

House Resolution 106 - Introduced

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 106

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1 A Resolution to recognize the Iowa Small Business
2 Development Centers and honor 2022 award winners.

3 WHEREAS, since 1981, the Iowa Small Business
4 Development Centers have provided expert and
5 confidential business counseling services and training
6 workshops to entrepreneurs in all 99 Iowa counties; and

7 WHEREAS, the Iowa Small Business Development Centers
8 provide a wide variety of services to foster the growth
9 of Iowa business, including one-to-one professional
10 business counseling, learning opportunities,
11 workshops, courses and classes, and a variety of other
12 services; and

13 WHEREAS, the Iowa Small Business Development Centers
14 have announced the 2022 award winners for the centers'
15 two special entrepreneur awards; and

16 WHEREAS, Erica Brewer, the owner of Belle Allure
17 Minkz & Boutique in Dubuque, is the 2022 Deb Dalziel
18 Woman Entrepreneur Achievement Award winner, an
19 award which honors an Iowa woman entrepreneur who has
20 significantly changed or improved her life and the
21 lives of others; and

22 WHEREAS, Matt Curtis, the owner of Wayne's Ski &
23 Cycle in Mason City, has received the 2022 Neal Smith
24 Entrepreneur of the Year Award, an award named in honor
25 of the long-serving Iowa congressman, given to an Iowa
26 entrepreneur who has been in business a minimum of
27 three years and has been significantly assisted by an

1 Iowa Small Business Development Center; and

2 WHEREAS, the two entrepreneur awards will be
3 presented to the winners in a special ceremony on
4 March 3, 2022, at the State Capitol in Des Moines; NOW
5 THEREFORE,

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, That
7 the House of Representatives honors award winners Erica
8 Brewer and Matt Curtis, congratulates them on their
9 success, and recognizes and expresses its thanks to
10 the Iowa Small Business Development Centers for their
11 ongoing work in making Iowa a better place to live and
12 work.