

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 109**

Introduced by Kolterman, 24; Hansen, M., 26; Hilgers, 21; Wishart, 27;  
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WHEREAS, Josh Swain of Tucson, Arizona, out of boredom during the pandemic, invited nine other individuals named Josh Swain to meet on a field near Lincoln, Nebraska, to determine the one true Josh; and

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2021, the Battle of the Joshes took place and hundreds of individuals arrived to witness Joshes from around the nation battle to determine which Josh would reign supreme; and

WHEREAS, the Josh Swain from Tucson, Arizona, was named the "true" Josh Swain following a game of rock-paper-scissors; and

WHEREAS, "Little" Josh Vinson, Jr. of Lincoln, Nebraska, was crowned the "Ultimate Josh" following the Battle of the Joshes; and

WHEREAS, as a result of fundraising and charitable efforts by the "true" Josh Swain of Tucson, Arizona, participants donated nearly one ton of food to the Food Bank of Lincoln and raised over thirteen thousand dollars to be donated to the Children's Hospital and Medical Center Foundation located in Omaha.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates and appreciates the work of Josh Swain of Tucson, Arizona, other organizers and attendees, and Lincoln, Nebraska community members for their philanthropic efforts in organizing and donating nearly one ton of food to the Food Bank of Lincoln and over thirteen thousand dollars to the Children's Hospital and Medical Center Foundation.

2. That the Legislature congratulates "Little" Josh Vinson, Jr. for winning the Battle of the Joshes.

3. That copies of this resolution be sent to the "true" Josh Swain of

Tucson, Arizona, and "Little" Josh Vinson, Jr. of Lincoln, Nebraska.