

103RD CONGRESS
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S. J. RES. 102

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Whereas country music derives its roots from the folk songs
of our Nation’s workers, captures the spirit of our reli-
gions hymns, reflects the sorrow and joy of our tradi-
tional ballads, and echoes the drive and soulfulness of
rhythm and blues;

Whereas country music has played an integral part in our
Nation’s history, accompanying the growth of our Nation
and reflecting the ethnic and cultural diversity of our
people;

Whereas country music embodies a spirit of the American
people and the deep and genuine feelings individuals ex-
perience throughout life;

Whereas the distinctively American refrains of country music
have been performed for audiences throughout the world,
striking a chord deep within the hearts and souls of fans
everywhere; and

Whereas October 1993 and October 1994 mark, respectively,
the twenty-ninth and thirtieth annual observances of
Country Music Month: 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 months of October 1993 and October 1994 are
4 designated as “Country Music Month”, and that the
5 President is authorized and requested to issue a proclama-
6 tion calling upon the people of the United States to
7 observe such months with appropriate ceremonies and
8 activities.

 Passed the Senate July 23 (legislative day, June
30), 1993.

Attest:

Secretary.