By Senators Honeyford, Johnson, McAuliffe, Rasmussen and Roach

WHEREAS, Babies are the world's sweetest miracles who fill our hearts with happiness and touch our lives with love; and

WHEREAS, Each precious child brings new hope for a happier, more peaceful world; and WHEREAS, Dane Anders Benson, born March 12, 2004, to Ashley Benson, is the new grandson of Senator Brad and Jill Benson; and

WHEREAS, Simone Alexandra Pollock, born July 18, 2004, to Kathryn and Christopher Pollock, is the new great-granddaughter of Senator Alex and Lucille Deccio; and

WHEREAS, Isabel Marie Badley, born May 19, 2004, to Matt and Heidi Badley, is the new granddaughter of Senator Mary Margaret Haugen and husband Basil Badley; and

WHEREAS, Katherine Anneliese Honeyford, born October 23, 2004, to Jim and Michelle Honeyford, is the new granddaughter of Senator Jim and Jerri Honeyford; and

WHEREAS, Beau Stephen Joseph Johnson, born June 28, 2004, to Tom and Juli Johnson, is the new grandson of Senator Stephen L. and Lynn Johnson; and

WHEREAS, Sophie Alice Garfunkle, born August 23, 2004, to Matt and Genevieve Kline Garfunkle, is the new granddaughter of Senator Adam Kline and Laura Gene Middaugh; and

WHEREAS, Sophia Rose McAuliffe, born March 8, 2004, to John McAuliffe and Lisa Priestman, is the new granddaughter of Senator Rosemary and James McAuliffe; and

WHEREAS, Mariah May Lucy, born May 24, 2004, to Sam and Brooke Lucy, is the new granddaughter of Senator Linda and Robert Parlette; and

WHEREAS, Camille Jean Roach, born March 8, 2005, to Representative Dan and Melanie Roach, and Mercedes Anna Roach, born March 11, 2005, to John and Claire Roach, are the new granddaughters of Senator Pam and Jim Roach; and

WHEREAS, Royal Albert Curtis Stevens, born March 24, 2005, to Curtis and Rosie Stevens, is the new grandson of Senator Val and Keith Stevens; and

WHEREAS, Logan Michael Matthews, born August 26, 2004, to Travis and Jenny Matthews, is the new grandson of Senator Dan and Debby Swecker;

WHEREAS, Kaden Chase Miller, born May 11, 2004, to Mary and Russ Miller, is the new grandson of Senator Marilyn Rasmussen;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State Senate hereby welcome the 2005 Session Babies born to the children of members of the Senate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Washington State Senate wish all the blessings of life for Dane, Simone, Isabel, Katherine, Beau, Sophie, Sophia, Mariah, Camille, Mercedes, Royal, and Logan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That Senators Benson, Deccio, Haugen, Honeyford, Johnson, Kline, McAuliffe, Parlette, Roach, Stevens, and Swecker each be given an official copy of this resolution to be placed in the baby book of his or her 2005 Session Grandbaby.

I, Thomas Hoemann, Secretary of the Senate, do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution 8661, adopted by the Senate April 1, 2005

THOMAS HOEMANN Secretary of the Senate