NEW JERSEY GENERAL ASSEMBLY

STATE HOUSE, TRENTON, N. J.

ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION
By Assemblyman ZWICKER

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of the State of New Jersey is pleased to salute the Reverend Robert Moore, a highly esteemed member of his Garden State community, who will be honored during a Princeton Council meeting on September 13, 2021, for his extraordinary history of service; and,

WHEREAS, The Reverend Robert Moore has been especially appreciated for his forty years of leadership as the Executive Director of the Coalition for Peace Action, or CFPA, a superb entity dedicated to global abolition of nuclear weapons, a peace economy, and a halt to weapons trafficking, and the depth of his knowledge and the breadth of his experience have contributed immeasurably to the effectiveness of this organization; and,

WHEREAS, A former Pastor of East Brunswick Congregational Church and Christ Congregation in Princeton who has also imparted his wisdom as Assistant Pastor to Luther Place Church in Washington D.C., the Reverend Robert Moore has shared his considerable insight as the National Secretary of Mobilization for Survival, which also strives toward disarmament and seeks to bring about the conversion of resources from military purposes to urgent human needs, and he continues to serve Christ Congregation in Princeton as its Co-Moderator; and,

WHEREAS, Ordained in the United Church of Christ, the Reverend Robert Moore earned his Master of Divinity degree from Wittenberg University in 1976 and his Bachelor of Science in engineering from Purdue University in 1972, and since he dedicated himself fully to his peacemaking ministry in 1978, he has secured such numerous accomplishments as Chair of the New Jersey Nuclear Weapons Freeze Referendum that received two-thirds of support from New Jersey voters in 1982, Treasurer, President, and Vice President of the Princeton Clergy Association, and in coordinating the founding conference of the National Religious Campaign against Torture, as well as in leading CFPA’s Ceasefire NJ Project and the Peace Voter Campaign; and,

WHEREAS, The Reverend Robert Moore has been bestowed numerous accolades for his years of advocacy and faithful courage, including the 1995 Citizen Hero Award from the ACLU, the Peace Builder Award from the Princeton Rotary Club, the 2003 Gandhi, King, Ikeda Award from the Martin Luther King International Chapel at Morehouse College, and the declaration of September 8, 2021, as Reverend Robert Moore Day in Princeton; and,

WHEREAS, He has been upheld in his efforts by his wife, Mary, and he takes great pride in his three children and special delight in his three grandchildren; and,

WHEREAS, The strength and success of the State of New Jersey and the vitality of our American society greatly depend on concerned and industrious individuals, such as the Reverend Robert Moore, who devote themselves to noble and essential causes for the betterment of others; and,

WHEREAS, It is altogether proper and fitting for this Legislature to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge the Reverend Robert Moore as a man of strong character and exceptional determination; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:
That this House hereby lauds the Reverend Robert Moore, pays tribute to his meritorious record of service, leadership, and commitment, and extends sincere best wishes for his continued success and happiness; and,

Be It Further Resolved, That a duly authenticated copy of this resolution, signed by the Speaker and attested by the Clerk, be transmitted to the Reverend Robert Moore.

[Signature]
Craig J. Coughlin
Speaker of the General Assembly

Attest:
[Signature]
Dana M. Bulley
Clerk of the General Assembly