

1 **State of Arkansas**

2 **78th General Assembly**

3 **Regular Session, 1991**

H.M.R.

4 **By: Representatives Newman, Landers, Hendrix, Willems, and Rice**

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HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

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IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. W. H. "BILL" STANCIL, AND IN

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RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE AND HIS

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LOCAL COMMUNITY.

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WHEREAS, Mr. W. H. "Bill" Stancil of Fort Smith, Arkansas, died on

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Tuesday, February 12, 1991; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Stancil was a former member of the House of Representatives

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of the Arkansas General Assembly, having served in that capacity from 1971

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through 1980; and

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WHEREAS, during his tenure in the House of Representatives, Mr. Stancil

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earned and received the highest respect and admiration of his colleagues in

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the General Assembly and was instrumental in the enactment of some significant

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and far-reaching legislation especially in the field of public education; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Stancil was a former Arkansas Tech and University of

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Arkansas football player and was head football coach at Fort Smith Northside

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High School from 1957 through 1969 and remained with the school as athletic

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director until his death; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Stancil was recognized as an outstanding football coach and

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as a person who was not only concerned with his players on the field but one

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who showed great concern for young people and worked diligently to help those

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in his care to prepare to deal with all aspects of life; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Bill Stancil will be truly missed by his colleagues in the

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House of Representatives and by all those who had the privilege and pleasure

1 of knowing and working with him,

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3 NOW THEREFORE,

4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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7 This Resolution is adopted in respectful memory of Mr. W. H. "Bill"
8 Stancil, and in recognition of his many valuable contributions to his state
9 and local community.

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11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon adoption of this Resolution, a copy
12 hereof shall be transmitted to Mrs. Maxine Stancil, the widow of Mr. W. H.
13 "Bill" Stancil.

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