HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2018-4670, by Representatives Johnson, Appleton, Barkis, Buys, Dent, Dolan, Graves, Hayes, Jenkin, Kilduff, Kirby, McCabe, McDonald, Muri, Nealey, Peterson, Stambaugh, Tarleton, Taylor, Haler, Chandler, Holy, and Manweller

WHEREAS, It is the policy of the Washington State Legislature to 1 2 recognize excellence in all fields of endeavor; and 3 WHEREAS, Brian Winter has exhibited true excellence throughout his personal, professional, and public life; and 4 5 Brian Winter has exhibited the highest levels WHEREAS, of excellence during his lengthy years of public service; and 6 7 WHEREAS, Brian Winter served his country with distinction and 8 honor in the United States Marine Corps, including combat deployment to Operation Desert Storm; and 9 WHEREAS, Brian Winter returned to the Yakima area to serve with 10 the Yakima County Sheriff's Office, moving up to the position of 11 12 lieutenant; and 13 WHEREAS, Brian Winter ran for and was elected Yakima County Sheriff in 2014 with almost sixty percent of the vote; and 14 WHEREAS, Sheriff Brian Winter has increased public safety during 15 16 his time as sheriff, including strengthening Block Watch programs, building plans for active shooter situations, investing in a new 17 18 crime tracking system, expanding training opportunities, and working 19 to improve law enforcement relationships with the community; and 20 Sheriff Brian Winter is retiring due to medical WHEREAS, conditions after a successful career of nearly thirty years in law 21 enforcement; 22

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives 2 of the State of Washington honor Sheriff Brian Winter for his years 3 of dedicated service, his personal and professional integrity, and 4 for making Yakima County and the State of Washington a better place 5 to live, work, and raise a family; and

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be 7 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of 8 Representatives to Sheriff Brian Winter.

I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of Resolution 4670 adopted by the House of Representatives February 9, 2018

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Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk