

1 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101
2 BY SZYMONIAK
3 (COMPANION TO LSB 3051HH BY DODERER)
4 A Concurrent Resolution honoring Iowa Woman Magazine
5 and Iowa Woman Endeavors, Inc., on their fifteenth
6 anniversary.
7 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Magazine and Iowa Woman
8 Endeavors, Inc., have in unison struggled to claim and
9 sustain a voice for women since 1979; and
10 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Magazine appeals to a
11 multigenerational audience, and is a regional magazine
12 with national circulation that has maintained a
13 lifeline between writers, artists, and the general
14 public; and
15 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Magazine draws a unique
16 collection of historical and current interest
17 articles, interviews, essays, memoirs, fiction,
18 poetry, book reviews, and visual arts, with an overall
19 emphasis on Midwestern sensibilities; and
20 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Magazine has received numerous
21 honors and awards, among them recognition for
22 editorial excellence from the Council of Literary
23 Magazines and Presses, Women in Communications, Inc.,
24 and Chicago Women in Publishing, Inc., and for
25 educational program initiatives from the Iowa Arts
26 Council, the Iowa Humanities Board, and the Iowa
27 Department of Cultural Affairs, and was a finalist in
28 the Governor's Biennial Outstanding Achievement in the
29 Arts Award; and
30 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Endeavors, Inc., remains a

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1 practical demonstration project of leadership,
2 volunteerism, entrepreneurship, and apprenticeship;
3 and

4 WHEREAS, Iowa Woman Endeavors, Inc., has sponsored
5 poetry readings, dramatic performances, annual writing
6 contests, workshops, and public humanities events that
7 draw women from all walks of life to explore their
8 creativity; NOW THEREFORE,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, THE HOUSE OF
10 REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That the General Assembly
11 commends Iowa Woman Magazine and Iowa Woman Endeavors,
12 Inc., on their fifteenth anniversary for their many
13 contributions to literature and visual arts for and by
14 women and supports their continued efforts to
15 celebrate the Iowa woman.

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