

Introduced by

Representatives Weiler, Berg, Boucher

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1 A concurrent resolution declaring Monday, February 14, 2005, "North Dakota Close-Up Day".

2 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program is designed to ignite interest in the  
3 democratic process and instill in young people the desire to become active participants in their  
4 government; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program concentrates on the functions and  
6 structures of state government and defines constitutional responsibilities assigned to each of  
7 the three branches of government; and

8 **WHEREAS**, the focus of the 2005 North Dakota Close-Up program is the legislative  
9 branch of government; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program has been in existence nearly two  
11 decades; and

12 **WHEREAS**, it is anticipated that nearly 200 North Dakota high school students will  
13 participate in the 2005 North Dakota Close-Up program;

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
15 **OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:**

16 That the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly declares Monday, February 14, 2005, "North  
17 Dakota Close-Up Day"; and

18 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this  
19 resolution to the North Dakota Council of Educational Leaders.