

State of Tennessee

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 79

By Representative Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Lincoln Lee Nichols of Kyles Ford.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Mr. Nichols; and

WHEREAS, he was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nichols served with acumen and alacrity as an employee of the Tennessee State Department of Transportation and the Hancock County Board of Education, in which positions he earned the respect of his peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, he was currently serving as the Hancock County Commissioner for the Fourth District; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nichols was an active and devout member of Livesay's Chapel Baptist Church, where he served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, Lincoln Nichols was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, he enjoyed the loving companionship of his wife, Mary, who preceded him in death; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nichols leaves his mother, aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends to mourn his passing away; he will be sorely missed and they will forever cherish his memory; and

WHEREAS, Lincoln Lee Nichols leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Lincoln Lee Nichols, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Nichols.

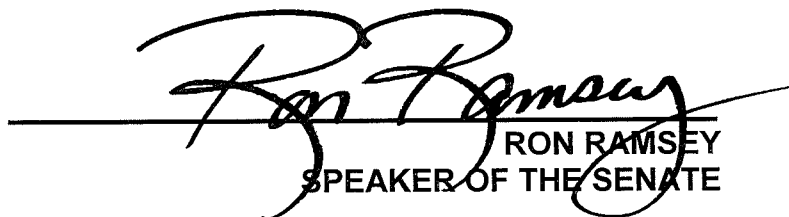
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: FEBRUARY 13, 2013



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 19th day of February 2013



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR