HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 46

Introduced by Thomas, et al.

4/10	Introduced
4/11	Referred to State Administration
4/14	Hearing
4/14	Committee ReportBill Passed
4/15	2nd Reading Passed
4/17	3rd Reading Passed

Transmitted to Senate

4/18	Referred to Local Government
4/19	Hearing
4/19	Committee ReportBill Concurred
4/19	2nd Reading Concur Motion Failed
4/19	2nd Reading Indefinitely Postponed

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once every 10 years and includes all the people of Montana; 9 10 and

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WHEREAS, a good census count helps all Montanans by 14 providing a complete description of the way Montanans live 15 in each community and neighborhood throughout the state; and 16 WHEREAS, improved awareness of the importance of the 17 census to the people of Montana will encourage Montanans to 18 take time to fill out and return their census forms; and 19

WHEREAS, the census serves as the statistical basis for 20 providing equal representation to the United States House of 21 Representatives, the Montana Legislature, and local elected 22 23 governing bodies; and

WHEREAS, the privacy of a person's response to the 24 census is guaranteed by law, with individual answers kept 25



strictly confidential; and 1

WHEREAS, the Bureau of the Census will be hiring many 2 3 temporary workers through district offices located in 4 Montana to assist in taking the census of Montana; and WHEREAS, census awareness is a shared responsibility of 5 federal, state, and local governments that requires the 6 7 support and assistance of interested people throughout the

8 state, including community, business, labor, education, 9 media, and religious organizations.

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11 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE 12 OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

13 That the Legislature of the State of Montana endorses the bicentennial census and encourages its citizens to 14 15 participate in activities that increase awareness and 16 understanding of the importance of the census to the people 17 of Montana and that culminate in a complete count of all Montanans on census day, April 1, 1990. 18

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APPROVED BY COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

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THIRD READING

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