

2020 RES-427

HONORING FORMER DANE COUNTY BOARD SUPERVISOR JAMES "BOB" BURULL

WHEREAS, James "Bob" Burull, of Stoughton/Chaseburg, passed away on March 8, 2021 at the age of 89; and

WHEREAS, Bob served as a member of the County Board from 1994 to 1996, representing District 36 which included the City of Stoughton, the Town of Dunn, and the Town of Pleasant Springs; and Bob served on the Public Protection & Judiciary Committee, the Information Resources Management Committee, the Affirmative Action Commission; and

WHEREAS, Bob's commitment to public service started at an early age as he joined the U.S. Army in 1955, became a pilot, graduated first in his class, and served stateside during the Korean War; and

WHEREAS, Bob was known for his hard work ethic and entrepreneurial spirit which led him and his wife to launch one of the first local origination cable television stations in the U.S. and later in his career he produced "The Ol' Bob Show" in Chaseburg; and

WHEREAS, Bob appreciated his Norwegian roots, enjoyed a good game of croquet, and loved spending time with his family and friends.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors hereby pays its respects to Bob and extends its sympathies to his family and friends. We join them in mourning the loss of Bob who gave so unselfishly to our community.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be presented to Ruth Dreher and Erica Araneta, Bob's daughters, as a token of the esteem with which he is held by the Dane County Board of Supervisors and the residents of Dane County.

Analiese Eicher, Chair
Dane County Board of Supervisor

Signed and sealed before me this

_____ day of _____, 2021.

Scott McDonell,
Dane County Clerk