

1 A MEMORIAL

2 DECLARING FEBRUARY 9, 2023 "JAG-NM DAY" IN THE HOUSE OF  
3 REPRESENTATIVES.

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5 WHEREAS, jobs for America's graduates-New Mexico, also  
6 known as JAG-NM, is a state-based organization of the  
7 national nonprofit jobs for America's graduates and is  
8 dedicated to preventing young people of promise from dropping  
9 out of school; and

10 WHEREAS, jobs for America's graduates-New Mexico employs  
11 an in-school re-engagement strategy to help students at the  
12 greatest risk of dropping out to show up, reconnect and  
13 graduate from high school, ready for further education,  
14 career and life opportunities; and

15 WHEREAS, jobs for America's graduates-New Mexico is  
16 committed to improving graduation rates and preparing  
17 graduates to successfully transition into further education  
18 and the workforce; and

19 WHEREAS, the highly trained jobs for America's  
20 graduates-New Mexico specialists are full-time classroom  
21 teachers who provide academic support, mentoring and  
22 professional coaching to jobs for America's graduates-New  
23 Mexico students to help them take charge of their own  
24 education and get back on track to graduation; and

25 WHEREAS, over the past eighteen years, jobs for

1 America's graduates-New Mexico has helped to improve the  
2 lives and futures of thousands of high school students in New  
3 Mexico and currently has programs in Albuquerque, Rio Rancho  
4 and the Pueblo of Zuni; and

5 WHEREAS, the jobs for America's graduates-New Mexico  
6 program is evidence-based and has proven successful in  
7 helping New Mexico students overcome barriers to graduation;  
8 and

9 WHEREAS, the average graduation rate for jobs for  
10 America's graduates-New Mexico over the last ten years is  
11 ninety-six percent;

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
13 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that February 9,  
14 2023 be declared "JAG-NM Day" in the house of  
15 representatives; and

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be  
17 transmitted to the executive director of jobs for America's  
18 graduates-New Mexico.

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