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House Committee Unanimously Approves Rep. Bob Dixon's Reagan Bill

House Concurrent Resolution 23 Receives Bipartisan Support

Jefferson City, MO — On Wednesday, February 21, House Concurrent Resolution 23, introduced by Rep. Bob Dixon (R-Springfield), was approved unanimously by the House Special Committee on Tourism. HCR 23 would establish February 6th as "Ronald Reagan Day" in Missouri.

"President Reagan was a man of integrity, one of the greatest leaders of our time. He was an articulate advocate of freedom around the world," said Rep. Bob Dixon. "By setting aside a day of remembrance to honor a former President and leader of the free world, Missouri joins the ranks of the many states that have already taken steps to honor Ronald Reagan on February 6th."

During the committee hearing, Rep. Dixon testified on behalf of HCR 23, noting the long peacetime economic expansion aided by President Reagan's economic and foreign policies. He also cited the words of former Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, President Bill Clinton, President Jimmy Carter, and Senator Barack Obama, all of whom have expressed their respect for the impact President Reagan had on the nation.

Pursuant to House procedures, the concurrent resolution will be considered by the Rules Committee before being brought before the entire Missouri House for a vote.

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