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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

H O U S E R E S O L U T I O N

**CONGRATULATING RICHARD "DICK" STONELY ON THE JOYOUS OCCASION OF HIS
80TH BIRTHDAY**

Introduced By: Representative Jeremiah T.O`Grady

Date Introduced: January 22, 2014

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Richard "Dick" Stonely was born on January 25, 1934 and is a lifelong
2 resident of Lincoln, Rhode Island. He served our nation with honor and integrity in the United
3 States Coast Guard. He has been married to his wife Nancy for 53 years and together they raised
4 two sons, Todd and David; and

5 WHEREAS, Richard is a Master Plumber, having retired as a Field Superintendent after
6 more than 40 years at Marandola Plumbing and Heating in Johnston, Rhode Island; and

7 WHEREAS, Richard has spent much of his free time contributing significantly towards
8 the betterment of his community. He was a member of both the Fairlawn and Saylesville
9 Volunteer Fire Departments. He served over 50 years between both departments. He finally
10 retired from the Saylesville Fire Department as a Captain; and

11 WHEREAS, Richard served on the Lincoln Housing Authority for over 20 years, serving
12 several terms as Chairman. He served on the Credit Committee of the former Fairlawn Credit
13 Union, now the Pawtucket Credit Union. He served on the Boy Scouts Troop Committee for
14 Troop 64 in Saylesville and is a long-time member of the Sayles Memorial Church, now the
15 Chapel St. Congregational Church; and

16 WHEREAS, Richard is a vibrant part of the Lincoln, Rhode Island community. He is
17 well-known for his meticulous care of his home and property, and he never misses his "quiet
18 time" at breakfast at Shanna's in Lincoln; now, therefore be it

19 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the state of Rhode Island and

1 Providence Plantations hereby congratulates Richard "Dick" Stonely on the joyous occasion of
2 his 80th birthday on January 25, 2014. We furthermore thank him for all he has done to make our
3 state and the town of Lincoln safe, secure and vibrant places to live; and be it further

4 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
5 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Richard Stonely.

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