

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF VIRGINIA -- 1998 SESSION

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

On the death of James Ludwell Jamison.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, January 16, 1998
Agreed to by the Senate, January 22, 1998

WHEREAS, James Ludwell "Jack" Jamison, a member of the Covington City Council for over two decades, including 18 years as Mayor, died on July 31, 1997; and

WHEREAS, a native of Covington, Jack Jamison was a graduate of Covington High School and a veteran of service with the United States Navy during the Korean War; and

WHEREAS, in 1970 Jack Jamison was appointed to the Fifth District Planning Commission and four years later was elected to the Covington City Council; and

WHEREAS, Jack Jamison served as Mayor of Covington from 1974 until 1988 and served a second term from 1992 to 1996; and

WHEREAS, Jack Jamison was well known for his support of Covington High School athletics, attending many of the school's sporting events, serving as a member of the Quarterback Club, and winning honors as the Outstanding Covington High School Alumni in 1978; and

WHEREAS, Jack Jamison was deeply involved in youth sports, coaching Rivermont Little League football for 25 years, coaching the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1033's Midget League baseball teams, and assisting in the revision of Covington's youth sports programs; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his exceptional service on the city council, Jack Jamison served Covington as a member of the Real Estate Board of Equalization, the Regional Airport Commission, and the Virginia Municipal League's Nominating Committee; and

WHEREAS, a man clearly devoted to his hometown, Jack Jamison leaves an enviable legacy of service to the citizens of Covington and the Commonwealth; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly mourn the passing of a dedicated and effective public servant, James Ludwell Jamison; 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 James Ludwell Jamison as an expression of the General Assembly's respect for his memory.

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