2021 SESSION

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 261

Celebrating the life of Stephen Rue Jordan.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 8, 2021

WHEREAS, Stephen Rue Jordan, an esteemed captain and beloved member of the tour boat industry communities in Portsmouth and Fort Lauderdale, Florida, died on January 16, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Stephen "Steve" Rue Jordan was the owner and operator of the *Carrie B* tour boat and Harbor Tours, Inc., providing innumerable guests and employees with experiences on the water that they will cherish for years to come; and

WHEREAS, Steve Jordan was an active member of the Lauderdale Yacht Club and an endearing fixture in the tour boat industry communities in Portsmouth and Fort Lauderdale, Florida, throughout his career; and

WHEREAS, with his compassionate nature and amiable personality, Steve Jordan had a gift for connecting with people and was welcome company wherever he went; and

WHEREAS, Steve Jordan will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by his son, Trafton, and his family; his brother, David; former wife and close friend, Laura; and numerous other family members and friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Delegates hereby note with great sadness the loss of Stephen Rue Jordan, a treasured captain in the tour boat communities of Portsmouth and Fort Lauderdale, Florida, whose unwavering kindness and generosity touched countless lives; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Stephen Rue Jordan as an expression of the House of Delegates' respect for his memory.