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## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 269

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*Celebrating the life of Stacey Visser Dendy.*

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WHEREAS, Stacey Visser Dendy, a vibrant member of the Richmond community and a beloved wife and mother, died on August 29, 2018; and

WHEREAS, a native of Virginia Beach, Stacey Dendy attended Norfolk Christian High School and graduated from the University of Virginia; and

WHEREAS, Stacey Dendy lived on West Avenue in Richmond's historic Fan District for 27 years, building a strong sense of community with her neighbors through her kindness, generosity, and zest for life; and

WHEREAS, Stacey Dendy further worked to enhance the quality of life in her neighborhood by offering her leadership as president of the Fan Townhouse & Garden Club and chair of the West Avenue Garden Tour; and

WHEREAS, Stacey Dendy served two terms as Parent Teacher Association president of William F. Fox Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, an accomplished amateur athlete, Stacey Dendy excelled at tennis and golf and proudly made holes-in-one at her two home golf courses, the Princess Anne Country Club in Virginia Beach and Willow Oaks Country Club in Richmond; and

WHEREAS, Stacey Dendy's greatest joy in life was spending time with her family and friends, whether at home or traveling throughout the United States and the world; and

WHEREAS, guided by her faith in all her actions, Stacey Dendy enjoyed fellowship and worship with the community as a devout member of Second Presbyterian Church, where she served as a deacon; and

WHEREAS, Stacey Dendy will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by her husband, Ben; her sons, Marshall, Thomas, and Knox; and numerous other family members and friends; 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 Stacey Visser Dendy; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Stacey Visser Dendy as an expression of the General Assembly's respect for her memory.

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