

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 58

Senators Bellino, Brinks, Chang, Cherry, Lauwers and Shink offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to recognize June 10, 2023, as Alcoholics
2 Anonymous Day.

3 Whereas, On June 10, 1935, Bill Wilson and Dr. Bob Smith first
4 met, and what grew out of that meeting was Alcoholics Anonymous;
5 and

6 Whereas, Out of Alcoholics Anonymous, the 12-step program, a
7 set of spiritual guiding principles to assist in recovery from
8 alcoholism, was developed; and

9 Whereas, Alcoholics Anonymous has been a positive guide for
10 countless people over the world as they have battled the disease of
11 alcoholism; and

1 Whereas, Numerous people, both in America and worldwide, are
2 sober because of their experiences in Alcoholics Anonymous; and

3 Whereas, The 12-step program has been adopted by numerous
4 groups around the world to assist people struggling with other
5 addictions, such as narcotics, gambling, and overeating; and

6 Whereas, We stand in solidarity with our families, friends,
7 and neighbors struggling with alcoholism; now, therefore, be it

8 Resolved by the Senate, That the members of this legislative
9 body recognize June 10, 2023, as Alcoholics Anonymous Day.