

No. R-335. House concurrent resolution honoring former Representative Richard James Howrigan of Fairfield.

(H.C.R.278)

Offered by: Representatives Gregoire of Fairfield, Dickinson of St. Albans Town, Fegard of Berkshire, Gamache of Swanton, Hango of Berkshire, Leffler of Enosburgh, McCarthy of St. Albans City, Murphy of Fairfax, Rosenquist of Georgia, Savage of Swanton, and Toof of St. Albans Town

Whereas, Dick Howrigan grew up in Fairfield, attended St. Mary's High School in St. Albans, was a member of the Vermont Army National Guard, and graduated from St. Michael's College, and

Whereas, he helped establish the Fairfield Fire Department, sat on its prudential committee, and was appointed as the department's first chief, and

Whereas, as a member of the first group of Peace Corps volunteers in Ethiopia, he assisted in the creation of the Addis Ababa Airport fire department, and

Whereas, Dick Howrigan taught at St. Anne's Academy in Swanton and for the Neighborhood Youth Corps program, and

Whereas, for many years, he worked for the Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency as a knowledgeable senior real estate appraiser, and

Whereas, Dick Howrigan was elected to nine terms as Fairfield's State Representative, and he ably served his constituents, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly honors former Representative Richard James Howrigan of Fairfield, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Dick Howrigan in Fairfield.