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## 1 House Resolution

2 A resolution designating Wednesday, April 1, 2009, and  
3 Thursday, April 2, 2009, as "Miami-Dade County Days."  
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5 WHEREAS, Greater Miami-Dade County contains thousands of  
6 businesses that employ millions of people and is the site of  
7 foreign consulates, international trade offices, and bi-national  
8 chambers of commerce, and

9 WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County is a center of world finance,  
10 with hundreds of financial institutions and foreign agencies  
11 within its boundaries, and

12 WHEREAS, the film and music industry have made Miami-Dade  
13 County one of the largest production centers in the nation, and

14 WHEREAS, agriculture continues to provide millions in  
15 economic activity to Miami-Dade County, and the agricultural  
16 industry has diversified in such a manner that Miami-Dade County  
17 is now one of the largest producers in the United States of  
18 tropical fruits, ornamental plants, and fish, and

19 WHEREAS, manufacturing is also a key industry in Miami-Dade  
20 County, with thousands of companies employing tens of thousands  
21 of individuals in manufacturing jobs, and

22 WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County is currently experiencing a  
23 cultural boom in world-class entertainment and cultural  
24 activities, which is evidenced by the thousands of nonprofit  
25 cultural organizations offering dance, theater, music, and  
26 visual arts, and festivals and special events, and

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27 WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade County community is a microcosm of  
28 the world, in which hundreds of countries are represented, and  
29 diverse languages are spoken daily, and

30 WHEREAS, 20 years ago the late Representative John F.  
31 Cosgrove, as chair of the then Dade County legislative  
32 delegation, worked with the private sector to create what is now  
33 Miami-Dade County Days in Tallahassee, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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38 That Wednesday, April 1, 2009, and Thursday, April 2, 2009,  
39 are designated as "Miami-Dade County Days."