

# State of Wisconsin



2013 Assembly Joint Resolution 16

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## ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

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**Relating to:** recognizing career and technical student organizations.

Whereas, career and technical student organizations (CTSO's) are a vital part of Wisconsin's rich public education tradition; and

Whereas, there are many participating CTSSO's in Wisconsin, including the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), DECA, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), Wisconsin Future Farmers of America (FFA), and the Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA); and

Whereas, over 40,000 students and 800 chapters have participated in CTSSO's in a single year; and

Whereas, these programs help to develop the future business and civil leadership of Wisconsin through community service and competitive activities; and

Whereas, involvement in CTSSO's promotes academic and civic engagement, self-efficacy, and employment skills in participating members; and

Whereas, CTSSO's provide invaluable resources and time to charities statewide, including raising over \$80,000 in support and donating over 15,000 hours in volunteer efforts; now, therefore, be it

**Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That** the legislature applauds and encourages leaders to support the efforts of career and technical student organizations in developing the future leaders of Wisconsin; and, be it further

**Resolved, That** the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint resolution to participating career and technical student organizations.

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Senator Michael G. Ellis  
President of the Senate

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Representative Robin J. Vos  
Speaker of the Assembly

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Date

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Patrick E. Fuller  
Assembly Chief Clerk