

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2016-4671, by Representatives Blake, Tharinger, Rossetti, and Van De Wege

1 WHEREAS, The Review Club of Aberdeen is celebrating one hundred
2 twenty-five years of existence; and

3 WHEREAS, The Review Club of Aberdeen was founded by fourteen
4 pioneer women on March 3, 1891, "for the purpose of reading and
5 discussing good books" with the hope of broadening their knowledge
6 while helping to settle the Great Northwest; and

7 WHEREAS, Members of the Review Club of Aberdeen obtain knowledge
8 through two monthly meetings featuring a short ten minute talk on any
9 topic by one member and an hour long review of any book by another
10 member; and

11 WHEREAS, There are currently seventeen members and an additional
12 six lifetime members who have been involved in the organization for
13 over twenty-five years; and

14 WHEREAS, Margery Morrison, Gretchen Brennan, and Joyce Smith
15 joined the club over forty-five years ago and are still actively
16 participating today;

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives
18 recognize and honor the Review Club of Aberdeen and its members'
19 commitment to knowledge, education, and the benefits of reading and
20 discussion; and

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives
22 congratulate the Review Club of Aberdeen, and wish what is believed

1 to be the oldest women's cultural club in the state of Washington
2 many more years of successful meetings; and

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
4 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of
5 Representatives to the Review Club of Aberdeen.

--- END ---