2021 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 99

November 16, 2021 – Introduced by Representatives HESSELBEIN, POPE, VINING, B. MEYERS, S. RODRIGUEZ, DRAKE, GOYKE, EMERSON, VRUWINK, HONG, MILROY, SINICKI, ROZAR, HINTZ, SPREITZER, ANDRACA, HEBL, SHELTON, DITTRICH, SUBECK, CONLEY, LOUDENBECK, MURPHY, STUBBS, OHNSTAD, SPIROS, CABRERA, KERKMAN and TUSLER, cosponsored by Senators CARPENTER, ROYS, ERPENBACH, WIRCH, JACQUE, BEWLEY, RINGHAND, JOHNSON, AGARD, PFAFF and SMITH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

Relating to: proclaiming November 2021 to be Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month.

Whereas, this year, an estimated 60,430 adults in the United States will be diagnosed with pancreatic cancer; and

Whereas, it is estimated that 48,220 deaths from this disease will occur this year; and

Whereas, pancreatic cancer is the eighth most common cancer in women and the tenth most common cancer in men; and

Whereas, this year, it is estimated that there will be 890 deaths from pancreatic cancer in Wisconsin; and

Whereas, pancreatic cancer is the third-leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States and Wisconsin; and

Whereas, the good health and well-being of the residents of Wisconsin are enhanced as a direct result of increased awareness about pancreatic cancer and research in early detection, causes, and effective treatments; now, therefore, be it
Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin Legislature proclaims November 2021 to be Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month and encourages all citizens to increase awareness of, education for, and services for pancreatic cancer in Wisconsin.

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