

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8

1 MASCHER, BELL, BERRY, BUKTA, COHOON, CONNORS,
2 DANDEKAR, DAVITT, FALLON, FOEGE, GASKILL,
3 GREIMANN, HEDDENS, HUSER, JOCHUM, LENSING,
4 LYKAM, MERTZ, MILLER, MURPHY, MYERS, OLDSON,
5 D. OLSON, PETERSEN, QUIRK, SHOULTZ, SMITH,
6 STRUYK, SWAIM, D. TAYLOR, T. TAYLOR, THOMAS,
7 WENDT, WHITAKER, WHITEAD, WINCKLER, and WISE

8 A Resolution to honor former President Jimmy Carter for
9 winning the Nobel Peace Prize for the year 2002.

10 WHEREAS, the Norwegian Nobel Committee has awarded
11 the Nobel Peace Prize for 2002 to former President
12 Jimmy Carter for his decades of untiring effort to
13 find peaceful solutions to international conflicts, to
14 advance democracy and human rights, and to promote
15 economic and social development; and

16 WHEREAS, through his Carter Center, founded in
17 1982, President Carter has traveled throughout the
18 world mediating conflicts, monitoring elections,
19 promoting human rights, building homes for the poor
20 through the Habitat for Humanity organization, and
21 providing health care and food to the world's poor;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, as the 39th President of the United
24 States, Carter brokered the Camp David peace agreement
25 of 1978 between Israel and Egypt, established full
26 diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of
27 China, and negotiated the SALT II nuclear limitation
28 treaty with the Soviet Union; and

29 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the valiant
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1 efforts of former President Carter be recognized and
2 honored; NOW THEREFORE,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
4 That the House of Representatives recognizes the
5 efforts of former President Jimmy Carter to promote
6 peace, democracy, and human rights throughout the
7 world.

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That upon adoption, a copy
9 of this Resolution be sent to former President Jimmy
10 Carter.

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