

2006 SESSION

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 287

Celebrating the life of Robert Fenton Atkins, Jr.

Agreed to by the Senate, March 9, 2006
Agreed to by the House of Delegates, March 10, 2006

WHEREAS, Robert Fenton Atkins, Jr., was born on June 18, 1941, in Virgilina and died on December 24, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Robert Atkins graduated from Halifax High School in 1959, attended the Virginia Military Institute, and served in the United States Army from 1961 to 1964; and

WHEREAS, Robert Atkins was a longtime employee of C & P Telephone (later AT&T), working there from 1968 to 1991; and

WHEREAS, a leader in community organizations, Robert Atkins served as master of the Washington & Henry Lodge, Ancient Free & Accepted Masons; was president of the Hanover Rotary Club; and was a member of American Legion Post #175; and

WHEREAS, Robert Atkins was a devoted husband to Nancy, his wife of 41 years, and a devoted father to his two sons; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate, the House of Delegates concurring, That the General Assembly hereby note with great sadness the loss of a fine Virginian, Robert Fenton Atkins, Jr.; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Robert Fenton Atkins, Jr., as an expression of the General Assembly's respect for his memory.

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