

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 5028

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring James Chitty for his over 10,000 hours of community service at the Robert J. Dole V.A. Medical Center.

WHEREAS, James Chitty, Private First Class, served in the United States Army during World War II. He joined the army right after the attack on Pearl Harbor and served for four years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chitty earned his Bachelor's Degree at Central Missouri State and his Master's Degree in Education from Wichita State University; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chitty taught history and social studies for 14 years in the St. Louis, Missouri and Wichita, Kansas school districts; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chitty worked for Beech Aircraft as Foreman of Production Control and retired after 36 years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chitty began volunteering at the Robert J. Dole V.A. Medical Center in Wichita, Kansas in 1987, and has completed 10,551 hours of service; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chitty is a Volunteer Escort at the hospital, which involves taking patients to their appointments, taking lab specimens to the lab and doing whatever job needs to be done; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism and civic engagement are important to the quality of life in Kansas communities. Mr. Chitty exemplifies service to Kansas and the United States by continuing to volunteer at the hospital. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, the Senate concurring therein: That we honor James Chitty for his 10,551 hours of service to the Robert J. Dole V.A. Medical Center in Wichita and thank him for his continued service to Kansas.

I hereby certify that the above CONCURRENT RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Adopted by the SENATE _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.