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## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 165

Offered March 9, 2022

*Commending M.E. Marty Hall, Jr.*

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WHEREAS, M.E. Marty Hall, Jr., who has served the Commonwealth in various capacities for many years and most recently as chief of staff for Delegate James Will Morefield, will retire in 2022; and

WHEREAS, formerly a deputy with the Pulaski County Sheriff's Office, Marty Hall served as southwest regional director for United States Senator George Allen from 2001 to 2006 before taking a position as director of special projects for R.J. Kirk at Third Security, LLC, from 2006 to 2008; and

WHEREAS, Marty Hall joined the office of Delegate Will Morefield as chief of staff in November 2009, where he has worked tirelessly in the interest of the Commonwealth and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, dedicated to the growth and prosperity of Southwest Virginia, Marty Hall served as president of the Twin County Chamber of Commerce from 1998 to 2000 and in 2014 was chairman of Poorman's Dinner at the Galax Fiddlers Convention, a major regional event, from 1996 to 2016; and

WHEREAS, Marty Hall's commitment to the betterment of his community included service as a member of the Wytheville Community College Board and as a board member of the National Bank of Blacksburg; and

WHEREAS, Marty Hall has been a board member of the Blue Ridge Public Broadcasting Service station in Roanoke for more than 20 years and was named chairman in 2022, where his leadership will be invaluable to the fulfillment of the organization's mission; and

WHEREAS, Marty Hall has carried out his responsibilities throughout his career with integrity and a great sense of purpose and his legacy of service is an inspiration to all Virginians; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That M.E. Marty Hall, Jr., hereby be commended for his service on the occasion of his retirement; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to M.E. Marty Hall, Jr., as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for his contributions to the Commonwealth and best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement.

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