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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5033

Offered June 9, 2011

Celebrating the life of Jack H. Harry.

Patron—Puckett

Unanimous consent to introduce

WHEREAS, Jack H. Harry of Tazewell, a respected businessman, community volunteer, and former councilman and mayor of the Town of Tazewell, died on May 11, 2011; and

WHEREAS, a native of West Virginia, Jack Harry joined the U.S. Army and proudly served his country as a valued member of the 2nd Armored Division; and

WHEREAS, a resourceful businessman, Jack Harry established Harry Enterprises and spent most of his business career developing and operating successful small businesses that added economic vitality to the town; and

WHEREAS, a longtime resident of Tazewell, Jack Harry took an active role in community affairs throughout his life, including service as a member of the town council and mayor of the Town of Tazewell, where he worked diligently to ensure efficient and effective local government for the town's residents; and

WHEREAS, Jack Harry devoted countless hours to help the town through involvement with many boards, committees, and projects, laboring alongside his friends and neighbors as they met to consider the needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, Jack Harry remained committed to his fellow veterans as a member of the American Legion while enjoying a 50-year membership with the Masonic Lodge and Kazim Temple in Roanoke; and

WHEREAS, a member of Brushfork United Methodist Church, Jack Harry also attended Main Street United Methodist Church in Tazewell, where he participated in worship, fellowship, and service; and

WHEREAS, a devoted family man, Jack Harry will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by his wife, Patricia; son, Carl, and his wife, Lisa; his grandson, Chandler; and his numerous other family members, friends, and acquaintances; 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 the former mayor of Tazewell, Jack H. Harry; and, be it

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

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