

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2019**

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 820**

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Sponsors: Representatives Hurley, McNeill, and Lewis (Primary Sponsors).

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Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

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April 18, 2019

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF ARLIE FRANKLIN  
2 CULP, JR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

3 Whereas, Arlie Franklin Culp, Jr., was born in Stanly County on April 9, 1926, to  
4 Arlie Franklin Culp, Sr., and Mary Eula Smith Culp; and

5 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp received his education from Stanly County public schools and  
6 Catawba College; and

7 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp taught school at Ramseur High School from 1950 to 1951,  
8 then served as a public health sanitarian for the Randolph County Health Department from 1951  
9 to 1961, and served as a soil and water conservationist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture  
10 from 1961 to 1986; and

11 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp was active in various civic and fraternal organizations in his  
12 community, including the Randolph Rotary Club, Marietta Lodge #444 A.F. and A.M. Masonic  
13 Lodge in Ramseur, and the Asheboro Jaycees, of which he was a life member; and

14 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp served on the Randolph County Forest Resources Association,  
15 Randolph Livestock Improvement Association, Board of Supervisors of the Randolph County  
16 Soil and Water Conservation District, North Central Piedmont Resource Conservation and  
17 Development Council, and the Randolph County Planning Board; and

18 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp served with honor and distinction for nine terms in the North  
19 Carolina House of Representatives between 1989 and 2006; and

20 Whereas, during his tenure in the General Assembly, Arlie F. Culp served on a  
21 number of committees, including Appropriations, Congressional Redistricting, Health and  
22 Environment, Rules, Calendar, and Operation of the House and was chair of the Committee on  
23 Public Employees and vice chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Subcommittee on Aging;  
24 and

25 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp received the Distinguished Service Award from the Asheboro  
26 Jaycees in 1959 and the Outstanding Citizen Award and C. Odell Tyndall Award from the North  
27 Carolina Rehabilitation Association in 1998; and

28 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp was a veteran of the United States Navy from 1944 to 1946  
29 and served as a crew member on a Navy patrol bomber as an aerial gunner, earning a Good  
30 Conduct Medal; and

31 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp was a member of Jordan Memorial United Methodist Church  
32 in Ramseur, of which he served as chief usher and a member of the men's Sunday School class;  
33 and

34 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp was preceded in death by his wife of 47 years, Daisy Mae  
35 Farlow Culp, and a daughter, Mary Ellen Culp; and

36 Whereas, Arlie F. Culp passed away on October 18, 2017, at the age of 91; and



1           Whereas, Arlie F. Culp is survived by a sister, Mary Culp Spires, and numerous nieces  
2 and nephews; Now, therefore,

3 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

4           **SECTION 1.** The General Assembly honors the memory of Arlie Franklin Culp, Jr.,  
5 and expresses its appreciation for the service he rendered his community, State, and nation.

6           **SECTION 2.** The General Assembly extends its deepest sympathy to the family of  
7 Arlie Franklin Culp, Jr., for the loss of a beloved family member.

8           **SECTION 3.** The Secretary of State shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution  
9 to the family of Arlie Franklin Culp, Jr.

10           **SECTION 4.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.