



HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 01-1017

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Fritz, Alexander, Bacon, Berry, Borodkin, Boyd, Cadman, Chavez, Clapp, Cloer, Coleman, Crane, Daniel, Dean, Decker, Fairbank, Garcia, Groff, Grossman, Hefley, Hodge, Hoppe, Jahn, Jameson, Johnson, Kester, King, Larson, Lawrence, Lee, Mace, Madden, Marshall, Miller, Mitchell, Nunez, Paschall, Plant, Ragsdale, Rhodes, Rippy, Romanoff, Saliman, Sanchez, Schultheis, Scott, Sinclair, Smith, Snook, Spence, Spradley, Stafford, Stengel, Swenson, Tapia, Tochtrop, Veiga, Vigil, Webster, Weddig, White, Williams S., Williams T., Witwer, and Young;

also SENATOR(S) Matsunaka, Anderson, Andrews, Arnold, Cairns, Chlouber, Dennis, Dyer (Arapahoe), Dyer (Durango), Epps, Gordon, Hernandez, Hillman, Lamborn, McElhany, Musgrave, Owen, Pascoe, Phillips, Reeves, Taylor, and Teck.

CONCERNING THE "HOUSE THE SENATE BUILT" PROJECT.

WHEREAS, Habitat for Humanity was created in Colorado in 1992 to help develop additional funding for housing projects within the state; and

WHEREAS, Habitat for Humanity builds simple but adequate housing for less fortunate families; and

WHEREAS, Habitat for Humanity of Colorado has funded the construction of over 250 houses since its inception; and

WHEREAS, Colorado ranks third nationwide in home price increases; and

WHEREAS, The citizens of Colorado recognize that there is a need for affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, An integral element of a strong community is a sufficient supply of affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, A disproportionate number of families in the United States that are not homeowners are low-income families; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Allard, United States Senator from Colorado, was the prime co-sponsor of Senate Resolution 319 last year which encouraged the Senate to participate in the "House the Senate Built" project; and

WHEREAS, The United States Senate resolved that everyone in the United States should have a decent home and that members of the Senate should demonstrate the importance of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, The Senators were encouraged to start the project in their home states; and

WHEREAS, Because of Senator Allard's efforts in the Habitat for Humanity project, he has selected Loveland to be the first "House the Senate Built" project in the State of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, The groundbreaking of this first project is scheduled for March 17, 2001, at 1209 Raven Place in Loveland, Colorado; now, therefore,

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

That the House of Representatives and the Senate promote Senator Allard's efforts in this project and encourage all Coloradans to participate in the "House the Senate Built" project on March 17, 2001.

Be it further resolved, That copies of this Joint Resolution be sent to Senator Allard and the Habitat for Humanity of Colorado chapter.

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THE SENATE

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