Americans have helped establish some of Wisconsin's most
7	treasured pastimes such as polka, euchre, brats, and beer; and
8	Whereas, many of the state of Wisconsin's fine cities and towns are named in
9	recognition of this heritage; and
10	Whereas, the state of Wisconsin continues to be a beacon of German culture for
11	many generations of German immigrants; and
12	Whereas, Gemuetlichkeit Days celebrates all of the great German qualities
13	that have become so important to our state's culture; and

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1	Whereas, the celebration of Gemuetlichkeit Days will focus on German food,
2	music, and dancing, and will even include a parade, all of which allow for a fun way
3	to reconnect with our state's German heritage; and
4	Whereas, the city of Jefferson has been the home of Gemuetlichkeit Days since
5	1971, for all of Wisconsin to come and enjoy while proclaiming that "Everyone is
6	German during Gemuetlichkeit Days"; now, therefore, be it
7	Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the
8	Wisconsin legislature proclaim the days of September 18, 19, and 20, 2009, as
9	Gemuetlichkeit Days so that this great state may honor the German heritage that
10	has been an integral part of Wisconsin for so long.

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