

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 7001 of the First Extraordinary Session

By Ramsey

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate William Henry "Bill" Mueller on the celebration of his ninety-second birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly pay tribute to those citizens who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, William Henry "Bill" Mueller will celebrate his ninety-second birthday on September 26, 2019, a milestone that will be commemorated as yet another precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, Bill Mueller proudly served his country as a member of the United States Army from 1945-1947 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Division as a Tank Sergeant; and

WHEREAS, a highly regarded member of the Maryville community, Mr. Mueller has volunteered with the Blount County Habitat for Humanity for twenty-five years; during this time, he has worked on more than 100 houses for families in need; and

WHEREAS, Bill Mueller is a man of devout faith and a member of First United Methodist Church, Maryville; he has served the church in various capacities, working at the Welcome Table, assisting with Celebrate Recovery, and washing dishes after meals; and

WHEREAS, he also served on various mission trips as a member of the church, including a trip to the Dominican Republic and ten trips to New Orleans, Louisiana, after Hurricane Katrina; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mueller is a community leader known for his integrity and compassionate service, a good man most worthy of emulation; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize one of Tennessee's most outstanding citizens on this momentous occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate William Henry Mueller on the celebration of his ninety-second birthday and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

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