

1 **State of Arkansas**
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4 **By: Representatives King, Pollan, et al.**

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 COMMENDING U. S. REPRESENTATIVE JOHN PAUL HAMMERSCHMIDT
9 FOR HIS TWENTY-SIX (26) YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF
10 THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS, TO THE STATE
11 OF ARKANSAS AND TO THE NATION.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 COMMENDING U.S. REPRESENTATIVE JOHN PAUL HAMMERSCHMIDT FOR
15 HIS YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND THE
16 NATION.

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18 WHEREAS, former Congressman John Paul Hammerschmidt represented
19 the Third Congressional District of Arkansas in an extraordinary fashion from
20 his first election from the District in 1966 until his distinguished
21 retirement in 1992; and

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23 WHEREAS, former Congressman Hammerschmidt worked tirelessly for his
24 District and the State of Arkansas as ranking member of the House-Public Works
25 and Transportation Committee and the House-Veterans Affairs Committee and
26 authored legislation preserving the Buffalo River as a free flowing stream and
27 contributed to or co-sponsored every major veterans-related piece of
28 legislation enacted in the past two decades; and

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30 WHEREAS, citizen John Paul Hammerschmidt also served his country and his
31 State in the Second World War as a combat veteran and distinguished himself
32 with outstanding service in the China-Burma-India theater as a combat pilot;
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35 WHEREAS, former Congressman John Paul Hammerschmidt, in the true spirit

1 of great men like Abraham Lincoln, distinguished himself with twenty-six (26)
2 years of service to his District, the State of Arkansas, and our Nation as a
3 man of principle, commitment and dedication and as an outstanding Congressman,
4 and,

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6 NOW THEREFORE,

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH GENERAL
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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10 THAT the former United States Representative John Paul Hammerschmidt,
11 previously of the Third Congressional District of the State of Arkansas, be
12 commended for his twenty-six (26) years of outstanding service and
13 extraordinary dedication to the people of the Third Congressional District, to
14 the State of Arkansas and to the United States of America.

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