HOUSE RESOLUTION 104

By Burkhart

A RESOLUTION to recognize former Mayor of Clarksville Don Trotter upon the designation of "Mayor Don Trotter Highway."

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should specially recognize those estimable public servants who have dedicated themselves to improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, from time to time, the General Assembly enacts legislation to commemorate the lives of these distinguished individuals by naming highways and bridges to honor their service to the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, one such exceptional Tennessean is Don Trotter, who served as Mayor of the City of Clarksville for sixteen years and was instrumental in the development of Clarksville's riverfront through his establishment of the River District Commission; and

WHEREAS, to honor his legacy of public service, the 113th General Assembly has directed that the segment of State Route 374 (Warfield Boulevard) in the City of Clarksville, Montgomery County, beginning at the intersection with Memorial Drive and ending at the intersection with Ted Crozier Sr. Boulevard, be designated the "Mayor Don Trotter Highway"; and

WHEREAS, throughout his exemplary tenure, Mayor Trotter distinguished himself as a public-spirited citizen of the highest order and as an exceptional asset to his community; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Don Trotter's remarkable success as a public servant and civic leader is directly attributable to his reliance on the time-honored values of hard work and common sense and his uncommon ability to work well with people from all walks of life; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Trotter is wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the Volunteer State, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we recognize former Mayor of Clarksville Don Trotter upon the designation of "Mayor Don Trotter Highway," extending our gratitude for his many years of devoted service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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