

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 764

By McCormick

A RESOLUTION to commend Representative Jon Lundberg for his honorable and astute service to the people of Tennessee as a member of the House of Representatives.

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that the members of this body should honor those fellow legislators who have performed their duties with the utmost integrity and whose efforts during their time in office have been dedicated to providing thoughtful and exemplary service to their district and to this great State; and

WHEREAS, Representative Jon Lundberg of Bristol is one such distinguished public servant who has served both his constituency and this legislative body with honor and ability; and

WHEREAS, Representative Lundberg is a highly influential figure in the political, social, and civic lives of Sullivan County, and he has served his constituents in numerous capacities, always working diligently at his elected duties and expending the necessary effort to understand the opposing sides of complex issues; and

WHEREAS, Jon Lundberg has distinguished himself as a public-spirited citizen of the highest order and as an exceptional asset to the good people of the 1st House District, whom he has served as a member of the 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, and 109th General Assemblies; and

WHEREAS, throughout his service, Jon Lundberg has been prominent as a dedicated and well-informed legislator who always votes his conscience; and

WHEREAS, as an active and dynamic participant in the legislative process during his time in the General Assembly, Representative Lundberg has rendered sterling service as chair of the House Civil Justice Committee, vice chair of the House Commerce Committee, vice chair of the House Judiciary Committee, and member of the House Calendar and Rules Committee,

the House Insurance and Banking Committee, the House Civil Justice Subcommittee, the House Commerce Subcommittee, the House Judiciary Subcommittee, the House Industrial Impact Subcommittee, the House Civil Practice and Procedure Subcommittee, the House Utilities and Banking Subcommittee, the Joint Veterans Affairs Committee, and the Joint Business Tax Committee; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Representative Lundberg has won multiple awards from the Public Relations Society of America, been honored as a Guardian of Freedom by the National Federation of Business, been named a Tennessee Champion of Commerce by the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce, and received the AMVETS Legislative Silver Bayonet Award; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his exemplary service, Representative Jon Lundberg has been named Legislator of the Year by the Humane Society, AAA, the Tennessee chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, and the First Tennessee Development District, in addition to receiving Outstanding Representative accolades from the County Officials Association; and

WHEREAS, Representative Lundberg is a family man, businessman, and community leader, and he has proven that citizens can make a difference by being involved in community service and leading by example; and

WHEREAS, an accomplished businessman in the public relations industry, Jon Lundberg is a graduate of the University of Southern Colorado, attended Wichita State University, and holds the rank of Captain in the United States Navy Reserve; and

WHEREAS, a gentleman who truly appreciates the responsibilities, as well as the privileges, of leadership and citizenship, he donates his time and energies to a number of civic, community, and charitable organizations, including the Bristol Rotary Club, Kingsport Chamber of Commerce, Bristol Chamber of Commerce, Tusculum College President's Advisory Board, King College President's Roundtable, Thomas Green Lecture Series, Neff Center for Science and Technology Advisory Board, Rocky Mount Living History Museum, and the Sullivan County Republican Party; and

WHEREAS, Representative Lundberg is a member of the American Legislative Exchange Council, the United States Naval Institute, the Naval Reserve Association, the

Reserve Officers Association, the National Council of State Legislators, the Bloomingdale Ruritan, and the National Network of Legislators in the Military; and

WHEREAS, he is past president of the Tri-Cities Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America, a life member of the National Rifle Association, and a 32nd Degree Mason; and

WHEREAS, throughout his outstanding career as a public servant, Jon Lundberg has worked tirelessly on behalf of his constituents, bringing to his office an honorable bearing and the traditional values of hard work and common sense; and

WHEREAS, his many civic and professional accomplishments aside, Jon Lundberg is most appreciative of the love and companionship he shares with his wife, Lisa, and their two children, Samantha and Nelson; and

WHEREAS, Representative Jon Lundberg is wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the Volunteer State, and he should be specially recognized for his exemplary tenure in this body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor Representative Jon Lundberg for his meritorious service to Tennessee as a member of the House of Representatives, commend him for his countless contributions and many good works in service of the citizens of the 1st House District, and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

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