

State of Tennessee

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 173

By Representatives Clemmons, Beck, Gilmore, Madam Speaker Harwell, Jernigan, Jones, Love, Mitchell, Powell, Stewart

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Cynthia Morin of Nashville.

WHEREAS, the members of this legislative body were greatly saddened to learn of the death of Cynthia Morin; and

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

WHEREAS, Mrs. Morin served with acumen and alacrity as the president of the Jewish Federation of Nashville and Middle Tennessee from 2008 to 2010, in which position she earned the respect of the local Jewish community for the exemplary quality of her work; and

WHEREAS, as president of the Jewish Federation of Nashville and Middle Tennessee, Mrs. Morin launched the Best Jewish Nashville process, which resulted in stronger and more collaborative relationships among Jewish organizations and the development of "New Initiative" programs that continue to touch the lives of the members of the Jewish community in Nashville; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia Morin was also deeply devoted to her family, and she always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Morin was preceded in death by her beloved husband of fifty-seven years, Richard Morin; and

WHEREAS, she was the proud mother of Jennifer (Matt) Cassell, Andrew Morin, and Allison Cutler; and the doting grandmother of Sam Cassell, Mitch Cassell, Isabel Morin, and Josh Morin; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Morin leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body 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 NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor the memory of Cynthia Morin, reflecting fondly upon her impeccable character and her 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 Mrs. Morin.

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 29, 2016

BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES