## 2012 -- H 7517

LC01307

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

## IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012**

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

## EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF LOUIS R. STRAVATO

Introduced By: Representatives Lima, Melo, Carnevale, Hull, and McCauley

Date Introduced: February 14, 2012

Referred To: House read and passed

1	WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this House has learned of the passing of Louis
2	R. Stravato, a longtime resident of the City of Providence and the devoted husband of 50 years to
3	Dorothy N. Stravato. He was also the loving father of Louis Stravato, Thomas Stravato, Brenda
4	Pacheco, and Steven Majeika, the proud grandfather of Louis Stravato, Anthony Stravato and
5	Evan Pacheco, and great-grandfather of Zachery Shaker-Stravato; and
6	WHEREAS, Born in Providence to the late Louis and Rose Stravato, Mr. Stravato was a
7	hard-working man who had been employed as a sheet metal worker for Annex Sheet Metal for
8	over 30 years retiring in 1978. He had also served in the U.S. Naval Reserve for four years; and
9	WHEREAS, An active and contributing member of the community, Mr. Stravato was a
10	Providence City Councilman from 1974 until 1989. In addition, he was a member and Past Grand
11	Knight with the Knights of Columbus Hope Council #398, and a member of the Italo American
12	Club, the Young Pannese Social Club, and the Cranston City Hall Club; and
13	WHEREAS, In addition to his wife and children, Mr. Stravato was the beloved brother of
14	Gloria Caniglia, Robert Stravato, Carol LaBianca, Edward Stravato, and the late Gaetano Stravato
15	and Nancy DiConstanzo; and
16	WHEREAS, Louis Stravato was a well-respected member of the community and he will
17	be dearly missed not only by his family, but by all who had the good fortune to have been a part
18	of his life; now, therefore be it
19	RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
20	Providence Plantations hereby expresses our deepest sympathies to the entire Stravato family on

- 1 the passing of Louis R. Stravato; and be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to
- 3 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mrs. Dorothy N. Stravato and Family.

LC01307