



2019 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 51

June 3, 2019 - Introduced by Representatives JAMES, SKOWRONSKI, ALLEN, ANDERSON, BALLWEG, DUCHOW, KURTZ, MAGNAFICI, MILROY, PLUMER, PRONSCHINSKE, RODRIGUEZ, ROHRKASTE, SINICKI, SNYDER, SPREITZER, THIESFELDT, TUSLER, VANDERMEER, ZIMMERMAN and HORLACHER, cosponsored by Senators KOOYENGA, MARKLEIN, BERNIER, CARPENTER, PETROWSKI, L. TAYLOR, WANGGAARD and WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** recognizing June 9 to 15, 2019, as Army Week in Wisconsin.

2 Whereas, June 14, 2019, marks 244 years of the Army's continuous defense of
3 the nation; and

4 Whereas, the U.S. Army was established on June 14, 1775, by the Second
5 Continental Congress, and George Washington was selected as the first
6 Commander-In-Chief; and

7 Whereas, the U.S. Army is the oldest and longest-serving branch of the U.S.
8 military; and

9 Whereas, the Army is the largest branch of the military, consisting of nearly one
10 million personnel, including over 450,000 active duty personnel; and

11 Whereas, over 13,300 Army soldiers and civilians are currently stationed or
12 working in Wisconsin; and

13 Whereas, the U.S. Army has defended the United States in 11 major wars and
14 numerous other conflicts throughout its history; and

