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Monday, July 19, 2021

SUPPLEMENT NO. 10

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-1) Rich Rotella, of Bucksport, recipient of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 345

(1-2) Norman and Geneva Beckwith, of Shirley, who are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary on August 8, 2021. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 346

(1-3) Fred Luce, of Brewer, on his retirement as a detective sergeant with the Brewer Police Department after many years of service. Beginning his career in 1990 serving in a part-time position, Sergeant Luce became a full-time officer in 1996 and went on to serve over 16 years of his more than 25-year career as an investigator, including as a detective, as a United States Drug Enforcement Agency task force agent and as a detective sergeant. The department's most-decorated investigator, Sergeant Luce received the Officer of the Year award in 1997 and 2011, the Meritorious Police Award in 2001, 2009 and 2010, the 2005 New England Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Outstanding Work Award, the 2007 National Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Outstanding Contribution Award, the 2009 New England Narcotic Officers Association Special Achievement Award, a Certificate of Outstanding Contribution from the United States Attorney's Office, District of Maine in 2010 and a Certificate of Recognition from the Federal Executives Association of Southern Maine in 2012. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 348

(1-4) the Lisbon High School Girls Track and Field Team, which won the 2021 Class C State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 349

(1-5) Connor Carey, of Eliot, who has attained the high rank and distinction of Eagle Scout. This is the highest award in Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 350

(1-6) Elizabeth Ryan, of Bangor, on her retirement as a supervisor with the Penobscot Regional Communications Center after 24 years of service and almost 40 years of service overall as a dispatcher, including service with the Penobscot County Sheriff's Office and the City of Brewer Police Department, as well as the communications center. Ms. Ryan is a Charter Member of the Maine Chapter - National Emergency Number Association and was instrumental in its inception and has been a voting member of the Maine E-9-1-1 Council, METRO Users Group and other county functions. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 351

(1-7) Katelyn Carlow, of Peru, who was named the 2018 CTE Student of the Year for Region 9. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 353

(1-8) Popham Chapel, in Phippsburg, on its 125th Anniversary. A nondenominational chapel built in 1896 with funds raised by a group of women living around Popham Beach, the Chapel and the Chapel House have become a mainstay of the community through ministry and charitable work, including providing emergency living space for families displaced by fire or flood. The Ladies of the Popham Circle have sustained the chapel with chowder suppers, baked bean suppers, bake sales, silent auctions and craft fairs, as have the donations of year-round and summer residents. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 354

(1-9) the City of Lewiston, which has received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada. Lewiston was the first community in Maine to receive this award and has received it for forty-six consecutive years. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 355

(1-10) Alden Bustard, of Orrington, a sergeant of the Maine State Police with 27 years of service, who was named the Orrington Old Home Week Citizen of the Year. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 356

(1-11) Beverly Smith Glines, of Mechanic Falls, who is celebrating her 90th birthday on July 20, 2021. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 357

(1-12) Pierre Bilodeau, of West Gardiner, who is retiring as a volunteer firefighter after 25 years of service to the Town of West Gardiner. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 358

Come from the House, **READ** and **PASSED**.

Joint Resolutions

Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:

(1-13) the Honorable James Edward Patterson, of Ellsworth. Mr. Patterson was a veteran of the United States Navy. He settled in Ellsworth and practiced law for over 40 years, working as an assistant district attorney in Hancock County before being elected judge of probate for Hancock County, a position he would hold for 36 years. A dedicated philanthropist, he was a member and supporter of numerous groups and organizations, including Lions Club, Ducks Unlimited, Trout Unlimited and Frenchman Bay Conservancy. Mr. Patterson will be long remembered and sadly missed by his wife of over 50 years, Nancy, his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

HLS 352

WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:

(1-14) Norma Lisa Beal, of Beals. Mrs. Beal taught at D.W. Merritt Elementary in Addison, at Beals Elementary School and at Jonesport Elementary School. She worked for many years as a medical assistant at the Arnold Memorial Medical Center in Jonesport, and also as an emergency medical technician for the Moosabec Ambulance Service. Mrs. Beal will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 359

Come from the House **READ** and **ADOPTED**.
