Please Mark Your Calendar for an Upcoming Special Event

Monday, April 14, 2014 Senate Chamber State Capitol Building 201 W. Capitol Ave., Jefferson City, MO 65101 www.senate.mo.gov

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Dear Family Member,

We are honored to share with you news of a special upcoming event dedicated to your loved one's time and the mark they made in the Missouri Senate. Members of this esteemed body are currently planning a memorial service for those past senators who have paved the way for lawmakers currently serving in the Missouri Legislature.

Our Senate family goes back nearly 200 years, and we would like to take a moment during the upcoming legislative session to honor those senators who have passed away after May 1987. During this time, we would like to share with you our deep appreciation for their time and service to our great state.

Members of the Senate are keenly aware of the important role family members have played for those, past and present, who represent the citizens of this state. Without your love and support, the historical decisions and important laws made by the senators before us might have never come to light. Family is the glue that binds us together.

As the process of planning this memorial service continues, we welcome any questions you might have regarding this special event. Please contact Secretary of the Senate Terry Spieler (<u>tspieler@senate.mo.gov</u>) for more information. Visit the Senate's website (<u>www.senate.mo.gov</u>) and click on the Senate Memorial link to follow the event planning as more details are finalized. Please check your schedule and plan to be with us in April as we celebrate the life and legacy of your beloved family member.

Sincerely,

Tom Dempsey President Pro Tem District 23

State Senator Ron Richard Majority Floor Leader District 32

Jolie Justus Minority Floor Leader District 10