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2017 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 20

November 9, 2017 - Introduced by Representatives VOS, HINTZ, BARCA and NEYLON.
Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** celebrating the success of the Wisconsin Capitol 100th Anniversary
2 Gala.

3 Whereas, on the evening of November 8, 2017, more than 750 people attended
4 the Wisconsin Capitol 100th Anniversary Gala; and

5 Whereas, the Gala represented the culmination of several activities and events
6 marking a century since Wisconsin's fourth capitol building was completed; and

7 Whereas, attendees came together, regardless of political party, to celebrate
8 this important milestone for one of Wisconsin's most valued treasures; and

9 Whereas, the Gala also allowed for an opportunity to remember all of the events
10 that have transpired and all those who have served within the capitol building over
11 the last ten decades; and

12 Whereas, the Gala began with a Forward Reception, which included speeches
13 from Speaker Robin Vos, Senator Fred Risser, former Governor Tommy Thompson,
14 and Governor Scott Walker; and

1 Whereas, the main event included dinner, live music, and dancing, as attendees
2 took in the majesty of the historic capitol building; and

3 Whereas, the proceeds from the Gala will go to the Capitol Restoration Fund
4 in order to make repairs to the ceiling of the State Assembly chamber; and

5 Whereas, the members of the assembly would like to thank the seven-member
6 Gala Work Group for their hard work in putting together this wonderful celebration;
7 and

8 Whereas, the 100th Anniversary State Capitol Commemorative Commission
9 oversaw the centennial activities and events throughout the past year; and

10 Whereas, the Gala and other commemorative activities would not have been
11 possible without legislative staff, the Department of Administration, the Capitol
12 Police, the Historical Society, dedicated volunteers, and sponsors; now, therefore, be
13 it

14 ***Resolved by the assembly, That*** the Wisconsin Assembly extends its sincere
15 gratitude and appreciation to all those who helped make the Wisconsin Capitol 100th
16 Anniversary Gala a resounding success and celebrates the centennial anniversary
17 of the magnificent capitol building, our state's most cherished monument to
18 democracy.

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