

2009 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 38

June 2, 2009 – Introduced by Senators HOPPER and Ellis, cosponsored by Representatives Hintz, Kaufert, Spanbauer and Roth. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1	Relating to: the life and public service of John D. "Jack" Steinhilber.
2	Whereas, John D. "Jack" Steinhilber was born on September 14, 1931, in
3	Oshkosh, Wisconsin, and died on May 14, 2009, in Oshkosh; and
4	Whereas, Jack earned a law degree from the University of Wisconsin School of
5	Law in 1955, and following his admission to the State Bar, Jack began practicing law
6	in Oshkosh; and
7	Whereas, Jack was elected to the position of district attorney for Winnebago
8	County and served from 1957 to 1964; and
9	Whereas, Jack represented his Fox Valley area constituents in Madison as a
10	state legislator, having been elected first to the state assembly, in 1966, and later to
11	the state senate, in 1970, where he rose to the position of assistant majority leader;
12	and
13	Whereas, Jack loved politics and was a proud member of the Republican Party,
14	and served as the chairman of Wisconsin Citizens for Reagan in 1976; and

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1	Whereas, Jack served his community in multiple capacities, as a founding
2	director of the West Side Association and as a member of the Oshkosh Chamber of
3	Commerce, Oshkosh Downtown Rotary, and St. John's Lutheran Church in Oshkosh;
4	and
5	Whereas, Jack received recognition for his service to the Fox Valley area with
6	the Distinguished Alumni Award from Oshkosh West High School in 2001; now,
7	therefore, be it
8	Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That the members of the
9	Wisconsin legislature do commend the devoted public service that John D. "Jack"
10	Steinhilber contributed to his community, express their sorrow at his death, and
11	extend their condolences to his family and friends; and, be it further
12	Resolved, That the senate chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint
13	resolution to Jack's widow, Gail, and three children, Jack Jr. "J.D.," Jennifer
14	Manzler, and Leslie Falls.
15	(END)