

By Senator Haridopolos

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Senate Resolution

A resolution recognizing June 2010 as "Recreational Vehicle and Camping Month" in Florida.

WHEREAS, the Recreational Vehicle Industry is celebrating 100 years of American enjoyment of recreational vehicles, and

WHEREAS, 1 in 12 American households owns a recreational vehicle, and

WHEREAS, recreational vehicles allow families to build stronger relationships and explore the great outdoors, and

WHEREAS, travel in a recreational vehicle offers freedom, comfort, and flexibility to see all of the United States, from historic landmarks to national and state parks, and

WHEREAS, Florida ranks third in the number of recreational vehicle shipments and is home to the largest recreational vehicle show in the nation, the RV SuperShow, in Tampa, and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has more than 900 licensed recreational vehicle parks and campgrounds, with more than 120,000 licensed recreational vehicle sites, and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida consistently ranks as the nation's best and most popular recreational vehicle and camping destination, and

WHEREAS, more than 5 million people camp in Florida each year, generating more than \$5 billion for the state's economy, and

WHEREAS, 20 percent of all auto visitors to Florida either camp or travel in a recreational vehicle, and

WHEREAS, the 100th Anniversary of the introduction of the recreational vehicle into the American marketplace will be

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30 celebrated June 7, 2010, at the RV/MH Hall of Fame in Elkhart,
31 Indiana, NOW, THEREFORE,

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33 Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

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35 That June 2010 is recognized as "Recreational Vehicle and
36 Camping Month" in Florida.