

1 HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9

2 BY GRUNDBERG and McCOY

3 A House Resolution relating to the well-being of Iowa's
4 children.5 WHEREAS, the citizens of Iowa have become
6 increasingly concerned for the safety and well-being
7 of their children; and8 WHEREAS, Iowans as part of a long-standing
9 tradition are committed to a quality education for all
10 children; and11 WHEREAS, Iowans are willing to commit their time,
12 their energy, and their resources to making a better
13 Iowa for children; NOW THEREFORE,14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE, That parents spend
15 time transporting their children to school, that
16 parents meet and talk with their children's teacher
17 about the children's performance in school, that
18 parents read to their children or encourage their
19 children to read and that the television be turned off
20 at least three hours a night, that the community,
21 particularly the clergy, become more active in
22 nurturing children by recognizing that it takes a
23 whole village to raise a child; and24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the community,
25 particularly the clergy and judges, establish lines of
26 communication about children in need in order to avoid
27 future problems with the legal system.

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