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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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H O U S E R E S O L U T I O N

EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF MILTON P. HANNAH

Introduced By: Representatives Blazejewski, DeSimone, Regunberg, Carnevale, and Ajello

Date Introduced: March 03, 2016

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this House has learned of the passing of Milton
2 Hannah, a longtime resident of the City of Providence, who was fondly known as the "Mayor of
3 Benefit Street"; and

4 WHEREAS, Milton Hannah was the son of the late Milton P. and Ethyl Mary Hannah,
5 and the uncle of Donna Daniels, Heather Walley, and Michael Walley, and the grand uncle of
6 Aszur Hill and Jason Walley; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Hannah had served our country with honor and distinction in the United
8 States Navy. He was a graduate of the Rhode Island School of Design where he had earned his
9 degree in Industrial Design. He began his career as a silver designer at Reed and Barton in
10 Taunton, Massachusetts, and forty years later, retired as the company's Merchandise Manager;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, Always an active and contributing member of the community, Mr. Hannah
13 was active in a panoply of local organizations including the Providence Preservation Society, the
14 Fox Point Neighborhood Association, Keep Providence Beautiful, and the Providence Art Club;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, Milton Hannah was a steadfast gentleman who enriched the lives of all who
17 knew him and he will be dearly missed; now, therefore be it

1 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
2 Providence Plantations hereby expresses our deepest sympathies on the passing of Milton P.
3 Hannah.

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