

State of Vermont House of Representatives



Montpelier, Vermont

Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 9

House concurrent resolution in memory of former Representative Joseph L. Krawczyk Jr. of Bennington

Offered by: Representatives Morrissey of Bennington, Bongartz of Manchester, Brownell of Pownal, Carroll of Bennington, Corcoran of Bennington, Durfee of Shaftsbury, James of Manchester, and Whitman of Bennington

Offered by: Senators Campion and Sears

Whereas, Joseph Krawczyk grew up in Bennington, graduated from Colorado State University–Pueblo, and earned a master’s degree from the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island, and

Whereas, he served with distinction in the U.S. Army for over two decades, attaining the rank of colonel, and he saw combat in Vietnam, and

Whereas, upon his military retirement, Joseph Krawczyk returned home, serving four terms in the Vermont House of Representatives and, for six years, concurrently chairing the Governor’s Veterans Advisory Council, and

Whereas, Joseph Krawczyk’s 12 years as a Bennington Select Board member included service as vice chair and chair, and

Whereas, in 2011, the Governor appointed him to the Board of the Vermont Veterans’ Home, and, for a decade, he served as the panel’s president, and

Whereas, Joseph Krawczyk died on December 13, 2022, and his survivors include his wife, Dolores, and his children, stepchildren, grandchildren, step-grandchildren, and step-great-grandchildren, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly extends its sincere sympathy to the family of former Representative Joseph L. Krawczyk Jr. of Bennington, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the family of Joseph L. Krawczyk Jr.