

State of Wisconsin



2005 Senate Joint Resolution 36

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to: the life and public service of Raymond Heinzen.

Whereas, Raymond Heinzen was born in Marshfield on May 11, 1918, and died in Arpin on September 12, 2005; and

Whereas, Raymond Heinzen graduated from McKinley High and attended the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture; and

Whereas, upon leaving school to take over the family dairy farm, Raymond Heinzen embarked on a career not only of farming but of civic involvement, serving as clerk of the local school district, a member of the state Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education, president of the Marshfield Dairymen's Association, and secretary of the Hub Dairy Cooperative; and

Whereas, his sense of civic involvement led Raymond Heinzen to seek election to the Wisconsin assembly, where he served from the 1961 session through the 1967 session; and

Whereas, he subsequently was elected to the Wisconsin senate, serving in the 1969 and 1971 sessions; and

Whereas, his interest in education was reflected in his service as chairman of the senate education committee; and

Whereas, his authorship of the university merger legislation in 1971 allows us to view the University of Wisconsin System itself as an ongoing monument to his public life; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That the Wisconsin legislature salutes the life and public service of Raymond Heinzen and mourns his passing; and, be it further

Resolved, That the senate chief clerk shall provide copies of this joint resolution to his daughter, Ann Marie Fisher and his son, Paul Ben Heinzen.

Representative John G. Gard
Speaker of the Assembly

Senator Alan J. Lasee
President of the Senate

Date

Robert J. Marchant
Senate Chief Clerk