



General Assembly

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**House Resolution No. 21**

LCO No. 5543

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Referred to Committee on No Committee

Introduced by:

REP. AMANN, 118<sup>th</sup> Dist.

REP. CAFERO, 142<sup>nd</sup> Dist.

REP. SAWYER, 55<sup>th</sup> Dist.

SEN. HANDLEY, 4<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SYMPATHY ON THE DEATH OF  
DOROTHY MILLER.**

Resolved by this House:

1 WHEREAS, on Tuesday, April 22, 2008, the State of Connecticut and  
2 the Town of Bolton sadly lost one of its former state representatives  
3 with the passing of Dorothy Miller at age eighty-eight; and

4 WHEREAS, she served as a member of the House of  
5 Representatives representing Bolton from 1959 through 1963,  
6 representing the Andover-Bolton-Coventry district from 1969 through  
7 1973 and representing the 55<sup>th</sup> district, which was comprised of  
8 Andover, Bolton, Columbia, Hebron, Marlborough and Vernon, from  
9 1973 through 1977; and

10 WHEREAS, during her years as state representative she served on  
11 various committees including the Joint Standing Committees on  
12 Appropriations, Insurance and Real Estate, Public Personnel and  
13 Military Affairs, Public Welfare and Humane Institutions, and

14 Transportation; and

15 WHEREAS, she was born in East Hartford, lived in Bolton for most  
16 of her life, retired to Vernon in 1984 and worked for over twenty-five  
17 years for Aetna Life Insurance Company and later, after her  
18 retirement, served as a secretary for Bolton High School; and

19 WHEREAS, she served on the State and National Republican  
20 Central Committees and was an active member and Past President of  
21 the State Order of Women Legislators and the National Order of  
22 Women Legislators; and

23 WHEREAS, she served on the Board of Trustees of Bolton United  
24 Methodist Church, as Justice of the Peace in the Vernon area, on the  
25 Board of Directors at the former Manchester Savings Bank, as the Past  
26 President of the Women's Auxiliary American Legion Post 95 of  
27 Hebron, and as an officer of the Girls State Program; and

28 WHEREAS, she also dedicated her time and efforts with  
29 organizations such as the Bolton Fire Auxiliary, the Silhouette Drum  
30 and Bugle Corps and the Risley Family Association and was a great  
31 champion for open space preservation; and

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Connecticut House  
33 of Representatives expresses its sincere sympathy and heartfelt  
34 condolences on the passing of one of its former members, Dorothy  
35 Miller, whose death is a loss to the General Assembly, her friends and  
36 family, the people of Bolton and the State of Connecticut; and

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the House of  
38 Representatives cause a copy of this resolution to be presented to the  
39 family of Dorothy Miller as an expression of the high esteem in which  
40 she was held.