



Introduced Version

---

---

**HOUSE  
RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_**

---

*Introduced by: Moed, Smaltz*

---

---

1           A HOUSE RESOLUTION memorializing Robert Hall  
2           Weir.

3           *Whereas, Robert Hall Weir, known professionally as Bob*  
4           *Weir, was a founding member, guitarist, and vocalist of the*  
5           *Grateful Dead, one of the most influential and enduring bands*  
6           *in American music;*

7           *Whereas, For more than six decades, Bob Weir shaped the*  
8           *sound of American music through his distinctive rhythm guitar*  
9           *style, innovative songwriting, and unwavering commitment to*  
10          *live performance;*

11          *Whereas, His work drew deeply from the traditions that*  
12          *define Americana, including blues, jazz, folk, country, and rock,*  
13          *then blended them into a uniquely American sound that*  
14          *influenced generations of musicians and helped shape modern*

20262414



1 *music culture;*

2 *Whereas, Through his performances with the Grateful Dead,*  
3 *RatDog, Furthur, Dead & Company, and numerous*  
4 *collaborations, Bob Weir helped create one of the most*  
5 *enduring music communities in American music;*

6 *Whereas, Bob Weir and the Grateful Dead shared a long and*  
7 *meaningful relationship with Indiana audiences, especially*  
8 *through their performances at the venue remembered by*  
9 *generations of Hoosiers simply as "Deer Creek";*

10 *Whereas, His music fostered a sense of community,*  
11 *connection, and joy that reached people of all ages and*  
12 *backgrounds, leaving a cultural legacy that continues to*  
13 *resonate deeply with Hoosiers; and*

14 *Whereas, Bob Weir will be greatly missed for his lifelong*  
15 *dedication to artistic exploration, environmental stewardship,*  
16 *and philanthropy, which was reflected in values that enrich*  
17 *public life and strengthen the fabric of communities across the*  
18 *country: Therefore,*

19 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*  
20 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

21 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives  
22 honors and memorializes the life, legacy, and cultural  
23 contributions of Bob Weir and extends its condolences to his  
24 family, friends, and the many fans whose lives were touched by  
25 his music.

26 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of  
27 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the  
28 family of Bob Weir.

