HR 9107

1

2

3

4

5

House Resolution

A resolution honoring the memory and accomplishments of President Ronald Wilson Reagan on the 100th anniversary of his birth.

6 WHEREAS, President Ronald Wilson Reagan, a man of humble 7 background, worked throughout his life serving freedom and 8 advancing the public good as an entertainer, union leader, 9 corporate spokesperson, governor of California, and, ultimately, 10 President of the United States, and

11 WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan served with honor and distinction 12 for two terms as the 40th president of the United States of 13 America and was elected to his second term by 3/5ths of the 14 electorate and by 49 of the 50 states, a record unsurpassed in 15 the history of American presidential elections, and

16 WHEREAS, in 1981, when Ronald Reagan was inaugurated 17 President, he inherited a disillusioned nation that was shackled 18 by rampant inflation and high unemployment, and

WHEREAS, during his presidency, Ronald Reagan worked in a bipartisan manner to enact his bold agenda of restoring accountability and common sense to government, which led to unprecedented economic expansion and opportunity for millions of Americans, and

24 WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan's commitment to an active social 25 policy agenda for the nation's children helped to lower crime 26 and reduce drug use in our neighborhoods, and

27 WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan's commitment to the Armed Forces 28 contributed to the restoration of pride and values in America

Page 1 of 2

2011

HR 9107 2011 29 and to those values cherished by the free world, and prepared 30 this nation's Armed Forces to meet 21st Century challenges, and 31 WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan's vision of "peace through strength" led to the end of the Cold War and the ultimate demise of the 32 33 Soviet Union, guaranteeing basic human rights for millions of 34 people, and WHEREAS, February 6, 2011, is the 100th anniversary of 35 36 Ronald Reagan's birth, and the 7th since his passing, NOW, 37 THEREFORE, 38 39 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of 40 Florida: 41 42 That the memory and accomplishments of President Ronald Wilson Reagan are honored and recognized on the 100th 43 44 anniversary of his birth.