



## 2023 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 76

October 13, 2023 - Introduced by Senators LEMAHIEU, BALLWEG, BRADLEY, CABRAL-GUEVARA, CARPENTER, FELZKOWSKI, HESSELBEIN, JAGLER, JAMES, MARKLEIN, NASS, PFAFF, QUINN, SPREITZER, TOMCZYK and WANGGAARD, cosponsored by Representatives AUGUST, ALLEN, C. ANDERSON, ARMSTRONG, BALDEH, BARE, BEHNKE, BINSFELD, CALLAHAN, CONLEY, DALLMAN, DITTRICH, DONOVAN, DOYLE, DRAKE, DUCHOW, EDMING, GOEBEN, GREEN, HURD, JOERS, KITCHENS, KRUG, KURTZ, MAGNAFICI, MELOTIK, MICHALSKI, MURPHY, MURSAU, NEDWESKI, NOVAK, O'CONNOR, OHNSTAD, ORTIZ-VELEZ, PALMERI, PENTERMAN, PETRYK, PLUMER, PRONSCHINSKE, RATCLIFF, RETTINGER, RIEMER, ROZAR, SCHMIDT, SCHUTT, SHELTON, SINICKI, SNODGRASS, SNYDER, SORTWELL, SPIROS, STEFFEN, STUBBS, SUMMERFIELD, TUSLER, VANDERMEER, VINING, VOS, WICHGERS, WITTKE and SCHRAA. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1       **Relating to:** recognizing October 17, 2023, as First Responders Appreciation Day  
2           in Wisconsin.

3           Whereas, October 28, 2023, is recognized nationally as First Responders  
4       Appreciation Day; and

5           Whereas, first responders include all professional and volunteer police, fire,  
6       and emergency medical services (EMS) personnel; and

7           Whereas, first responders risk their safety on a daily basis to protect the public  
8       from threats and emergency situations and provide lifesaving services; and

9           Whereas, first responders stand ready to serve and protect the public 24 hours  
10       per day; and

11          Whereas, there are approximately 4.6 million first responders in the United  
12       States serving in disciplines such as law enforcement, emergency management,  
13       emergency medical services, fire and rescue, and public works; and

