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## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 521**

Offered August 18, 2020 Prefiled August 18, 2020

Commending the Honorable Edward T. Scott.

Patrons—Freitas, Adams, D.M., Avoli, Brewer, Cole, J.G., Cole, M.L., Davis, Fowler, Hope, Kory, LaRock, Morefield, Ransone, Rasoul, Sickles, Simonds, Tyler, Ware, Watts and Webert

WHEREAS, the Honorable Edward T. Scott, a respected entrepreneur in Henry County, ably served the Commonwealth as a member of the Virginia House of Delegates for 12 years; and

WHEREAS, a native of Culpeper and a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Edward "Ed" T. Scott pursued a career in sales and management at a farm supply cooperative; and

WHEREAS, desirous to be of further service to the community and the Commonwealth, Ed Scott ran for and was elected to the Virginia House of Delegates in 2003 and represented the residents of the Counties of Madison and Orange and part of the County of Culpeper in the 30th District until 2016; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as a state lawmaker, Ed Scott introduced and supported numerous important pieces of legislation to benefit all Virginians, taking a special interest in environmental issues;

WHEREAS, Ed Scott offered his leadership and expertise to the Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources, and served on the Committees on Appropriations, Science and Technology, and Transportation; and

WHEREAS, in 2008, Ed Scott helped establish a small business in Locust Grove, of which he currently serves as president, that designs, installs, and maintains environmentally friendly wastewater systems; and

WHEREAS, Ed Scott earned the admiration of his colleagues for his commitment to practical solutions to problems and efforts to build bipartisan consensus; he served the Commonwealth with distinction and exemplified the ideals of the citizen-legislator; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Honorable Edward T. Scott hereby be commended for his contributions to the Virginia Piedmont and the entire Commonwealth as a public servant; and, be

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Honorable Edward T. Scott as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for his service.