

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ___

Introduced by: Frye R

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Paul "P.G." Gentrup for assisting and recognizing veterans and their families for their service.

Whereas, Paul Gentrup worked at Seagram's Distillery in August of 1965 until he joined the U.S. Army in November of 1966 to serve in Vietnam;

Whereas, Paul Gentrup returned to Greendale, Indiana, to work for Seagram's Distillery and later for Indiana & Michigan Power after his service with the Army;

Whereas, Paul Gentrup is now a resident of Rising Sun and became active in veterans' affairs, raising funds to cover all expenses for trips to Washington, D.C., for other veterans who served in World War II, Korea, and Vietnam;

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1	Whereas, Paul Gentrup organized one-day flight and then
2	three-day trips by bus to Washington in 2010 for veterans that
3	continue today. Hundreds of Southeastern Indiana veterans
4	have been able to observe the many memorials and monuments
5	dedicated to veterans of this nation's wars and conflicts;
6	Whereas, Paul Gentrup continues to arrange for the
7	recognition of Purple Heart veterans on stage during
8	Lawrenceburg's Fall Fest and the Aurora Farmers Fair;
9	Whereas, Paul Gentrup volunteers as a member of the
10	Ceremonial Honor Guard that conducts military graveside
11	services for deceased veterans; and
12	Whereas, Paul Gentrup is a recipient of the Dearborn
13	County Community Foundation Hearts of Gold award and has
14	been honored as a Hometown Hero by the Cincinnati Reds:
15	Therefore,
16	Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
17	General Assembly of the State of Indiana:
18	SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
19	honors Paul "P.G." Gentrup for his devotion to assisting and
20	recognizing veterans and their families for their service.
21	SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
22	Representatives transmit copies of this resolution to
23	Representative Randall Frye for distribution.

