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#### SENATE RESOLUTION

#### No. 406 Session of 2008

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EARLL, KASUNIC, HUGHES, RAFFERTY, BROWNE, MUSTO, LAVALLE,

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#### INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED, OCTOBER 7, 2008

#### A RESOLUTION

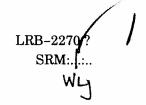
- 1 Designating the month of November 2008 as "Hydrocephalus
  - 2 Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.
- 3 WHEREAS, Hydrocephalus is a serious neurological condition,
- 4 characterized by the abnormal buildup of cerebrospinal fluids in
  - 5 the ventricles of the brain; and
- 6 WHEREAS, There is no known cure for hydrocephalus, which
  - 7 affects an estimated one million Americans; and
- $\,$  8  $\,$  WHEREAS, Out of every 1,000 babies, one to two are born with
  - 9 hydrocephalus; and
- WHEREAS, More than 375,000 older Americans have
- $11\,$  hydrocephalus, which often goes undetected or misdiagnosed as

- 12 dementia, Alzheimer's disease or Parkinson's disease; and
- 13 WHEREAS, With appropriate diagnosis and treatment, people
- 14 with hydrocephalus are able to live full and productive lives;
  - 15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, The standard treatment for hydrocephalus was
- 17 developed in 1952 and carries multiple risks, including shunt
  - 1 failure, infection and over drainage; and
- 2 WHEREAS, There are fewer than ten centers in the United
- 3 States specializing in the treatment of adults with normal
  - 4 pressure hydrocephalus; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Each year, the people of the United States spend in
- 6 excess of \$1 billion to treat hydrocephalus; and
- 7 WHEREAS, A September 2005 conference sponsored by seven
- 8 institutes of the National Institutes of Health, and entitled,
- 9 "Hydrocephalus: Myths, New Facts, Clear Directions," resulted in
- 10 efforts to initiate new, collaborative research and treatment
  - 11 efforts; and
- 12 WHEREAS, The Hydrocephalus Association is one of the nation's
- 13 oldest and largest patient and research advocacy and support
- 14 networks for individuals suffering from hydrocephalus; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Further research into the epidemiology,

- 16 pathophysiology, disease burden and improved treatment of
- 17 hydrocephalus should be conducted or supported; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Public awareness and professional education
- 19 regarding hydrocephalus should increase through partnerships
- 20 between the Federal Government and patient advocacy
- 21 organizations, such as the Hydrocephalus Association; therefore
  - 22 be it
- 23 RESOLVED, That the Senate urge the Federal Government to
- 24 collect comprehensive statistics and data regarding the
- 25 seriousness of hydrocephalus and its impact on American
  - 26 families; and be it further
- 27 RESOLVED, That the Senate designate the month of November
- 28 2008 as "Hydrocephalus Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania so that
- 29 Pennsylvanians can become more familiar with hydrocephalus and
  - 30 the individuals dedicated to finding its cure.



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1	<b>Relating to:</b> designating October as hydrocephalus awareness month.
2	Whereas, hydrocephalus is a serious neurological condition, characterized by
3	the abnormal buildup of cerebrospinal fluids in the ventricles of the brain; and
4	Whereas, there is no known cure for hydrocephalus, which affects an estimated
(5)	million Americans; and
6	Whereas, out of every 1,000 babies, one to two are born with hydrocephalus; and
7	Whereas, more than $375,000$ older Americans have hydrocephalus, which often
8	goes undetected or misdiagnosed as dementia, Alzheimer's disease or Parkinson's
9	disease; and
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11)	hydrocephalus are able to live full and productive lives; and
12	Whereas, the standard treatment for hydrocephalus was developed in 1952 and
13	carries multiple risks, including shunt failure, infection and over drainage; and
14	Whereas, there are fewer than ten centers in the United States specializing in
15	the treatment of adults with normal pressure hydrocephalus; and

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1	Whereas, each year, the people of the United States spend in excess of \$1/61/100-
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7	Whereas, the Hydrocephalus Association is one of the nation's oldest and
8	largest patient and research advocacy and support networks for individuals
9	suffering from hydrocephalus; and
10	Whereas, further research into the epidemiology, pathophysiology, disease
11	burden and improved treatment of hydrocephalus should be conducted or supported;
12	and
13	Whereas, public awareness and professional education regarding
14	hydrocephalus should increase through partnerships between the federal
15	government and patient advocacy organizations, such as the Hydrocephalus
16	Association; now, therefore, be it
17)	Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin
18	legislature urges the federal government to collect comprehensive statistics
19 ~>	regarding the seriousness of hydrocephalus and its impact on American families;

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and, be it further

Be it further resolved, That the legislature designates October 2009 and "Hydrocephalus Awareness Month" in Wisconsin so Wisconsin citizens can become more familiar with hydrocephalus and the people dedicated to finding its cure.

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### Parisi, Lori

From:

Sent:

Cady, Dean Tuesday, March 10, 2009 10:10 AM

To:

Subject:

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Draft Review: LRB 09-2270/1 Topic: October as Hydrocephalus Awareness Month.

Please Jacket LRB 09-2270/1 for the ASSEMBLY.

#### Miller, Steve

From:

Cady, Dean

Sent:

Tuesday, September 15, 2009 3:11 PM

To:

Miller, Steve

Subject:

RE: LRB 09-2270/1 Topic: October as Hydrocephalus Awareness Month.?body=

Yes, excellent. Thankx a mil. +)

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From:

Miller, Steve

Sent:

Tuesday, September 15, 2009 3:10 PM

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Cady, Dean

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You do want the /2?

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RE: LRB 09-2270/1 Topic: October as Hydrocephalus Awareness Month.?body=

That would great Steve, thankx a lot, appreciated. :)

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Miller, Steve

Sent:

Tuesday, September 15, 2009 3:07 PM

To:

Cady, Dean

Subject:

RE: LRB 09-2270/1 Topic: October as Hydrocephalus Awareness Month.?body=

As currently drafted, it is limited to October 2009.

I can change it to designate every October if you like.

From:

Cady, Dean

Sent:

Tuesday, September 15, 2009 2:57 PM

To:

Miller, Steve

Subject:

LRB 09-2270/1 Topic: October as Hydrocephalus Awareness Month.?body=

Hi Steve, this is dean from Representative Vukmir's office with a quick question for you regarding 2270 - by designating October as "Hydrocephalis month," will this be an annual, on-going designation? Leah asked me to check with you, if not would it be possible to have the designation occur annually? I realize that would make this a "/2."

Any questions give me a shout. Thankx a mil Steve!

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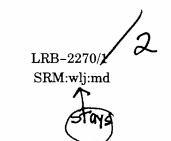
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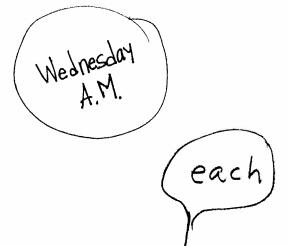
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