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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring State Representative
2 Ronald Bacon.

3 *Whereas, State Representative Ronald Bacon, who was first*
4 *elected to represent the constituents of House District 75 in*
5 *2010, will be leaving the House Chamber for the last time at*
6 *the end of the 2020 legislative session;*

7 *Whereas, During his time in the Indiana House of*
8 *Representatives, Representative Bacon served as chair of the*
9 *House Statutory Committee on Interstate and International*
10 *Cooperation and vice chair of the House Public Health*
11 *Committee;*

12 *Whereas, Representative Bacon has a passion for helping*
13 *Hoosiers and leaves behind a legacy of public policy that*
14 *impacts young Hoosiers, including ensuring that all Hoosier*

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1 *parents have access to resources regarding conditions and*
2 *disabilities that are diagnosed prenatally, protecting Hoosiers*
3 *in assisted living facilities by providing them with information*
4 *regarding the influenza vaccine, and protecting student athletes*
5 *by ensuring coaches of students in grades 5 through 12 are*
6 *trained to recognize the signs of heat exhaustion;*

7 *Whereas, The Indiana Chiropractic Association named him*
8 *Legislator of the Year in 2017 for his work advocating for*
9 *chiropractic services to be reimbursed under HIP;*

10 *Whereas, Representative Bacon received the Star of Life*
11 *Award from Indiana Right to Life in honor of his work to*
12 *support pro life issues and protect mothers and the unborn;*

13 *Whereas, Representative Bacon received the first Food and*
14 *Policy Award from the Indiana Academy of Nutrition in*
15 *recognition of his leadership on nutrition related issues in the*
16 *Indiana General Assembly;*

17 *Whereas, Representative Bacon is an avid collector of bacon*
18 *themed merchandise and memorabilia;*

19 *Whereas, Outside of his work as a state legislator,*
20 *Representative Bacon is a respiratory therapist and has more*
21 *than 50 years' experience in the health care field;*

22 *Whereas, Before being elected to the Indiana General*
23 *Assembly, Representative Bacon served as a member of the*
24 *Warrick County Council for four years and as coroner for six*
25 *years; and*

26 *Whereas, Representative Bacon will retire and enjoy*
27 *newfound time with Karen, his wife of more than 50 years, two*
28 *daughters, and four grandchildren: Therefore,*

29 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*
30 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

31 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
32 honors State Representative Ronald Bacon for his years of
33 service.



1 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
2 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to
3 Representative Wendy McNamara for distribution.

