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## 2015 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 47

June 22, 2015 – Introduced by Representatives Kolste, Jorgensen, Spreitzer, Loudenbeck, Spiros, Hesselbein, Murtha, Subeck, Ohnstad, C. Taylor, Sinicki and Wachs, cosponsored by Senators Ringhand, Nass, Erpenbach and Lassa. Referred to Committee on Rules.

Relating to: honoring Radio Station WCLO AM-1230 on its 85th birthday on

2 August 1, 2015. 3 Whereas, Radio Station WCLO AM-1230 signed on the air to serve Janesville, Wisconsin, and the surrounding area on August 1, 1930; and 4 Whereas, WCLO has served continuously and with distinction during good and 5 bad times, bringing the local, state, and national news, athletic events, 6 7 entertainment, and commentary to its audience for 85 years; and 8 Whereas, WCLO has been owned by the Bliss Family, owners of the Janesville 9 Gazette and Bliss Communications for its entire history in the community of 10 Janesville; and 11 Whereas, in service to Janesville and the surrounding area, WCLO donates 12 hundreds of hours of airtime each year to the promotion of charity, nonprofit, and community programs that help form a sense of community and improve the lives of 13 14 listeners; and

Whereas, WCLO broadcasts more than 50 hours a week of locally produced and
originated news, talk, and sports programming; and
Whereas, in its 85th year, WCLO has been designated "Station of the Year"
during the Wisconsin Broadcasters Association's Awards of Excellence event in the
medium market category; now, therefore, be it
Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the
Wisconsin legislature congratulate WCLO AM-1230 on its long and valuable service
to its listeners, on its designation as "Station of the Year," and on its 85th birthday
and wish the station a long and successful future of entertaining and informing the

Resolved, That the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint

resolution to Mike O'Brien, general manager at WCLO AM-1230.

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