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By Senator Smith

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1	Senate Resolution
2	A resolution recognizing March 23-29, 2014, as "Boys
3	and Girls Club Week" in Florida.
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5	WHEREAS, the young people of this state are tomorrow's
6	leaders, and
7	WHEREAS, many such young people need professional youth
8	services to help them reach their full potential, and
9	WHEREAS, there are 253 Boys and Girls Clubs in this state
10	providing services to more than 161,000 young people annually,
11	and
12	WHEREAS, Boys and Girls Clubs are places where great
13	futures begin and are at the forefront of mentoring, delinquency
14	prevention, anti-bullying, and financial literacy initiatives,
15	and
16	WHEREAS, the member organizations of the Florida Alliance
17	of Boys and Girls Clubs offer a safe harbor for young people,
18	providing them a safe and supportive place to go and providing
19	them with quality programs, and
20	WHEREAS, during the week of March 23-29, 2014, the Florida
21	Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs will join some 4,000 clubs and
22	more than four million young people nationwide in celebrating
23	National Boys and Girls Club Week, NOW, THEREFORE,
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25	Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:
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27	That March 23-29, 2014, is recognized as "Boys and Girls
28	Club Week" in Florida.

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