

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

At Charleston

A PROCLAMATION

By the Governor

WHEREAS, Sharon Lewis Malcolm was born on the eleventh day of July, Nineteen Hundred Forty-seven, in Park Lake, Michigan, the daughter of Maxwell and Kelly Malcolm; and

WHEREAS, Sharon Malcolm received her Board of Regents Degree in Business and Management; and

WHEREAS, Sharon Malcolm was appointed to serve in the House of Delegates representing the Thirty-ninth District of Kanawha County in Two Thousand Eighteen and was elected to continue serving later that year; and

WHEREAS, Delegate Sharon Malcolm was a retired auditor for the state of West Virginia and was the first woman to serve as a doorkeeper in the House of Delegates and as the first female Assistant Sergeant at Arms for the State Senate; and

WHEREAS, Delegate Sharon Malcolm was a member of the Republican Women's Club, Charleston Women's Club, the Midland Garden Club, the NRA, and the Charleston FOP; and

WHEREAS, Delegate Sharon Malcolm, a committed and respected public servant and a devoted mother, grandmother, friend and neighbor, died on the Thirtieth day of September, Two Thousand Nineteen; and

WHEREAS, Delegate Sharon Malcolm is survived by her daughter, Martha Dawn (Sam) Mullins; her son, Dr. John Hunter (Tammy) Lewis; grandchildren: Matthew Hunter Lewis and

Emily Grace Lewis; she was preceded in death by her parents; brothers: Max, Bruce and David; sisters: Cora, Florence, Marilyn and Alberta; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the State of West Virginia, friends, and associates of Delegate Sharon Malcolm desire to recognize her dedicated public service to the Great State of West Virginia, and to acknowledge her valuable contributions to the State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM JUSTICE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Governor of the State of West Virginia, do hereby **ORDER** that, in commemoration of the distinguished life and service of West Virginia Delegate Sharon Malcolm, the United States and West Virginia State flag displayed at the Capitol Complex in Charleston, West Virginia, and at all State facilities throughout Kanawha County, West Virginia, shall be lowered to half-staff from dawn to dusk on the Seventh day of October, Two Thousand Nineteen, the day of services celebrating her life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.



By the Governor

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Nineteen, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Seventh year of the State.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE