

State of Misconsin 2017 - 2018 LEGISLATURE

2017 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 39

April 26, 2017 – Introduced by Representatives BALLWEG, MURPHY, HINTZ, KOLSTE, MURSAU, MASON, LOUDENBECK, SINICKI, BERCEAU, MILROY, SARGENT, SPREITZER, CROWLEY, POPE, SUBECK, NOVAK, E. BROOKS, RIPP, VRUWINK, RODRIGUEZ and ALLEN, cosponsored by Senators OLSEN, JOHNSON, ERPENBACH, SHILLING, MILLER, VINEHOUT, RISSER, COWLES, WIRCH, DARLING, L. TAYLOR, HARSDORF and BEWLEY. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1	Relating to: the commitment-to-family policy of Karen Bogenschneider of Verona,
2	Wisconsin.
3	Whereas, Karen Bogenschneider grew up the daughter of a cheesemaker in
4	rural Wisconsin; and
5	Whereas, Karen started her career in Iowa County in 1972 as a family living
6	agent with the University of Wisconsin–Extension; and
7	Whereas, Karen earned her PhD in child and family studies with a minor in
8	public policy education from the University of Wisconsin–Madison in 1990; and
9	Whereas, Karen became a professor of human development and family studies
10	in 1991, became executive director of the Wisconsin Family Impact Seminars in
11	1992, and was named Rothermel-Bascom Professor of Human Ecology in 2003; and
12	Whereas, Karen assumed leadership of the national Policy Institute for Family
13	Impact Seminars in 1999 to assist other states in implementing the Family Impact
14	Seminar model until 2014; and

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1	Whereas, Karen met annually with dozens of state legislators on both sides of
2	the aisle to create seminars that were objective, timely, and useful on topics such as
3	early brain science, prisoner reentry, foster care, and prescription drug costs; and
4	Whereas, Karen was appointed to the National Academy of Science Roundtable
5	on the Application of Social and Behavioral Science Research, received the
6	President's Award from the National Council on Family Relations, and served as a
7	governor's appointee to the White House Conference on Children and Families in
8	1980; and
9	Whereas, Karen gave an invited address at the United Nations 20th
10	anniversary celebration of the International Year of the Family and has been invited
11	to speak to many national and international audiences on evidence-based family
12	policy; and
13	Whereas, Karen has been committed to improving the lives of families in the
14	state of Wisconsin and beyond for more than 40 years; now, therefore, be it
15	Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the members of the
16	Wisconsin Legislature do honor the exemplary career of Karen Bogenschneider for
17	her outstanding service to our state and her leadership of the nonpartisan Wisconsin
18	Family Impact Seminars, congratulate Karen on her stellar academic career, and
19	wish Karen success and happiness in her retirement; and, be it further
20	Resolved, That the assembly chief clerk shall transmit a copy of this joint
21	resolution to Karen Bogenschneider.
22	(END)