

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2018-4659, by Representatives Stokesbary, Irwin, Dent, Graves, Haler, Lovick, McDonald, Eslick, Fey, Muri, Nealey, Stambaugh, Johnson, Kilduff, and McCabe

1 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow generously served the city of Sumner for 20
2 years, eight years as a city councilmember and the past twelve years
3 as mayor; and

4 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow was the longest-serving mayor of Sumner in
5 the city's history; and

6 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow was an active member of the Sumner Rotary
7 Club and YMCA; and

8 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow balanced large business growth in Sumner
9 while maintaining the city's historical character and charm through
10 quality of service, new technology, and fiscal soundness; and

11 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow's support and guidance led to the
12 construction of the Gordon Family YMCA and helped bring in twenty
13 thousand members in its first year; and

14 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow improved local infrastructure with a strong
15 passion for Sumner's citizens, surrounding communities, and the
16 region; and

17 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow received numerous awards during his time as
18 a public servant, including seven Well City Awards from Association
19 of Washington Cities and a Trail Builder Award from the Foothills
20 Rails to Trails program; and

21 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow could almost always be seen walking along
22 Main Street, eating at local restaurants like the Berryland Cafe, or
23 watching Sumner Spartans games; and

1 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow engaged both complete strangers and well-
2 known colleagues with the same humor, humility, and warmth; and

3 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow was an extraordinary ambassador for the City
4 of Sumner in his work with state, regional, and business leaders; and

5 WHEREAS, Dave Enslow was a living example of depth of character
6 and public service with his unwavering dedication to the community
7 throughout his life;

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State House
9 of Representatives recognize the various contributions and lasting
10 legacy made by Mayor Dave Enslow to the City of Sumner, Pierce
11 County, and the entire Puget Sound region; and

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
13 immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of
14 Representatives to The City of Sumner and the Enslow family.

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