

No. R-317. Senate concurrent resolution in memory of Arthur Rush Hogan Jr. of Burlington.

(S.C.R.35)

By Senator Lyons, Ashe, Baruth, Fox, Mazza, Miller and Snelling,

By Representatives Donovan of Burlington, Frank of Underhill, Head of South Burlington, Jerman of Essex, Lenex of Shelburne, Lippert of Hinesburg, Lorber of Burlington, Macaig of Williston, McCullough of Williston, O'Brien of Richmond, O'Sullivan of Burlington, Ram of Burlington, Russell of Rutland City, Wizowaty of Burlington, Wright of Burlington and Yantachka of Charlotte,

Whereas, Arthur (Art) Hogan was an insightful regional planner whose career accomplishments improved the quality of life in Chittenden County, and

Whereas, a native of Burlington, he graduated from Burlington High School and St. Michael's College, and his college alma mater named him a Golden Knight in recognition of his half century of loyal membership in its alumni association, and

Whereas, for over three decades, Art Hogan served as the much-respected executive director of the Chittenden County Regional Planning Commission, and

Whereas, his work as a regional planner was centered on promoting responsible growth and development, and

Whereas, Art Hogan recognized the importance of preserving Chittenden County's architectural and civic heritage, and he played an instrumental role in securing historic designation for many buildings and places, and

Whereas, he participated in the National Association of Regional Councils and the National Association of Regional Housing and Redevelopment Officials, and

Whereas, the Greater Burlington Industrial Corporation and the Planning Commission and Councils of New England honored him for his distinguished accomplishments, and his outstanding career was highlighted in 1999 when the New England Association of Regional Councils established the Art Hogan Jr. Regional Citizenship Award, and

Whereas, civic involvement was of great importance to Art Hogan and he belonged to the Knights of Columbus and Rotary, and was active in the Vermont Democratic Party, and

Whereas, Art Hogan was an involved parishioner of St. Mark's parish in Burlington, and

Whereas, his death at age 78, on December 10, 2011, followed the 2010 death of his wife, Helen, to whom he was married for 55 years, and

Whereas, the Hogan family includes his seven children, Helen, Kathleen, Arthur, Patrick, Michael, Brendan, and Bridget, and his 16 wonderful grandchildren, and

Whereas, the many persons who were associated with Art Hogan through his work, church, community activities, and family were all saddened by his recent death, *now therefore be it*

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly expresses its sincere condolences to the family of Arthur Rush Hogan Jr., *and be it further*

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the members of his family.