

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 1002

BY REPRESENTATIVES Hinman, Bledsoe, Armstrong, Artist, Becker, Boley, Castro, Chaplin, Chavez, Davoren, DeFilippo, DeHerrera, DeNier, Dyer, Eberle, Erickson, Faatz, Fine, Gillis, Hamlin, Hastings, Heim, Herzog, Hudson, Hume, Johnson, Kirscht, Knox, Kopel, Larson, Lee, Lillpop, Lucero, McCroskey, Marks, Martinez, Massari, Mielke, Minahan, Neale, Orten, Paulson, Pena, Prendergast, Randall, Reeves, Robb, Rogers, Schauer, Scherling, Shoemaker, Skaggs, Spano, Spelts, Stephenson, Strahle, Sullivan, Tancredo, Taylor, Traylor, Underwood, Webb, Winkler, Wright, and Younglund;
 also SENATORS Soash, Anderson, Cole, Allshouse, Baca Barragan, Barnhill, Beatty, Beno, Bishop, Clark, Dodge, Durham, Ezzard, Fowler, Gallagher, Groff, Hatcher, Hefley, Holme, Hughes, Kadlecck, MacManus, Meiklejohn, Noble, Phelps, P. Powers, R. Powers, D. Sandoval, P. Sandoval, Schaefer, Stewart, Stockton, Strickland, Yost, and Zakhem.

WHEREAS, By the Will of Divine Providence, our beloved former member, the Honorable Farrington Reed "Ferry" Carpenter, departed this life on December 12, 1980 at the age of ninety-four; and

WHEREAS, The late Ferry Carpenter served this state well and faithfully, representing Grand, Moffat, and Routt counties as a member of the House of Representatives in the Thirty-ninth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The late Ferry Carpenter had a profound influence on the development of the cattle industry in the United States as a noted Hereford breeder, a longtime advocate of performance testing, the first advocate of lean-meated cattle, and "Colorado State University Stockman of 1967"; and

WHEREAS, The late Ferry Carpenter was instrumental in the passage of the landmark federal Taylor Grazing Act and was the nation's first Director of Grazing for the Department of the Interior; and

WHEREAS, The late Ferry Carpenter homesteaded near Hayden, Colorado in 1909, and, thereafter: Served in the United States Army in World War I, served as district attorney for the Fourteenth Judicial District of Colorado, served as the first Director of Revenue for the state of Colorado, served as the first Director of Development for the University of Denver, and served for decades on school and hospital boards in Routt county; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that we, the members of the Fifty-third General Assembly, give recognition to the long and distinguished public service of the late Ferry Carpenter, and express our deep regret and sorrow occasioned by his death; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-third General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring herein:

That, in the death of the Honorable Ferry Carpenter, the people of the state of Colorado have lost an outstanding leader and citizen, and that we, the members of this General Assembly, do hereby extend our deep and heartfelt sympathy to the members of his family and pay tribute to a man of character, integrity, and ability.

Be It Further Resolved, That this Memorial be spread upon the pages of the Journal of the House of Representatives and the Journal of the Senate and that copies hereof be transmitted to his sons, Willis V. Carpenter and Edward F. Carpenter, his daughter, Rosamund Garcia, and to Max Williams.

BY REPRESENTATIVES DeFilippo, DeHerrera, Hume, Johnson, Kl Paulson, Pena, Pref Strahle, Sullivan, T also SENATORS G Durham, Ezzard, Powers, R. Powers,

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