



## 2025 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 57

May 21, 2025 - Introduced by Senators DRAKE, CARPENTER, RATCLIFF and SPREITZER, cosponsored by Representatives TAYLOR, BILLINGS, BROWN, CLANCY, CRUZ, DESANTO, DESMIDT, FITZGERALD, HYSELL, J. JACOBSON, JOERS, JOHNSON, MADISON, MOORE OMOKUNDE, PALMERI, PRADO, ROE, SINICKI, STROUD, STUBBS, SUBECK and MIRESSÉ. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1     **Relating to:** designating May as Older Americans Month in Wisconsin.

2             Whereas, the state of Wisconsin has a thriving community of older Americans  
3     who deserve recognition for their contributions and sacrifices to ensure a better life  
4     for future generations; and

5             Whereas, more than 1.45 million Wisconsin residents are ages 60 or older,  
6     comprising 25 percent of the state's total population; and

7             Whereas, the Wisconsin State Legislature is committed to helping all  
8     individuals live longer, healthier lives in the communities of their choice for as long  
9     as possible; and

10            Whereas, since 1965, the Older Americans Act has supported various  
11     initiatives that help older adults remain healthy and independent, including Meals  
12     on Wheels, congregate meals at senior centers, assisted transportation, in-home  
13     care, and respite care; and

14            Whereas, these vital services complement existing medical and health care

