

109TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. RES. 446

Recognizing the 50th Anniversary of the Crop Science Society of America.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 26, 2006

Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL) submitted the following resolution;
which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Recognizing the 50th Anniversary of the Crop Science
Society of America.

Whereas the Crop Science Society of America was founded in
1955, with Gerald O. Mott as its first President;

Whereas the Crop Science Society of America is one of the
premier scientific societies in the world, as shown by its
world-class journals, international and regional meetings,
and development of a broad range of educational oppor-
tunities;

Whereas the science and scholarship of the Crop Science So-
ciety of America are mission-directed, with the goal of
addressing agricultural challenges facing humanity;

Whereas the Crop Science Society of America significantly
contributes to the scientific and technical knowledge nec-

essary to protect and sustain natural resources on all land in the United States;

Whereas the Crop Science Society plays a key role internationally in developing sustainable agricultural management and biodiversity conservation for the protection and sound management of the crop resources of the world;

Whereas the mission of the Crop Science Society of America continues to expand, from the development of sustainable production of food and forage, to the production of renewable energy and novel industrial products;

Whereas, in industry, extension, and basic research, the Crop Science Society of America has fostered a dedicated professional and scientific community that, in 2005, included more than 3,000 members; and

Whereas the American Society of Agronomy was the parent society that led to the formation of both the Crop Science Society of America and the Soil Science Society of America and fostered the development and the common overall management of the 3 sister societies: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) recognizes the 50th anniversary year of the
3 Crop Science Society of America;

4 (2) commends the Crop Science Society of
5 America for 50 years of dedicated service to advancing the science and practice of crop science;

7 (3) acknowledges the promise of the Crop
8 Science Society of America to continue enriching the
9 lives of all citizens of the United States by improv-

1 ing stewardship of the environment, combating world
2 hunger, and enhancing the quality of life for another
3 50 years and beyond; and

4 (4) respectfully requests the Secretary of the
5 Senate to transmit an enrolled copy of this resolu-
6 tion to the President of the Crop Science Society of
7 America.

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