## 103D CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. J. RES. 286

Designating June 7, 1994, through June 14, 1994, as "National Flag Celebration Week".

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 3, 1993

Mr. McCloskey (for himself, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Applegate, Mr. Archer, Mr. Barlow, Mr. Bateman, Mr. Bevill, Mr. Bilbray, Mr. Bilirakis, Mr. Bliley, Mr. Bonior, Mr. Brewster, Mr. Callahan, Mr. Cardin, Mr. Clement, Mr. Coleman, Miss Collins of Michigan, Mr. Cramer, Ms. Danner, Mr. de la Garza, Mr. Dickey, Mr. Dingell, Mr. Doo-LITTLE, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Frost, Mr. Gekas, Mr. Pete Geren of Texas, Mr. Gene Green of Texas, Mr. Gunderson, Mr. Hall of Texas, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Hoagland, Mr. Hoyer, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. John-SON of South Dakota, Mr. KASICH, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KLEIN, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. KREIDLER, Ms. LAMBERT, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. Lipinski, Mr. McNulty, Mr. Manton, Mr. Martinez, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mrs. Mink, Mr. Mollohan, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. MORAN, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. Parker, Mr. Pastor, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Mr. Peterson of Florida, Mr. Petri, Mr. Pickle, Mr. Quillen, Mr. Rahall, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RAVENEL, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROWLAND, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SHARP, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. Slattery, Ms. Slaughter, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, Ms. Snowe, Mr. Spence, Mr. Stump, Mr. Thomas of Wyoming, Mr. Valentine, Mr. Volkmer, Mr. Waxman, Mr. Whitten, Mr. Wilson, and Mr. Young of Alaska) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service

## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

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- Whereas it is the obligation of each generation of Americans to instruct the next in the significance of our history and of the meaning of and the ideals embodied in our Nation's patriotic symbols;
- Whereas the flag of the United States is the principal patriotic symbol of our Nation;
- Whereas the citizens of the United States already celebrate the observance of Flag Day on June the fourteenth of each year; and
- Whereas Public Law 89–443 did establish on June 9, 1966, that "the President is authorized and requested to issue annually a proclamation designating the week in which June 14 occurs as National Flag Week, and calling upon all citizens to display the flag of the United States on those days": Now, therefore, be it
  - 1 Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives
  - 2 of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
  - 3 That the President revive this custom by declaring the
  - 4 week beginning June 7, 1994, which culminates with the
  - 5 observance of Flag Day, on June 14, 1994, to be "Na-
  - 6 tional Flag Celebration Week", during which citizens, es-
  - 7 pecially children, be encouraged to both display the flag
  - 8 and study its history and the ideals it represents.