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## 2023 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 6

March 6, 2023 – Introduced by Representative Dittrich. Referred to Committee on Rules.

| 1  | Relating to: proclaiming our appreciation and respect for our Grocery and Retail           |
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| 2  | Food Employees.  |
| 3  | Whereas, there are nearly six million grocery store employees in the United                |
| 4  | States; and  |
| 5  | Whereas, in Wisconsin, there are 94,000 grocery store, convenience store, and              |
| 6  | food-related retail jobs that provide \$2.8 billion in payroll, and generate \$6.3 billion |
| 7  | in economic activity; and  |
| 8  | Whereas, grocery, convenience, and food retail employees provide all                       |
| 9  | Americans with access to safe, healthy, and affordable food; and                           |
| 10 | Whereas, grocery, convenience, and food retail employees work to enhance the               |
| 11 | health and well-being of each customer; and  |
| 12 | Whereas, grocery, convenience, and food retail employees contribute and                    |
| 13 | volunteer countless hours in their communities; and  |
| 14 | Whereas, grocery, convenience, and food retail employees have faced                        |
| 15 | unprecedented challenges the last three years keeping retail shelves stocked; and          |

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Whereas, grocery, convenience, and food retail store employees have and continue to meet and exceed these challenges, while displaying courage, compassion, dedication, and leadership, as well as exemplifying customer service and community outreach; and

Whereas, the need for grocery, convenience, and food retail employees is greater than ever because of current and growing consumer demands as well as their reputation for excellence; now, therefore, be it

**Resolved by the assembly, That** the Wisconsin Assembly hereby proclaims our appreciation and respect for our Grocery and Retail Food Employees and ask all citizens to join in honoring our Grocery Store Heroes.

11 (END)