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2023 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 128

February 16, 2024 - Introduced by Representatives Moses, Sapik, Allen, Armstrong, Behnke, Binsfeld, Bodden, Callahan, Dittrich, Donovan, Duchow, Edming, Goeben, Green, Gundrum, Hurd, Magnafici, Maxey, Melotik, Michalski, O'Connor, Penterman, Plumer, Rettinger, Rozar, Schraa, Sortwell, Spiros, Steffen, Summerfield, Tusler, Vos and Murphy, cosponsored by Senators Knodl, Stroebel, Cabral-Guevara, Testin, Tomczyk, Stafsholt and Quinn. Referred to Committee on Rules.

Relating to: supporting Texas Governor Greg Abbott in his effort to stand up for his 1 $\mathbf{2}$ state and protect the U.S. border with Mexico. Whereas, in December 2023, over 300,000 migrants crossed over the border 3 between the United States and Mexico; and 4 5 Whereas, this unprecedented surge of migrants risks exposing the country to 6 an influx of illegal drugs; and 7 Whereas, Texas Governor Greg Abbott has pledged to deter migrants in absence of tougher border administration by the Biden Administration; and 8 9 Whereas, as part of Operation Lone Star, Governor Abbott has installed 10 floating barriers and razor wire fences along the Rio Grande, while also deploying the Texas National Guard; and 11 12 Whereas, rather than support Governor Abbott, the federal government has

sued to block these efforts to secure the border; and

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Whereas, 25 governors have announced that they stand in solidarity with Governor Abbott in his effort to take action in the midst of federal inaction; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin State Legislature supports Texas Governor Greg Abbott in his effort to stand up for his state.

7 (END)