

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Senate Organization

Senate Joint Resolution 15

Relating to: the life and public service of Laurie Carlson.

By Senators Erpenbach, Chvala, Breske, Burke, Darling, George, Grobschmidt, Jauch, Moen, Plache, Risser, Roessler, Schultz and Shibilski; cosponsored by Representatives Travis, Young, Spillner, Sherman, Ryba, Pocan, Plouff, Riley, Miller, Krug, Huber, Hubler, Gronemus, Boyle, Bock and Black.

May 5, 1999 Referred to committee on Senate Organization.

May 11, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION - POLLING**

Moved by Senator Chvala, that **Senate Joint Resolution 15** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Sue Meinholz
Committee Clerk

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Committee Report

The committee on **Senate Organization**, reports and recommends:

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ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

Assembly Joint Resolution 40

Relating to: the life and public service of Patricia A. Goodrich.

By Representative Olsen; cosponsored by Senator Welch.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

Assembly Joint Resolution 41

Relating to: the life and public service of Dr. Donald L. Iverson.

By Representative Rhoades; cosponsored by Senator Clausing.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

Ayes: (5) Senators Chvala, Risser, Moen, Ellis and Rude.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

Senator Charles Chvala
Chair



State Senator
Chuck Chvala
SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER

TO: Members of the Committee on Senate Organization

FROM: Senator Chuck Chvala
Chair

Date: May 11, 1999

SUBJECT: **Senate Joint Resolution 15**

Relating to the life and public service of Laurie Carlson.

I am recommending adoption of the attached joint resolution. Please review and indicate your approval by signing below. Please forward this ballot to the next office listed. Thank you.



Senator Chuck Chvala

5-11-99

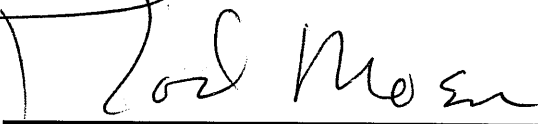
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Senator Fred Risser

5-11-99

(Date)



Senator Rodney Moen

5/11/99

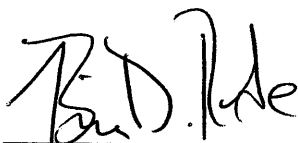
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Senator Michael Ellis

5/11/99

(Date)



Senator Brian Rude

5/12/99

(Date)



1999 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to: the life and public service of Laurie Carlson.**

2 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson began his life of making the world a better place
3 on January 12, 1908, in Bayfield, Wisconsin; and

4 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson attended the Northland College, where he was a
5 member of the varsity basketball team and graduated from University of Wisconsin
6 (UW); and

7 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson was a founder of the Progressive Party of
8 Wisconsin in 1934 and was elected to the Wisconsin state assembly in 1936 where
9 he served 3 terms, as well as serving 4 terms as clerk of courts for Dane County from
10 1968-76; and

11 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson was committed to the principles of the Progressive
12 Movement and to the needs of the less fortunate in our society; and

13 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson was an avid promoter of the winter sport of curling,
14 founding the U.S. Curling Foundation and serving as its first vice president from
15 1956-60; and

1 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson was an avid sports lover, supporting football and
2 basketball at UW-Madison and acted as a liaison between the athletic department
3 and the legislature during his 3 terms in the assembly; and

4 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson entertained many people over his 91 years with his
5 piano music; and

6 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson founded a number of successful businesses and
7 encouraged the efforts of others to become private entrepreneurs; and

8 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson's love of community involvement manifested in his
9 charter membership in the Madison Pen & Mike Club, the Madison Press Club, the
10 Elks Club, Masonic Lodge, Zor Shrine, Wisconsin Teacher Union, Musicians Union,
11 Kiwanis Club, Madison Club, and the First Baptist Church of Madison; and

12 Whereas, Laurie E. Carlson was deeply committed to his wife Helen and their
13 family, and was particularly proud of his 4 children — Mary, Jay, Laurene and
14 Geraldine — and their accomplishments in life; now, therefore, be it

15 *Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That* the Wisconsin
16 legislature does hereby commend the life and exemplary public service Laurie E.
17 Carlson, and extend its sympathies to his children and their families; and, be it
18 further

19 *Resolved, That* the assembly chief clerk shall provide copies of this joint
20 resolution to each of Mr. Carlson's children.

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(END)