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## RANDY POWELL REPRESENTATIVE, 30TH DISTRICT

## Testimony in support of House Bill 2075 Presented to the House Federal & State Affairs Committee

All throughout history, God has honored those who honor Him. One way we do that is demonstrated each morning in the House Chamber, as we acknowledge our need for God's guidance and favor in all our affairs, particularly as we govern.

It's not an overstatement to say that no one activity charts the course of nations more than that of prayer, in a posture of humility and recognition of God's sovereignty over the affairs of man.

Establishing a permanent "Prayer and Meditation" room puts action behind our stated intentions that prayer indeed does make a difference.

Examples throughout the Bible and history are numerous, and could take volumes to scratch the surface as to the results of a praying person. And, there's an additional significance when "we" gather in prayer.

If ever in the history of our young Nation we have needed God's hand in guidance in our lives, individually, and as a people, it's now.

For your consideration (personalized):

"Our God, lean down and listen to us. Open Your eyes and see our despair. See how our country - one that bears Your name (in our founding) – lies in ruins. We make this plea, not because we deserve help, but because of Your mercy." Daniel 9:18

"I looked for someone who might rebuild the wall of righteousness that guards the land. I searched for someone to stand in the gap in the wall so I wouldn't have to destroy the land, but I found no one." Ez. 22:20

Let God find us in a posture that attracts His grace and help in our time of need, with actions that align with our stated intentions.