

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2013**

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1053**

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Sponsors: Representative Hager (Primary Sponsor).

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Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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May 15, 2014

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF ROBYNN LOWE  
2 SPENCE.

3 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence was born in North Augusta, South Carolina on June  
4 15, 1967, and was raised in Charlotte, North Carolina; and

5 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence graduated from Mecklenburg High School in 1984  
6 and attended Central Piedmont Community College and Isothermal Community College in  
7 Spindale, North Carolina; and

8 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence worked in the Mecklenburg County Clerk of Court  
9 Office from 1990 to 1993 and the Rutherford County Clerk of Court Office from 1993 to 2002;  
10 and

11 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence also held positions in the Rutherford County  
12 Sheriff's Office from 2002 to 2006, the Peter Lane Law Office from 2002 to 2004, and the  
13 Rutherford County Department of Social Services from 2004 to 2008; and

14 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence was an active member of the Rutherford County  
15 Republican Party and in 2008, with the support of many friends and her family, Robynn Lowe  
16 Spence ran for Rutherford County Clerk of Court and won, becoming the County's first female  
17 Republican Clerk of Court; and

18 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence was a dedicated member of Big Springs Baptist  
19 Church in Ellenboro; and

20 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence passed away suddenly on February 16, 2014, at the  
21 age of 46; and

22 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence is survived by her daughters, Savanna Spence of  
23 Rutherfordton and Britt Nabors of Charlotte; her sister, Nikki Floyd of Lincolnton; her brother,  
24 Brett Lowe of Monroe; and her fiancée, Chadd Murray; and

25 Whereas, Robynn Lowe Spence will always be remembered by Rutherford County  
26 for the hard work and dedication she provided as Clerk of Court and by the Rutherford County  
27 Republican Party; Now, therefore,

28 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

29 **SECTION 1.** The General Assembly honors the memory of Robynn Lowe Spence  
30 and joins the citizens of Rutherford County in celebrating the life of Robynn Lowe Spence on  
31 June 15, 2014.

32 **SECTION 2.** The General Assembly extends its deepest sympathy to the family of  
33 Robynn Lowe Spence for the loss of a beloved family member.

34 **SECTION 3.** The Secretary of State shall transmit a certified copy of this  
35 resolution to the family of Robynn Lowe Spence.



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**SECTION 4.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.