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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 130

Offered February 14, 2024

3 Celebrating the life of Laura Kirk Fletcher.

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6 WHEREAS, Laura Kirk Fletcher, a vibrant member of the Smithfield community and a caring wife,
7 mother, and grandmother, died on January 1, 2024; and

8 WHEREAS, born in Pennsylvania, Laura Fletcher spent much of her early life in Newport News and 9 graduated from Warwick High School; and

WHEREAS, Laura Fletcher continued her education in Alabama, where she earned a bachelor's
 degree from Auburn University, then ultimately returned to the Commonwealth and settled in Smithfield;
 and

WHEREAS, Laura Fletcher was guided by her unwavering commitment to her faith, her family, andher community in all her actions and good deeds; and

WHEREAS, Laura Fletcher was deeply committed to civic engagement, and was an integral part ofestablishing "Breakfast Clubs" across Eastern Virginia to encourage such political engagement; and

WHEREAS, Laura Fletcher was well-known for her incomparable hospitality, and she inspired othersthrough her kindness, generosity, and grace; and

19 WHEREAS, Laura Fletcher will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by her husband of 31
20 years, Mark; her children, Elizabeth, David, and Alan, and their families; and numerous other family
21 members and friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Delegates hereby note with great sadness the loss of Laura Kirk
 Fletcher, a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and friend in Smithfield; 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 Laura Kirk Fletcher as an expression of the House of Delegates' respect
 for her memory.

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