



2021 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 29

March 31, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives L. MYERS, ALLEN, ROZAR, OHNSTAD, SINICKI, MILROY, VRUWINK, HESSELBEIN, HEBL, EMERSON, MOSES, SHANKLAND, S. RODRIGUEZ, KERKMAN, DITTRICH, CABRAL-GUEVARA, CONSIDINE, MAGNAFICI, BALDEH, VINING, CABRERA, SPREITZER, POPE, ANDRACA, SHELTON, ANDERSON, SUBECK, DRAKE and STUBBS, cosponsored by Senators BERNIER, L. TAYLOR, CARPENTER, ROYS, LARSON, DARLING, ERPENBACH, AGARD and RINGHAND. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** proclaiming March 2021 to be Kidney Month in Wisconsin.

2 Whereas, the National Kidney Foundation designated March as National
3 Kidney Month to help spread awareness about kidney disease and the ways it can
4 be detected and prevented; and

5 Whereas, kidneys serve many important health functions, including filtering
6 waste from the blood, directing the production of red blood cells, and regulating fluid
7 and blood pressure levels; and

8 Whereas, it is estimated that one in seven American adults has kidney disease
9 and that one in three adults is at a high risk for developing kidney disease; and

10 Whereas, kidney disease can cause several health problems, such as
11 cardiovascular disease, heart attack, high blood pressure, stroke, kidney failure, and
12 nerve damage; and

13 Whereas, the risk factors for kidney disease include diabetes, family history,
14 high blood pressure, and old age; and

