

WHEREAS, the federal government is increasingly encouraging the establishment of such centers by its growing financial grant programs under the Older Americans Act and other legislation; and

WHEREAS, the State of Maryland is by means of its Coordinating Commission on the Problems of the Aging providing leadership, guidance, technical assistance, and supervision of the Federal Grant Program in the establishment and operation of such centers; and

WHEREAS, some political subdivisions of the State have provided the necessary housing facilities for such senior activity centers to the great benefit of their elderly citizens; and

WHEREAS, these programs give promise of reducing public expenditures for hospital and other institutional care of the elderly, as well as enriching the lives of the elderly; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the General Assembly recommends and urges all political subdivisions to cooperate with this program by providing such suitable building or community space as they may have available, or can acquire, for the establishment by their local Commissions on the Aging, or other local agencies or groups, of senior activity centers in their various population centers; and be it further*

*Resolved, That the recommendation set forth in this Joint Resolution of the General Assembly of Maryland be submitted to the several political subdivisions of this State for their favorable consideration; and be it further*

*Resolved, That the Secretary of State of Maryland, under the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, is requested to send a copy of this Joint Resolution to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City and to each Board of County Commissioners or County Council in the several respective counties of Maryland.*

Approved May 4, 1967.

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(Senate Joint Resolution 56)

Senate Joint Resolution commending and congratulating Colonel Carey Jarman for his notable contributions to the progress and welfare of the State of Maryland.

The members of the General Assembly of Maryland commend and congratulate Colonel Carey Jarman for an outstanding record of public achievements in this State.

As of June 1, 1967, Colonel Jarman will leave the public service of this State and his position as Superintendent of the Maryland State Police.

For more than fifty years Colonel Jarman has served the people of Maryland with distinction. His military service as a member of the Maryland National Guard began in 1916 and included more than