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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 25-012 101 CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF MARCH 17, 2025, AS COLORADO 102 FFA DAY. 1 WHEREAS, The Colorado FFA is dedicated to making a positive 2 difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for 3 premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through 4 agricultural education; and 5 WHEREAS, Founded in 1928, the Future Farmers of America 6 brought together students, teachers, and agribusiness to solidify support 7 for agricultural education; and 8 WHEREAS, In 1988, the official name was changed to the 9 National FFA Organization; this change was made to recognize that FFA 10 is not only for those interested in farming but also for those with more

2	business, and technology, within and to support production farming; and
3	WHEREAS, The Colorado FFA Foundation seeks human,
4	financial, and in-kind resources to support agricultural education in
5	Colorado for secondary and postsecondary students, adults participating
6 7	in agricultural education, teachers of agricultural education, and FFA alumni; and
8	WHEREAS, There are opportunities within the Colorado FFA
9	Association for all members in grades five through twelve and in college
10	to be involved in leadership and agriculture career development; and
11	WHEREAS, Whether a member grew up on a farm, in a suburb,
12	or in an urban area, if they have a passion for judging and public
13	speaking, want to explore the depths of agriscience, or get hands-on
14	experience working in the industry, they are able to acquire such
15 16	experiences through the diverse opportunities of agricultural education and the FFA; and
17	WHEREAS, We recognize that the Colorado FFA Association and
18	Foundation are growing leaders, building communities, and strengthening
19	agriculture through youth development; now, therefore,
20	Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Seventy-fifth General Assembly
21	of the State of Colorado, the House of Representatives concurring herein:
22	That we, the members of the General Assembly, proudly recognize
23	and designate "Colorado FFA Day" on March 17, 2025, in celebration of
24	the many students who have gone and continue to go through the FFA
25	program.
26	Be It Further Resolved, That copies of this Joint Resolution be sent
27	to the Honorable Governor Jared Polis, Colorado Commissioner of
28	Agriculture Kate Greenberg, and the members of the Colorado
29	Congressional Delegation.

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