

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Assemblymen Kirkpatrick, Allen, Anderson, Arberry, Atkinson, Beers, Bobzien, Buckley, Carpenter, Christensen, Claborn, Cobb, Conklin, Denis, Gansert, Gerhardt, Goedhart, Goicoechea, Grady, Hardy, Hogan, Horne, Kihuen, Koivisto, Leslie, Mabey, Manendo, Marvel, McClain, Mortenson, Munford, Ocegueda, Ohrenschall, Parks, Parnell, Pierce, Segerblom, Settelmeyer, Smith, Stewart, Weber and Womack

Joint Sponsors: Senators Wiener, Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Raggio, Rhoads, Schneider, Titus, Townsend, Washington and Woodhouse

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ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Celebrating the 95th anniversary of Girl Scouts in the United States and the 75th anniversary of Girl Scouts in Nevada.

WHEREAS, For nearly a century, the Girl Scout movement has played a pivotal role in America's history with a focus on developing young women with the necessary skills to be leaders who make a difference in their world, and this initial vision was that of founder Juliette Gordon Low, when she gathered 18 girls to form the first Girl Scout troop in Savannah, Georgia, on March 12, 1912; and

WHEREAS, Throughout history, the Girl Scouts have assumed leadership roles in their community, and today, with 3.6 million members and over 55 million alumnae throughout the United States, the Girl Scouts continue to develop girls' leadership skills and prepare them for their futures as successful women; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scout alumnae now represent 70 percent of women serving in Congress, 64 percent of women listed in *Who's Who in America* and 53 percent of women who are business owners; and

WHEREAS, The Girl Scout program is available to all girls from 5 to 17 years of age and is based on the Girl Scout Promise and Law and four fundamental goals that encourage girls to develop their full potential, relate to others with increasing understanding, skill and respect, develop a meaningful set of values to guide their actions and to provide for sound decision making, and contribute to the improvement of society through the use of their abilities and leadership skills, while working in cooperation with others; and



WHEREAS, As the Girl Scouts of America are celebrating 95 years as the premier leadership organization for girls, the Girl Scouts of Frontier Council, an organization which develops and manages Girl Scouting in central and southern Nevada, is celebrating the 75th anniversary of the formation of the first Girl Scout troop in Nevada on April 14, 1932, in Boulder City with 22 girls; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 74th Session of the Nevada Legislature hereby congratulate all Girl Scouts as they begin a year-long celebration of their 95th anniversary by participating in community service activities and performing good deeds of their choosing to carry out the theme of this historic occasion, "Make the World a Better Place"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature also congratulates the members of the Girl Scouts of Frontier Council as they celebrate 75 years of Girl Scouting in central and southern Nevada and commends the Council for their role in developing the leaders of tomorrow; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Christine Smith, President of the Girl Scouts of Frontier Council, and Patricia Miller, CEO/Executive Director of the Girl Scouts of Frontier Council.

