

WHEREAS, Granite and Wisconsin hard limestone are the most suitable materials to insure durability, dignity, and beauty of permanent public buildings; and

WHEREAS, It is apparent from its general use in recent federal construction that Indiana limestone has been unduly favored; and

WHEREAS, It is neither desirable nor proper for a substantial portion of the benefits of federal construction to be confined to one state when superior materials are readily available in many other states; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring,* That United States Senators and Congressmen from this state be and are hereby urged to secure proper consideration for granite and Wisconsin hard limestone in federal construction in this and other states. Be it further

*Resolved,* That properly attested copies of this resolution be sent to each United States Senator and Congressman from Wisconsin.

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[Jt. Res. No. 58, S.]

[Deposited Mar. 21, 1933.]

No. 47, 1933.

### JOINT RESOLUTION

Expressing confidence in, and support of, the measures taken by President Roosevelt and the national administration in the present banking crisis.

WHEREAS, Since President Roosevelt assumed office he has acted promptly and energetically to end the banking crisis and restore normal business activity, and in his message to Congress outlined an intelligent program to this end; and

WHEREAS, It is manifest that only through united action can confidence be restored in the safety of deposits in banks, without which it is not possible to resume normal business activity; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring,* That the Legislature of Wisconsin hereby expresses its confidence in and support of President Roosevelt and the national administration in the measures which they have taken to end the present banking crisis and assures the President that this state and its people will cooperate whole-heartedly with the national administration in the present difficulties. Be it further

*Resolved*, That this Legislature urges all depositors in banks to remain calm and to have confidence in the measures taken by the President and the Congress of the United States, and calls their attention to the fact that these measures, while causing temporary inconvenience, are designed to protect their interests in banks hereafter. Be it further

*Resolved*, That properly attested copies of this resolution be sent to President Roosevelt, to both houses of the Congress of the United States, and to each Wisconsin member thereof.

[Jt. Res. No. 4, S.]

[Deposited Mar. 22, 1933.]

No. 48, 1933.

### JOINT RESOLUTION

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to issue thirteen billion dollars in currency to finance necessary public works and to make loans to farmers and to liquidate frozen assets.

WHEREAS, Month by month economic conditions in the United States have been growing steadily worse; twelve million people are now unemployed; more than a million families are dependent on public or private charity for support; farm prices are the lowest they have been in more than a generation and nearly half the farmers are in imminent danger of losing their farms; and the state and local governments are now very nearly at the end of their resources; and

WHEREAS, There is no possibility of economic recovery unless work is provided for the unemployed, frozen assets are made liquid, and farmers, business men and home owners are freed from the imminent dangers of foreclosure and dispossession; and

WHEREAS, These fundamental objects can not possibly be attained through loans at high rates of interest, such as have been made by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, but can be effected through an increase in the currency; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring*, That the Legislature of Wisconsin hereby respectfully memorialize the Congress of the United States to make immediate provision for the issuance of thirteen billion dollars of money, eight billion dollars of this amount in currency and five billion dollars in labor certificates to be negotiable as currency, which amount is to be expended to provide work for the unemployed on necessary pub-