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1	HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 42
2	BY MERTZ, BELL, and FREVERT
3	A Resolution honoring the City of Whittemore on its
4	quasquicentennial year.
5	WHEREAS, the City of Whittemore of Kossuth County,
6	first platted in 1878, is celebrating its 125th
7	anniversary; and
8	WHEREAS, Whittemore's first settlers were tough and
9	hardworking, establishing their homes despite a
10	disastrous grasshopper invasion, devastating
11	blizzards, and destructive fires; and
12	WHEREAS, the motto "Whittemore Cares More, Shares
13	More" exemplifies the community's strong moral values
14	and friendly down-to-earth citizens; and
15	WHEREAS, the economic development in Whittemore is
16	based in such dynamic businesses as Elbert Chevrolet,
17	Steier Ag Aviation, West Bend Elevator, Schmitt
18	Hardware, and the Whittemore Golf Club; and
19	WHEREAS, the City of Whittemore will celebrate its
20	125th anniversary June 27-29, 2003, with a parade,
21	antique car show, beard judging contest, softball
22	tournament, and street dance; NOW THEREFORE,
23	BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
24	That the House of Representatives recognize and extend
25	its congratulations to the City of Whittemore on its
26	quasquicentennial and for its 125 years of service to
27	its citizens and to the State of Iowa; and
28	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an official copy of
29	this Resolution be prepared and presented to the
30	Honorable Daniel Elbert, Mayor of the City of

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