

House Resolution 244

By: Representatives Wade of the 9th, Tarvin of the 2nd, Thomas of the 21st, Crawford of the 89th, Chastain of the 7th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 3-9, 2025, as Future Business Leaders of America Week at the state
2 capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America Inc. (FBLA) is a non-profit educational
4 organization whose first chapter was established in Johnson City, Tennessee, in 1942; and

5 WHEREAS, Iowa became FBLA's first state chapter in 1947; and

6 WHEREAS, Dawson County High School officially chartered its FBLA local chapter on
7 November 20, 1967; and

8 WHEREAS, FBLA includes more than 250,000 members and advisers in 4,600 chapters
9 nationwide in middle schools, high schools, colleges, universities, career and technical
10 schools, and private business schools; and

11 WHEREAS, FBLA is a professional business organization dedicated to bringing business
12 and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and
13 career development programs; and

14 WHEREAS, FBLA members perform community service activities and strive to build a
15 student's understanding of the realities of the modern business world; and

16 WHEREAS, FBLA teaches middle school, high school, and college students basic business
17 and leadership principles as well as assists them in the transition from school to work.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body recognize February 3-9, 2025, as Future Business Leaders of
20 America Week at the state capitol.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
23 public and the press.