

**Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 6, 2009**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3018  
(Representatives Weiler, Carlson, Boucher, Nathe)  
(Senators Stenehjem, O'Connell)

A concurrent resolution declaring Monday, February 9, 2009, "North Dakota Close-Up Day".

**WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program is designed to ignite interest in the democratic process and instill in young people the desire to become active participants in their government; and

**WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program concentrates on the functions and structures of state government and defines constitutional responsibilities assigned to each of the three branches of government; and

**WHEREAS**, the focus of the 2009 North Dakota Close-Up program is the legislative branch of government; and

**WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program has been in existence over two decades; and

**WHEREAS**, it is anticipated that nearly 100 North Dakota high school students will participate in the 2009 North Dakota Close-Up program;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:**

That the Sixty-first Legislative Assembly declares Monday, February 9, 2009, "North Dakota Close-Up Day"; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution to the North Dakota Council of Educational Leaders.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009,  
at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Secretary of State