

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating Bunker Hill
Elementary School on its 100th anniversary.

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_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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2 Hill Elementary School on its 100th anniversary.

3 *Whereas, Bunker Hill Elementary School was named for its*
4 *location on a hill, to show patriotism during World War I, and*
5 *to continue the revolution of thought and ideas called the*
6 *Enlightenment;*

7 *Whereas, The original two-story brick building was built on*
8 *three acres in the southeast section of Franklin Township and*
9 *featured six large classrooms, a furnace room, a boys' shop*
10 *room, a girls' domestic room, science room, play room, and a*
11 *large assembly room with a stage;*

12 *Whereas, Bunker Hill students formed a "bucket brigade"*
13 *to help the school move into a new, larger building that was*
14 *completed in 1962 and is still in use today after several*
15 *renovations over the years;*

16 *Whereas, The first students to attend Bunker Hill did so*
17 *before the use of motorized buses, riding in "horse hacks"*
18 *driven by local farmers to and from the school building before*
19 *the first bus came into use in 1920;*

20 *Whereas, Many beloved teachers have made Bunker Hill a*
21 *special place for students over the years, including current*
22 *second grade teacher and former Bunker Hill student Mrs.*
23 *Cathy England, who organizes the annual Veterans Day*
24 *program, fourth grade teacher Mrs. Cindy Andry, who is*
25 *planning the fourth grade's twentieth annual trip to state*



1 *historical locations in Southern Indiana, and first grade*
2 *teacher Mr. Marc Hamilton, who is organizing the thirty-third*
3 *running of the "1st Grade Mini 500";*

4 *Whereas, Bunker Hill's famous Annual Fish Fry event*
5 *began in 1932 and ran for more than 50 years, culminating*
6 *each year with the crowning of a Fish Fry King and Queen, and*
7 *will be revived this year on April 27 to celebrate the school's*
8 *100th anniversary and will include recognition of several*
9 *former Fish Fry Kings and Queens and the crowning of new*
10 *Fish Fry royalty among current students;*

11 *Whereas, With the first parent-teacher organization being*
12 *formed in 1921, Bunker Hill Elementary School has enjoyed a*
13 *high level of parent and community involvement throughout the*
14 *years and has received generous support for school activities*
15 *and projects; and*

16 *Whereas, The students and staff of Bunker Hill have*
17 *engaged in several key outreach programs over the years*
18 *including collecting shoes to pay for water wells to be built in*
19 *Third World Countries, sponsoring a school in Texas to aid in*
20 *hurricane relief, and celebrating the school's centennial with*
21 *100 acts of kindness: Therefore,*

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23 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
24 *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

25 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly
26 congratulates Bunker Hill Elementary School on its centennial
27 celebration.

28 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
29 to transmit copies of this Resolution to Dr. Kent Pettet,
30 Principal of Bunker Hill Elementary School, Dr. Bruce
31 Hibbard, Superintendent of Franklin Township Community
32 School Corporation, and Mr. Scott Sullivan, President of the
33 Franklin Township Community School Corporation School
34 Board.

