

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2013

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**Simple
Resolution
Adopted**

HOUSE RESOLUTION 3
Adopted 1/31/13

Sponsors: Representatives Conrad and Lambeth (Primary Sponsors).
For a complete list of Sponsors, see Bill Information on the NCGA Web Site.

Referred to: Calendar 1-31-13.

January 31, 2013

1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF LARRY R.
2 BROWN, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

3 Whereas, Larry R. Brown was born in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, on February
4 9, 1943, to William Edgar Brown and Ruth Holcomb Brown; and

5 Whereas, Larry R. Brown graduated from Kernersville High School in 1961 and
6 earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Central Wesleyan College in 1971;
7 and

8 Whereas, Larry R. Brown proudly served his country as a member of the United
9 States Navy from 1965 to 1969; and

10 Whereas, Larry R. Brown enjoyed a varied career, retiring from the United States
11 Post Office, and serving as owner of Brown Real Estate Co., as a licensed insurance broker,
12 and as President of Triad Global Concepts; and

13 Whereas, Larry R. Brown served the Town of Kernersville as an alderman from
14 1977 to 1981 and from 1985 to 1992, as mayor pro tem in 1985, and as mayor from 1997 to
15 2005; and

16 Whereas, Larry R. Brown was active in his community, serving as a member of the
17 Kernersville Civitan Club and Kernersville Sister City Commission; and

18 Whereas, Larry R. Brown was particularly interested in, and travelled on many
19 occasions to, Kernersville's Sister City, Dashi, Taiwan, and worked to strengthen the cultural
20 and economic ties between the United States and Taiwan; and

21 Whereas, Larry R. Brown served the people of this State as a member of the North
22 Carolina House of Representatives from 2005 to 2012, where he was a member of numerous
23 committees, including Alcoholic Beverage Control, Appropriations Subcommittee on General
24 Government, Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship, Education, Education
25 Subcommittee on Community Colleges, and Federal Relations and Indian Affairs, and Chair of
26 Government; and

27 Whereas, Larry R. Brown's honors included being named by the United States
28 Chamber of Commerce as an Outstanding Young Man in America and earning an American
29 Legion Scholarship Award from the Veterans Administration; and

30 Whereas, Larry R. Brown died on August 16, 2012, at the age of 69; and

31 Whereas, Larry R. Brown is survived by his wife, Martha Vance Brown; and

32 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

33 **SECTION 1.** The House of Representatives honors the life and memory of
34 Representative Larry R. Brown and expresses its high regard for his public service.



- 1 **SECTION 2.** The House of Representatives extends its deepest sympathy to the
- 2 family of Larry R. Brown for the loss of their beloved family member.
- 3 **SECTION 3.** The Principal Clerk shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution
- 4 to the family of Larry R. Brown.
- 5 **SECTION 4.** This resolution is effective upon adoption.