HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 307

Commending the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 23, 2018 Agreed to by the Senate, March 1, 2018

WHEREAS, for 50 years, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association has served as a valuable governing body and community resource for residents of the Pinewood Lake neighborhood in Alexandria; and

WHEREAS, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association began in tandem with the Pinewood Lake community, holding its first board of directors meeting on April 2, 1968; and

WHEREAS, today, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association holds an annual meeting every December as well as monthly board and committee meetings; among other duties, the association sets rules and regulations for the neighborhood and hears cases regarding community disputes; and

WHEREAS, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association also provides general maintenance and upkeep of shared spaces in the Pinewood Lake community, including its pool, lake, and streets and footpaths; and

WHEREAS, in addition, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association organizes neighborhood security services, a community cinema, and special events and gatherings; and

WHEREAS, to ensure that residents are kept up to date on local news, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association publishes a monthly newsletter called *The Needle*; and

WHEREAS, throughout its history, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association has succeeded in its mission to sustain a high quality of life in the Pinewood Lake neighborhood and keep its residents informed of important issues and events; and

WHEREAS, to mark its 50th anniversary, the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association is planning a community celebration that will take place on June 2, 2018; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association on the occasion of its 50th anniversary; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Pinewood Lake Homeowner's Association as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for its dedication to its community and best wishes for continued success.