

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 513

By Overbey

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Jim Hill of Maryville.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of former Blount County Commissioner, Jim Hill; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hill 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, he served with acumen and alacrity as a CIA courier to the White House and Pentagon, and a major claims adjuster, was the Blount County Commission Chair for one year and served on the Commission for three terms; in each of these positions he earned the respect of his peers and fellow citizens alike for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hill and his brother, Max Hill, were elected to the commission and are the only brothers to ever serve on the commission at the same time and from the same district; and

WHEREAS, Jim Hill 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, Judy Hill, and was the proud father of Derrick and daughter-in-law Katherine, who have a son and daughter as well; and

WHEREAS, he was instrumental in locating the Pellissippi State Community College: Blount County Campus to Union School Property at Bungalow; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hill 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 SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Jim Hill, 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 Jim Hill.

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