

Hall of the House of Representatives
87th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2009
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Memorial Resolution No. 1005

"IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. TILMON ROSS."

Amendment No. 1 to House Memorial Resolution No. 1005.

Amend House Memorial Resolution No. 1005 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 15 through 22 and substitute the following:

"WHEREAS, Mr. Tilmon Ross was born in Sutton, Arkansas, on September 26, 1923, and died on October 13, 2008, at eighty-five (85) years of age; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was born to Jim and Carrie Collins Ross as the fifth of ten (10) children; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was a soldier, community leader, volunteer, and political activist; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross served in the United States Army from 1943 to 1965 and attained the rank of Staff Sergeant E-6; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was a decorated veteran who served in France and Germany during World War II and served in the Korean Conflict; and

WHEREAS, during his time with the United States Army, Mr. Ross received the Presidential Unit Citation by Harry S. Truman, the French Medal of Honor, a Bronze Star, and numerous other military awards and ribbons; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was a loyal member of the Bethel AME Church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was a dedicated leader and member of the American Legion Post #427; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross was named the 2008 Hope-Hempstead County Citizen of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ross is survived by his wife, Maxine, and their children Wendall, Larry, Robert, Janice, Gregory, and Cathy; and

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly wishes to publicly remember Mr. Tilmon Ross,



NOW THEREFORE,
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the individual members of the House of Representatives hereby
express sincere condolences to the family of Mr. Tilmon Ross, and upon
adoption of this resolution, an appropriate copy shall be provided to the
family of Mr. Tilmon Ross by the Chief Clerk of the House of
Representatives."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Powers
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JET155 _____ Chief Clerk