1	HOUSE MEMORIAL 19
2	45TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2002
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10	A MEMORIAL
11	PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 11, 2002 TO BE "COMMUNITY EDUCATION DAY"
12	AT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND DECLARING LEGISLATIVE
13	SUPPORT FOR COMMUNITY EDUCATION.
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15	WHEREAS, education is a lifelong process and everyone in
16	the community, including individuals, businesses, public and
17	private agencies, shares resources for educating all members
18	of the community; and
19	WHEREAS, citizens have a right and a responsibility to be
20	involved in determining community needs and identifying
21	community resources, and linking those needs and resources to
22	improve their community; and
23	WHEREAS, thirty-eight states, including New Mexico, have
24	community education organizations dedicated to improving their
25	communities; and

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1 WHEREAS, community education provides all members of the 2 community, regardless of their age, background and needs, with educational and health resources; and 3 WHEREAS, community education is characterized by optimum 4 use of public education facilities by people of all ages in 5 their community; and 6 7 WHEREAS, community education results in a responsive 8 education system and an improved learning climate in the schools; and 9 10 WHEREAS, partnerships with business, industry and schools 11 enhance the learning climate of the community; and 12 WHEREAS, the New Mexico community education association, 13 a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, is dedicated to providing 14 support to New Mexico communities to further enrich their 15 educational climate; 16 NOW. THEREFORE. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF **REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that February 11**, 17 18 2002 be proclaimed "Community Education Day" at the house of 19 representatives; and 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the governor be requested to proclaim February 11, 2002 as "Community Education Day"; and 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be 22

transmitted to the governor.

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