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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 677

Offered April 1, 2025

Celebrating the life of Robert Craig Lowerre.

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WHEREAS, Robert Craig Lowerre, a passionate educator and a beloved husband, father, and friend in Glen Allen, died on February 23, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Robert “Bob” Lowerre was born in Fairfax to Robert Lowerre and the late Dorothy Lowerre; he graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, where he was the company commander of the Highty-Tighties, the regimental band for the institution's Corps of Cadets; and

WHEREAS, Bob Lowerre subsequently earned a doctorate in educational leadership from Virginia Commonwealth University, then began a long and distinguished career as a teacher; and

WHEREAS, Bob Lowerre mentored and inspired students at Highland Springs High School, the Academy at Virginia Randolph, and J. R. Tucker High School, then served as director of the Maggie L. Walker Governor's School; and

WHEREAS, Bob Lowerre was well known for his commitment to lifelong learning and his passion for history; he was the epitome of an educator's educator and was always on the side of his students and the school community; and

WHEREAS, Bob Lowerre found joy in music, cooking, and traveling, and he relished every opportunity to make lasting memories with family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Bob Lowerre will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by his wife, Tracy; his children, Madison and Thomas, and their families; his father, Robert; and numerous other family members and friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of Virginia hereby note with great sadness the loss of Robert Craig Lowerre, a respected educator and highly admired member of the Glen Allen community; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Robert Craig Lowerre as an expression of the Senate of Virginia's respect for his memory.

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