2021 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 46


Relating to: proclaiming April 2021 as Parkinson’s Disease Awareness Month.

Whereas, Parkinson’s disease is the fastest-growing neurological disorder in the world; and

Whereas, the effects of Parkinson’s disease touch the families, friends, and communities of approximately 20,000 Wisconsinites who suffer from Parkinson’s disease; and

Whereas, research has not been able to identify an exact source of the disease for many individuals suffering from the disease; and

Whereas, Parkinson’s disease has no known cure, and treatments are limited in their ability to address the medical needs of individuals with the disease; and

Whereas, volunteers, caregivers, medical practitioners, and researchers are working to advance the treatment of medical conditions associated with Parkinson’s disease and to better understand how to prevent it; and

Whereas, additional education, awareness, and research on Parkinson’s disease will improve the lives of many Wisconsinites; now, therefore, be it
Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin Legislature proclaims April 2021 as Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month throughout the state of Wisconsin.

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