

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

House Concurrent Resolution No. 62

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES ENGLUND (Sponsor), YAEGER, BROWN (50), McNEIL, WALTON GRAY, FISCHER (107), SCHUPP, TODD, CARTER, KELLY, KOMO, NORR, CASEY, ATKINS, STILL, SPRENG, McDONALD, HUMMEL, SKAGGS, TILLEY, SATER, WALLACE, PACE, BIERMANN, LeBLANC, SCHLOTTACH, JONES (117), STREAM, KINGERY, NEWMAN, GUERNSEY, SUTHERLAND, BROWN (149), LAIR, RUZICKA, COLONA, McCLANAHAN, STORCH, FALLERT, LAMPE, LOW, SCHIEFFER, HODGES, WEBB, JONES (63), BRINGER, TALBOY, FUNDERBURK, LOEHNER, LIESE, MEINERS, CORCORAN, FISHER (125), DENISON, DUSENBERG, PARKINSON, FLANIGAN, GUEST, SILVEY, DOUGHERTY, VOGT, KRATKY, KIRKTON, SCAVUZZO, HARRIS, GRILL, MORRIS, AULL, BIVINS, ZERR, AYRES, MOLENDORP, BURNETT, CALLOWAY, HOLSMAN, OXFORD, QUINN, WITTE, WALSH, WEBBER, RUCKER, KUESSNER, ROORDA, KANDER, FAITH, SALVA, MEADOWS, SHIVELY AND PRATT (Co-sponsors).

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AN ACT

Relating to the designation of Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day in Missouri.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Whereas, the Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Foundation operates the Take
2 Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day to help our nation's daughters and sons reach their full
3 potential in school, family life, the community, and their future work lives; and
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Whereas, Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day is making a positive
5 difference in the lives of adults and our youth; and
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Whereas, for sixteen years the program has designed and promoted activities that
8 encourage girls and boys to think about how their dreams for the future - both for their work and
9 family lives - can be realized; and
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Whereas, through this educational experience, girls and boys begin to see the
12 connection between studied subjects like math, English, and science and how they are applied
13 to the "real" world. As a result, girls and boys are given the opportunity to explore the workplace
14 and apply the experience to their everyday studies; and
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17 **Whereas**, girls and boys want and expect a future in which they are able to involve
18 themselves. The program provides a forum for girls and boys to share their ideas about the
19 workplace of the future with the companies that will someday employ them; and
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21 **Whereas**, the program exposes girls and boys to a wealth of job possibilities and
22 future opportunities, it also maintains its commitment to ensure that all our nation's daughters
23 and sons have a chance to participate in the program. They will see the faces of engineers,
24 doctors, professors, and executives and they will realize that they could be of any gender, race,
25 or background; and
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27 **Whereas**, this program has created another public education campaign that
28 amplifies the voices of girls and boys, shares the vision of our nation's daughters and sons for
29 a better future, and works through the program to help girls and boys make their vision of today
30 their reality of tomorrow:
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32 **Now, therefore, be it resolved** that the members of the House of
33 Representatives of the Ninety-fifth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate
34 concurring therein, hereby designates the fourth Thursday of April each year as "Take Our
35 Daughters and Sons to Work Day" in Missouri; and
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37 **Be it further resolved** that the General Assembly encourages and
38 recommends that the people of the State of Missouri observe "Take Our Daughters and Sons to
39 Work Day" through activities which will increase awareness of making a positive difference in
40 the lives of adults and our youth; and
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42 **Be it further resolved** that this resolution be sent to the Governor for his
43 approval or rejection pursuant to the Missouri Constitution.

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