

Resolution

State of South Carolina)

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County of Sumter)



WHEREAS, God in His great power created for this world Mr. Patrick F. Veltre and placed him in these United States, the State of South Carolina, and this County of Sumter, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Veltre dedicated his life to music during his twenty-year tour of duty as the Post Commander and Conductor of various Air Force bands, instructor and band director for Sumter School District Two, and Conductor Emeritus of the Sumter Community Concert Band, and the Sumter Civic Chorale; and

WHEREAS, during his life's journey Mr. Veltre reached for the very best in all that he did and was awarded many recognitions for his tirelessly efforts in his endeavors.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Sumter County Council and the entire community salute Patrick F. Veltre posthumously for his caring spirit, love for music, joyful character, and willingness to surrender his actions in the hands of the Lord.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we the members of Sumter County Council, desire to place on record a testament of our appreciation, love, and esteem for Mr. Patrick F. Veltre in recognizing him "*as a gift from the Chief Musician.*"

Given under the seal of the County this 10th day of January 2004.

SUMTER COUNTY COUNCIL

Its: Chairwoman, Naomi D. Sanders

ATTEST:

Its: Clerk, Mary W. Blanding