2015 Assembly Joint Resolution 68

## **ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION**

**Relating to:** the life and public service of Dr. Ronald H. Lingren.

Whereas, former Representative Dr. Ronald H. Lingren was born on June 26, 1935, and died on June 1, 2015; and

Whereas, Dr. Lingren was born in Gowrie, Iowa, the son of a tenant farmer and grade school teacher, graduated from Iowa State University in 1960, and earned his Ph.D. from the University of Iowa in 1961; and

Whereas, Dr. Lingren spent many years as a psychologist and professor at the University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee and received the title of Professor Emeritus while maintaining his own psychology practice; and

Whereas, Dr. Lingren served in the Army during the Korean War and with the Air Force Reserve for almost 40 years; and

Whereas, Ronald Lingren, a Democrat, served as a full-time legislator from 1975 to 1981 for the 97th Assembly District in Menomonee Falls; and

Whereas, Representative Lingren served on the Joint Committee on Finance for most of his career as a state legislator, as well as serving on committees related to education, health, and social services; and

Whereas, Dr. Lingren was a founding member of the National Association of School Psychologists, served as President of the Wisconsin Association of School Psychologists, and was a member of many organizations providing services to students; and

Whereas, Ronald was husband to Amy; father to Scott, Kristin, and Katie; and grandfather to Ava; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That* the members of the legislature salute Dr. Ronald H. Lingren's public service and mourn his passing; and, be it further

*Resolved, That* the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint resolution to his wife Amy and his children Scott, Kristin, and Katie.

Senator Mary Lazich President of the Senate Representative Robin J. Vos Speaker of the Assembly

Patrick E. Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk

Date