

HR 9051

2007

House Resolution

A resolution designating June 2, 2007, as "Take a Kid Boating Day."

WHEREAS, "Take a Kid Boating Day" provides Floridians an opportunity to make a positive impact in a child's life through a day of boating, and

WHEREAS, "Take a Kid Boating Day" gives children a hands-on opportunity to learn about sailing, motor boating, and fishing while developing an appreciation and knowledge of an integral thread in the fabric of Florida's economy and culture, and

WHEREAS, many young Floridians would benefit from being exposed to the beautiful marine environment that Florida provides in order to gain a sense of the real value and beauty of one of the state's leading industries, while developing the knowledge and appreciation for maritime activities, and

WHEREAS, "Take a Kid Boating Day" can provide hope, encouragement, knowledge, solid values, and the opportunity to experience a tranquil way of life for Florida's youngest citizens, and

WHEREAS, the Take a Kid Boating Foundation works to pair willing boaters with children in need of mentoring to create a day of boating that will spark an interest and a lifetime of love for one of Florida's leading recreational pastimes, opening the doors of possibility for countless children, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

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30 That the Florida House of Representatives designates June
31 2, 2007, as "Take a Kid Boating Day."

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be
33 presented to the Take a Kid Boating Foundation as a tangible
34 token of the sentiments expressed herein.