

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 413

By Gresham

A RESOLUTION to honor Brian Signaigo on his illustrious career with the University of Tennessee Extension on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate for the members of this legislative body to recognize those public servants who have dedicated their careers to making Tennessee an even better place to live; and

WHEREAS, Brian Signaigo is one such estimable person, who has retired after thirty-two years of exemplary service with the University of Tennessee (UT) Extension; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Signaigo experienced great variety in his career, working with farmers, gardeners, fruit producers, homeowners, and students to share his expertise in agricultural science and management practices; and

WHEREAS, 4-H was his favorite aspect of his job because of its family atmosphere, and he especially enjoyed camping and the shooting sports within 4-H; and

WHEREAS, Brian Signaigo began his career with UT Extension in 1984 and served seven years as an agent in Fayette County; and

WHEREAS, in 1991, he transferred to Chester County and served there ten years, but budget cutbacks forced him to relocate to Madison County in 2001; and

WHEREAS, in 2004, a colleague's departure enabled Mr. Signaigo to return home to Chester County, and he happily served there until his recent retirement; and

WHEREAS, a vital member of his community, Brian Signaigo is actively involved with the Henderson-Chester County Chamber of Commerce and the Farm Bureau Board; and

WHEREAS, Brian Signaigo exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Mr. Signaigo demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues and a grateful public as well; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we extend to Brian Signaigo our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors, as we pay tribute to his distinguished career with the University of Tennessee Extension.

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