

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6022

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and public service of Gayle Lavern Mollenkamp.

WHEREAS, Gayle Lavern Mollenkamp, a former Kansas Representative from 1984-2000, passed away peacefully at the age of 93 on March 6, 2023, while surrounded by his family at his home in Bartlesville, Oklahoma, after a long life dedicated to public service; and

WHEREAS, Mollenkamp was born in Trego County, Kansas, on November 30, 1929. He was the second of two children born to Walter and Elsie (Jesse) Mollenkamp; and

WHEREAS, Mollenkamp was married to Marilyn Farmer and had three children including Lorelei (Mollenkamp) Edwards, Dwight Mollenkamp and Mark Mollenkamp; and

WHEREAS, Mollenkamp served as a Logan County Commissioner for 15 years, a member of the Russell Springs School Board, and a Kansas Representative for the 118th District for 16 years; and

WHEREAS, Mollenkamp was a church member, a cabinet member of the Men for Missions International, a member of the Soil Conservation Board and the northwest Kansas Highway Officials Association and a participant in Pilot for Wings for Missions; and

WHEREAS, Mollenkamp's greatest loves were God, family, farming, ranching and serving his community in many ways: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas:
That we honor the life and public service of Gayle Lavern Mollenkamp and extend our deepest sympathy to his family and friends.

House Resolution No. 6022 was sponsored by Representatives Rep. Jim Minnix and Rep. Barbara Ballard

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.