

1                   **50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FREEDOM ACADEMY JOINT**  
2   **RESOLUTION**

3   2011 GENERAL SESSION

4   STATE OF UTAH

5   **Chief Sponsor: Val L. Peterson**

6   Senate Sponsor: John L. Valentine

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8                   **LONG TITLE**

9                   **General Description:**

10                   This joint resolution of the Legislature recognizes the Freedom Academy, at the time of  
11 its 50th anniversary, for the important contribution it has made to inspire and motivate  
12 Utah's high school students.

13                   **Highlighted Provisions:**

14                   This resolution:

- 15                   ▶ recognizes the 50th anniversary of the Freedom Academy; and
- 16                   ▶ recognizes the Freedom Academy for the important contribution it has made in  
17 helping high school student body officers develop leadership skills, a sense of  
18 patriotism, and motivation to be actively engaged in preserving the freedoms  
19 enjoyed in the United States of America.

20                   **Special Clauses:**

21                   None

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23                   *Be it resolved by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

24                   WHEREAS, each year since 1961, approximately 100 high school student body officers  
25 from throughout Utah have attended classes and participated in activities at the Freedom  
26 Academy aimed at developing leadership skills, promoting a sense of patriotism, and providing  
27 motivation to be actively involved in preserving the freedoms enjoyed in America;



28 WHEREAS, graduates of the Freedom Academy have subsequently served in their  
29 communities, states, and nation in a variety of roles and settings, including professional  
30 vocations, business, education, public service, the military, and as stay-at-home parents;

31 WHEREAS, the Utah National Guard will conduct its 50th Annual Freedom Academy  
32 beginning Sunday, July 31, 2011 through Friday, August 5, 2011; and

33 WHEREAS, in preparation for the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Freedom  
34 Academy, it is fitting that the great impact of the Freedom Academy on the lives of countless  
35 Utah high school students should be properly recognized:

36 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of the state of Utah  
37 recognizes the 50th anniversary of the Freedom Academy.

38 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature recognizes the Freedom Academy  
39 for the important contribution it has made in helping Utah's high school student body officers  
40 develop leadership skills, a sense of patriotism, and motivation to be actively engaged in  
41 preserving the freedoms enjoyed in the United States of America.

42 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Freedom  
43 Academy and the Utah National Guard.

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# FISCAL NOTE

H.J.R. 44

SHORT TITLE: 50th Anniversary of the Freedom Academy Joint Resolution

SPONSOR: Peterson, V.

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STATE GOVERNMENT (UCA 36-12-13(2)(b))

Enactment of this bill likely will not materially impact the state budget.

LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (UCA 36-12-13(2)(c))

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

DIRECT EXPENDITURES BY UTAH RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES (UCA 36-12-13(2)(d))

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable expenditures by Utah residents or businesses.