



2009 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 54

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1 **Relating to:** proclaiming Cesky Den.

2 Whereas, among the ethnic groups that have helped to form this state are the
3 Czechs; and

4 Whereas, the Czechs have remembered and preserved their rich cultural
5 heritage while they assimilated themselves to life in Wisconsin; and

6 Whereas, among the centers of Czech culture in this state are Hillsboro and
7 Yuba; and

8 Whereas, in 1983 the first Cesky Den (Czech Day) celebration was held to
9 promote the Czech heritage; and

10 Whereas, Cesky Den has been celebrated each year since 1983; and

11 Whereas, among the features of that celebration are polka music; the
12 enjoyment of such traditional Czech foods as roast pork, dumplings, sauerkraut,
13 rohlike, jiternice, suleke soup, and kolaches; a polka mass; various contests; the
14 wearing of authentic Czech costumes; and the creation of a special button; and

