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HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1011

Introduced by: Representatives Hunhoff, Bartels, Brunner, Chase, Cwach, Duba, Duvall, Finck, Gosch, Gross, Hammock, Hansen, Karr, Otten (Herman), Peterson (Kent), Post, Qualm, Ring, Saba, and Zikmund and Senators Kennedy, DiSanto, Monroe, Partridge, Soholt, Steinhauer, and Wiik

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring and commending the city of Yankton on the 150th anniversary of its incorporation.

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton was incorporated on January 8, 1869, and is now 150 years old; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton was designated as the Dakota Territorial capital in 1861 and was the center of political and economic life in the territory by 1869; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton has undergone many changes and has experienced growth and prosperity spanning those 150 years; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton is now a great small city that has shown resilience in the face of the challenges posed by life on the Great Plains, enjoys a great business community, and benefits from thriving cultural opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton celebrates its long and colorful history and looks forward to the next 150 years; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yankton is to be commended for the outstanding accomplishments of its many citizens during the last 150 years who have made the community a great place to live, play, and work:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Ninety-Fourth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Legislature commends and honors the City of Yankton and its citizens in recognition of the accomplishments they have achieved by working together during the last 150 years.