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3 By Representative Ford
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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MR. HENRY ARNOLD PIKE.
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10 WHEREAS, it is with profound sorrow that we mourn
11 the death of Mr. Henry Arnold Pike of Ashville, Alabama, on
12 February 24, 2014, at the age of 85 years; and

13 WHEREAS, his passing leaves a void in the lives of
14 his loving family and his many friends; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Pike served as Superintendent for the
16 City of Leeds for 27 years; he was also a member of the Leeds
17 Volunteer Fire Department for 20 years and was Captain of the
18 Leeds Reserve Police Department for 10 years; and

19 WHEREAS, he was a veteran who served his country
20 with honor and distinction during World War II; and

21 WHEREAS, preceding him in death were his parents,
22 Hosea and Mattie Lou Pike, and sisters, Emma Lou Brannon and
23 Thelma Pike; and

24 WHEREAS, survivors include his wife, Betty Jo Pike;
25 daughter, Jo Ann Nichols; sons, Aubrey (Diann) Pike, Ronnie
26 (Donna) Pike, Carl (Lynnette) Pike, and William (Melba) Pike;
27 and sisters, Grace McCay and Velma Green; and

1 WHEREAS, Mr. Pike was a valued member of the
2 community; although his presence will be missed, his memory
3 will be cherished in the hearts of those who were fortunate to
4 know him; now therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
6 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mr. Henry Arnold
7 Pike is recorded with deep sadness, and this resolution is
8 offered in tribute to his life and with heartfelt sympathy to
9 his family, whose grief is shared by many.