

# Senate Concurrent Resolution 27

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## SUMMARY

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Encourages restaurants offering beverages to list milk as option for purchase.

## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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2       Whereas milk is the official state beverage of Oregon, a designation that was requested by a  
3 sixth grade class from Tillamook County, adopted by the Legislative Assembly in 1997 and com-  
4 memorated by the Legislative Assembly on March 28, 2017; and

5       Whereas April 23, 2017, marked the 20th anniversary of milk becoming the official state  
6 beverage of Oregon; and

7       Whereas milk and dairy products naturally provide nine essential nutrients that are vital to the  
8 good health of Oregon children and families; and

9       Whereas the fluid milk produced by Oregon's 200 dairy farm families is the number four com-  
10 modity in the state and annually contributes almost \$500 million to Oregon's economy; and

11       Whereas for many generations Oregon dairy farmers have produced high-quality milk for deli-  
12 cious dairy products while carrying forward the great traditions of caring for their cows, employees,  
13 natural resources and the communities where those farmers live and work; now, therefore,

14 **Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:**

15       That we, the members of the Eightieth Legislative Assembly, encourage restaurants that offer  
16 beverages for purchase to list milk, the official state beverage of Oregon, as an option for purchase.

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**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.