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**From:** Basford, Sarah  
**Sent:** Monday, October 19, 2009 1:38 PM  
**To:** Miller, Steve  
**Subject:** FW: Reuben Harpole information

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**From:** Kostelic, Jeff  
**Sent:** Monday, October 19, 2009 1:25 PM  
**To:** LRB.Legal  
**Subject:** FW: Reuben Harpole information

Reference Bureau,

Representative Richards would like to prepare an Assembly Joint Resolution to honor one of his constituents who has been a leader in civil rights reform. Attached, are links to some articles about Mr. Harpole.

I'm not sure what process to use or whether you would like Rep. Richards to draft the language or, as with bill drafts, you prefer to compose the document.

Please let me know if you need more guidance or if you have suggestions. Rep. Richards would like to have a document ready for the November floor period.

Thank you.

Jeff Kostelic  
825-2156

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**From:** Kostelic, Jeff  
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**To:** 'Jon Richards'  
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<http://www.jsonline.com/news/milwaukee/57410737.html>

[http://www4.uwm.edu/news/stories/details.cfm?customel\\_datapageid\\_11602=1601842](http://www4.uwm.edu/news/stories/details.cfm?customel_datapageid_11602=1601842)

[http://www.urban-anthropology.org/Milwaukee\\_calendarOctDec.html](http://www.urban-anthropology.org/Milwaukee_calendarOctDec.html)

[http://www.communityjournal.net/honoringtheconnector9\\_16\\_09.html](http://www.communityjournal.net/honoringtheconnector9_16_09.html)

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2009 Assembly Joint Resolution

Relating to: the accomplishments of Reuben K. Harpole Jr.

Whereas, Reuben Harpole has been engaged in the Milwaukee community for over 50 years as a civil rights activist, mentor and supporter of educational causes; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole has earned the monikers “the mayor” and “the connector” for his strong leadership skills, his dignified manner and his ability to bring people together around a common goal; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole was raised in the diverse Bronzeville neighborhood of Milwaukee which helped shape his perspective on the world by raising his awareness of and respect for other cultures; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole is the co-founder of the Center for Urban Community Development at the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee where he spent 31 years, retiring in 1997 from the School of Continuing Education where a scholarship to help attract African American men into the teaching profession is named in his honor; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole is a champion for civil rights and is a positive force in getting people interested in serving the community through volunteer work and through running for elected office; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole was honored by his alma matter with an Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letter in recognition of his work in the field of civil rights and community development which included work with the Helen Bader Foundation, Milwaukee Public School System and the Black Holocaust Museum; and

Whereas, Reuben Harpole recently had a portion of North Avenue in the City of Milwaukee named after him in recognition of his selfless contributions to the community; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the Wisconsin legislature recognize the profound impact Reuben Harpole has had on the lives those in the City of Milwaukee and wish him success and good health as he continues his work in the community



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## 2009 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION

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**Duerst, Christina**

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**From:** Kostelic, Jeff  
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