

Senate Resolution 162 - Introduced

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1 1 SENATE RESOLUTION NO. ____
1 2 BY ANGELO
1 3 A Resolution recognizing May 2008 as Salvation Army
1 4 Month.
1 5 WHEREAS, in 1865 William Booth left the
1 6 conventional Methodist church in London, England, to
1 7 minister to the poor, homeless, and lost multitudes
1 8 needing hope and salvation; and
1 9 WHEREAS, later named the Salvation Army, Booth's
1 10 organization has now expanded to more than 100
1 11 countries and is one of the world's largest providers
1 12 of social aid today; and
1 13 WHEREAS, the Salvation Army in Iowa provides much
1 14 more than spiritual counseling and basic human
1 15 necessities to the needy and hurting on a daily basis;
1 16 and
1 17 WHEREAS, the Salvation Army serves as a symbol of
1 18 compassion, but more so an active participant in the
1 19 provision of services to thousands of men, women, and
1 20 children, from the Galveston Hurricane of 1900 and the
1 21 San Francisco earthquake of 1906 to the Hurricane
1 22 Katrina disaster in 2005; and
1 23 WHEREAS, the Salvation Army has been providing
1 24 these programs to those in need for more than 140
1 25 years and stands ready to serve in the future; and
1 26 WHEREAS, the Salvation Army provides its services
1 27 to people in need without regard to race, color,
1 28 creed, sex, or age; NOW THEREFORE,
1 29 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That the Senate
1 30 recognizes the month of May 2008 as Salvation Army
2 1 Month in Iowa and urges all citizens to join in
2 2 honoring the dedicated men and women who work or
2 3 volunteer for this fine organization and touch the
2 4 lives of so many.
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