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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION

# HONORING REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA L. MORGAN FOR HER SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Introduced By: Representatives Mattiello, Shekarchi, Filippi, Giarrusso, and Mendonca Date Introduced: June 23, 2018

Referred To: House read and passed

1	WHEREAS, Elected on November 2nd of 2010, the Honorable Patricia L. Morgan has
2	served with honor and distinction in the Rhode Island House of Representatives for the past eight
3	years, as the Representative for District 26, representing the citizens of Coventry, Warwick, and
4	West Warwick; and
5	WHEREAS, Earning the respect of her fellow legislators, Representative Morgan was
6	chosen to serve as the House Minority Leader by the Republican Caucus in November of 2016;
7	and
8	WHEREAS, During her tenure in the House, Minority Leader Morgan has co-sponsored
9	legislation requiring periodic reviews and cost-benefit analysis of regulations impacting
10	businesses, and serves as the Conference Policy Chair and was previously a member of the House
11	Finance Committee; and
12	WHEREAS, Minority Leader Morgan attended Mississippi State University, earned her
13	Bachelor of Arts degree from Kent State University, her Master's degree in Education from
14	Rhode Island College, and an advanced degree from Providence College; and
15	WHEREAS, In addition to long hours at the State House, Minority Leader Morgan is
16	employed as a Financial Advisor for Spire Investment Partners, and is the mother of three sons,
17	Bernie, Stephen, and Brian; and
18	WHEREAS, Minority Leader Morgan's civic and community involvement includes

19 membership in numerous local and professional groups including, the Pawtuxet Valley Rotary,

past President of the National Federation of Republican Women's Rhode Island chapter, former
 Chair of the Rhode Island Republican Party, founder of Riverwalk/Royal Mills Restoration
 Project, and was previously involved with Cub Scouts, the Hearthstone Lions and Common
 Cause, and had previously served as a member of the West Warwick Zoning Board; and

5 WHEREAS, The Honorable Patricia Morgan has brought wisdom, financial acumen, and 6 a tremendous work ethic to the General Assembly during her years in office. Her service to the 7 citizens of Coventry, Warwick, West Warwick, and the state, has ultimately made Rhode Island a 8 better place to live and flourish; now, therefore be it

9 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and 10 Providence Plantations hereby honors and thanks Representative Patricia L. Morgan for eight 11 years of dedicated service. We wish her the very best health, happiness and success in all her

12 future endeavors; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
14 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to the Honorable Patricia L. Morgan.

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