

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9

Senators Outman, Wojno, Nesbitt, Lucido, Daley and Johnson, Wojno, Nesbitt, Lucido, Daley and Johnson offered the following resolution:

1           A resolution to commemorate February 1, 2019, as Blue Star  
2 Mother's Day.

3           Whereas, Blue Star Mothers of America, Inc., is a national  
4 organization of mothers whose sons and daughters serve honorably in  
5 the nation's armed forces; and

6           Whereas, Blue Star Mothers of America, Inc., was founded in  
7 Flint, Michigan, in 1942; and

8           Whereas, The purposes and activities of Blue Star Mothers of  
9 America, Inc., include all of the following:

10           •       Perpetuating the memory of the men and women who have

1 served our country as members of the armed forces;

2 • Welcoming home returning veterans;

3 • Visiting wounded veterans in hospitals and rehabilitation  
4 centers;

5 • Assisting in veterans ceremonies;

6 • Attending patriotic rallies and meetings;

7 • Maintaining true allegiance to the government of the  
8 United States;

9 • Upholding the American institutions of freedom, justice,  
10 and equal rights;

11 • Caring for the unsupported mothers who gave their sons  
12 and daughters to the service of the nation; and

13 • Providing moral support for members.

14 ; now, therefore, be it

15 Resolved by the Senate, That the members of this legislative  
16 body commemorate February 1, 2019, as Blue Star Mother's Day; and  
17 be it further

18 Resolved, We recognize the contributions that Blue Star  
19 Mothers of America, Inc., has made to our state and nation.