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H. RES. 101

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that schools across the Nation should teach about the role of Native Americans in American history and culture and lead community service projects that further that education.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 27, 2001

Mr. BACA (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. HONDA, Mr. FROST, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. KIND, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that schools across the Nation should teach about the role of Native Americans in American history and culture and lead community service projects that further that education.

Whereas Native Americans have given much to this country;

Whereas an emphasis on freedom, justice, patriotism, and representative government have always been elements of Native American culture;

Whereas Native Americans have shown their willingness to fight and die for this Nation in foreign lands;

Whereas Native Americans honor the American flag at every powwow and at many gatherings and remember all veterans through song, music, and dance;

Whereas Native Americans honor, through song, the men and women of this country who have fought for freedom;

Whereas Native Americans love the land that has nurtured their parents, grandparents, and unnamed elders since the beginning of their recorded history; and

Whereas Native Americans honor the Earth that has brought life to the people since time immemorial: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the House of Rep-
2 resentatives that—

3 (1) schools across the Nation should teach
4 about the role of Native Americans in American his-
5 tory and culture and lead community service projects
6 that further that education; and

7 (2) there should be a legal public holiday hon-
8 oring Native Americans.

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