State of Vermont House of Representatives



Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 322

House concurrent resolution in memory of Putnam Wentworth Blodgett

Offered by: Representatives Partridge of Windham, Bartholomew of Hartland, Bock of Chester, Copeland Hanzas of Bradford, Fegard of Berkshire, Graham of Williamstown, Norris of Shoreham, O'Brien of Tunbridge, Potter of Clarendon, and Strong of Albany

Whereas, Dartmouth College Alumni Award winner Putnam (Put) Blodgett maintained a long-term association with both his alma mater's athletics program and Moosilauke Ravine Lodge, and

Whereas, Put Blodgett was a dairy farmer who raised Holsteins and a tree farmer, and he established the boys' Challenge Wilderness Camp, and

<u>Whereas</u>, he held leadership roles in State, regional, and national camping associations, was twice honored as the Vermont Outstanding Tree Farmer of the Year, was named Northeastern Tree Farmer of the Year, served as president of the Vermont Woodlands Association, and was inducted into the Vermont Agricultural Hall of Fame, and

Whereas, Put Blodgett died on March 3, 2020 at 88 years of age, and his survivors include his wife, Marion, and his children, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly expresses its sincere condolences to the family of Putnam Wentworth Blodgett, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Marion Blodgett.