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1999 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION

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~~Relating to: ???~~

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That:

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LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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Relating to: ~~The~~ life and public service of Jerome L. Blaska.

Whereas, Jerome L. Blaska was born in the town of Sun Prairie on July 4, 1919^v and died in Sun Prairie on May 2, 2000^s and

Whereas, Mr. Blaska served in the Army in World War II from 1942 ~~until~~^{to} 1946 in the Aleutian Islands, and was an active member of VFW Post #333 and the American Legion Post in Sun Prairie after the war^s and

Whereas, Mr. Blaska married Helen Curl of Burlington, IA on February 7, 1948, and raised a large and achievement-oriented family, ran an innovative farm, was immersed in the civic life of his community, and was actively involved in the state's political scene^s and

Whereas, Jerome served in the Wisconsin ~~State~~ Legislature, as had his father, John M. Blaska (1949 session), and was first elected in a special election on April 7, 1959^s to represent the Dane County - 4th District in the state assembly, and ~~re~~^{re}lected to serve in the 1961, 1963 and 1965 sessions^s and

Whereas, throughout his tenure in the assembly, he was a member of the agriculture committee (vice^s chairperson, 1959 session), highways committee (chairperson, 1965 session), transportation committee, commission on interstate ~~co~~^eoperation, legislative council agriculture committee (1959), tobacco marketing committee (1961), and highway advisory and conservation land purchases committees (1963-65)^s and

Whereas, while serving as highway committee chair^s, ~~Mr.~~^{person} Blaska played a pivotal role in completing the interstate highway system in this state^s and

Whereas, he served on the National Tobacco Industry Advisory Council in 1964,

; and

Whereas, Jerome served as an usher at Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary Church in Sun Prairie, and was a member of the Holy Name Society, the Catholic Order of Foresters, and the Knights of Columbus; and

Whereas, Mr. Blaska was a founder of the Island Church Foundation, which maintains the church his German-Bohemian great-grandparents helped build southeast of Waterloo in 1863; and

Whereas, he received national recognition for his lifetime achievements when he was chosen as one of 100 people, one born in each year of the 20th Century on the 4th of July, pictured in the *Photo of the Century*, taken on July 4, 1999, in front of Independence Hall in Philadelphia; now, therefore, be it

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Resolved, ~~that~~ ^{by the Wisconsin} assembly, the senate concurring, ^{acknowledges} the long years of service to Wisconsin by Jerome L. Blaska, and, ^{be it further}

That

~~Be it further~~ resolved, That the assembly chief clerk shall provide copies of this resolution to his daughter, Jane Swodzinski of Neshkoro; his sons, J. Michael Blaska of Marshall, David Blaska of Madison, William Blaska of Reeseville, and Richard Blaska of San Francisco, ^{California}; his brothers, Gregory Blaska of Sun Prairie and Cyril Blaska of Oconomowoc; and his sisters, Elaine Wood of McFarland, and Evelyn Owens, Lila La Barro, and Burdette Blaska, all of Sun Prairie.

the members of the Wisconsin legislature



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20 Independence Hall in Philadelphia; now, therefore, be it

21 ***Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That*** the members of the
22 Wisconsin legislature acknowledge the long years of service to Wisconsin by Jerome
23 L. Blaska; and, be it further

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**SUBMITTAL
FORM**

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU
Legal Section Telephone: 266-3561
5th Floor, 100 N. Hamilton Street

The attached draft is submitted for your inspection. Please check each part carefully, proofread each word, and **sign** on the appropriate line(s) below.

Date: 05/04/2000

To: Representative Hebl

Relating to LRB drafting number: LRB-4931

Topic

Condolence of family of Jerome Blaska

Subject(s)

Memorials - life and public ser.

1. **JACKET** the draft for introduction _____

Tom Hebl

in the **Senate** _____ or the **Assembly** (check only one). Only the requester under whose name the drafting request is entered in the LRB's drafting records may authorize the draft to be submitted. Please allow one day for the preparation of the required copies.

2. **REDRAFT.** See the changes indicated or attached _____.

A revised draft will be submitted for your approval with changes incorporated.

3. Obtain **FISCAL ESTIMATE NOW**, prior to introduction _____.

If the analysis indicates that a fiscal estimate is required because the proposal makes an appropriation or increases or decreases existing appropriations or state or general local government fiscal liability or revenues, you have the option to request the fiscal estimate prior to introduction. If you choose to introduce the proposal without the fiscal estimate, the fiscal estimate will be requested automatically upon introduction. It takes about 10 days to obtain a fiscal estimate. Requesting the fiscal estimate prior to introduction retains your flexibility for possible redrafting of the proposal.

If you have any questions regarding the above procedures, please call 266-3561. If you have any questions relating to the attached draft, please feel free to call me.

Robert P. Nelson, Senior Legislative Attorney
Telephone: (608) 267-7511

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In enrolling, the following correction was made:
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insert "by the assembly".

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