

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE

RESOLUTION NO. 1050

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A Resolution declaring the month of April, 1994 as "Aerospace Awareness Month"; recognizing importance and value of aviation and aerospace industries; and making declaration.

WHEREAS, modern aviation originated at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina with the successful flight of an aircraft constructed by Orville and Wilbur Wright in 1903; and

WHEREAS, the historically significant event of powered flight has led to the development of the aerospace and related industries; and

WHEREAS, aerospace activity and aviation have created hundreds of thousands of jobs and have contributed significantly to the development of the United States and Oklahoma economy; and

WHEREAS, the aviation industry is responsible for the employment of over 231,000 people in the State of Oklahoma and produces a total payroll in excess of Ten Billion Dollars; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma has assisted in the development of aviation and the aerospace industry through contributions by Oklahomans in the development, testing and flight of powered aircraft and space vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma recognizes the value of aviation and the aerospace industry and activities related to powered flight, in addition to the important contributions of research and development in aviation and aerospace.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 44TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the month of April, 1994 is hereby declared as "Aerospace Awareness Month" in the State of Oklahoma.

THAT the citizens of the State of Oklahoma take an opportunity to participate in events related to the recognition of aviation and the aerospace industry during the month of April, 1994.

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