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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 340

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Commending Paul Snodgrass.

Patrons—Shannon and Scott, J.M.; Senator: Devolites Davis

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass, a Vienna resident for 31 years, is honored as *The Times'* Vienna Citizen of the Year for his outstanding community service; and

WHEREAS, since his retirement from the insurance business 12 years ago, Paul Snodgrass has been a tireless community supporter, generously giving his time and talents to improve the quality of life for all Vienna residents; and

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass is a longtime member and former chairman of Historic Vienna and has been an active member of the Vienna Optimist Club for 25 years; and

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass participates in many local activities, including the annual ViVa! Vienna! Town Festival held on Church Street on Memorial Day weekend and the popular annual Halloween Parade held on Maple Street that features marching bands, floats, and the town's children parading in their Halloween costumes; and

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass, an avid genealogist, made lasting ties with members of the Fairfax Genealogy Society while researching his and his wife Florence's family histories, and serves as a volunteer helping others search their own family histories; and

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass serves as the enthusiastic chairman of Vienna's Virginia 2007 Community Program Committee planning Vienna's contributions to the statewide festivities surrounding the 400th anniversary of the founding of Jamestown; and

WHEREAS, as chairman, Paul Snodgrass is very focused on Vienna's "legacies" projects, which will add permanent improvements to the community, as well as special town events that will lead up to the 400th anniversary celebration; and

WHEREAS, Paul Snodgrass is a wonderful example of the knowledge, energy, and experience provided by our valued senior citizens across the state, and he serves as "a tremendous ambassador for the Town of Vienna"; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly commend Paul Snodgrass for his hard work and outstanding leadership; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Paul Snodgrass as an expression of the General Assembly's gratitude for his commitment to the citizens of the Town of Vienna.

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