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5 By: Senator J. Key

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7 **SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION**

8 IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. JAMES ALFRED WOODS AND IN  
9 RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO HIS LOCAL  
10 COMMUNITY.

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13 **Subtitle**

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15 WOODS AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS  
16 CONTRIBUTIONS TO HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

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19 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE  
20 STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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22 WHEREAS, Mr. James Alfred Woods of Clarkridge, Arkansas, died on  
23 Thursday, December 23, 2010, at the age of eighty (80) years; and

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25 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods was born February 28, 1930, in Chicago, Illinois, to  
26 Martin Truman and Vada Pauline Chidester Woods; and

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28 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods worked as a Radar and Computer Tech for the Illinois  
29 and Arkansas National Guard; and

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31 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods was a United States Marine veteran of the Korean  
32 War; and

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34 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods was a member of the American Legion and the Masonic  
35 Lodge; was a former member of the Baxter County Quorum Court, Baxter County  
36 Republican Committee, and Baxter County Republican Men; and enjoyed yardwork,



1 working with wood, and fishing; and

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3 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods is survived by four sisters, Pauline Figurski of  
4 Mountain Home, Arkansas; Evelyn R. Lunden of Covina, California; Mildred R.  
5 Rorie of Clarkridge, Arkansas; and Marion B. Waghner of Chicago, Illionis;  
6 sister-in-law, Maria Woods of El Paso, Texas; and several nieces, nephews,  
7 great-nieces, and great-nephews; and

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9 WHEREAS, Mr. Woods was preceded in death by his parents and two  
10 brothers; and

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12 WHEREAS, the Senate wishes to publicly recognize Mr. Woods'  
13 contributions to his local community,

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15 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
16 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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18 THAT the Senate recognizes James Alfred Woods' commitment, hard work,  
19 dedication, and years of service to his local community and commends him for  
20 his leadership.

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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the individual members of the Senate hereby  
23 express sincere condolences to the family of Mr. Woods, and upon adoption of  
24 this resolution, an appropriate copy shall be provided to the family of Mr.  
25 Woods by the Secretary of the Senate.