HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6008

A RESOLUTION designating February 6, 2013, as "Native American Legislative Day at the Capitol."

WHEREAS, Native Americans were the first human inhabitants of the land that is now the State of Kansas; and

WHEREAS, The history and culture of the State of Kansas have been significantly influenced by Native American tribes and indigenous peoples; and

WHEREAS, Native American customs and traditions are respected, celebrated and honored as part of a rich legacy throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, We honor the contributions of Native Americans that have enhanced the freedom, prosperity, and greatness of America today; and

WHEREAS, We honor the Native American Tribal Chairmen of Kansas and their tribal council members for their service as tribal leaders and role models, and for the continued contributions these men and women make to their tribal communities: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we designate February 6, 2013, as "Native American Legislative Day at the Capitol." We urge all Kansans to celebrate the contributions Native American tribes have made and continue to make to the great State of Kansas.

House Resolution No. 6008 was sponsored by Representative Ponka-We Victors.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.