

Senator Meekhof offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 212.**

A resolution of tribute for the Honorable Phil Pavlov.

Whereas, The members of this legislative body are proud to offer this expression of gratitude and esteem to Senator Phil Pavlov. His dedication to improving the lives of the people of the Twenty-fifth District of Michigan has been proven over the years by his unwavering commitment to public service; and

Whereas, A native of St. Clair Township, Phil Pavlov is deeply rooted in the Thumb area of Michigan. In addition to his success as a small business owner, he has garnered a distinguished public service career that began with service on the St. Clair County Board of Commissioners in 2002. In 2004, he was first elected to the House of Representatives, where he served three terms. As a member of the House, he served on several legislative committees including leadership positions as minority vice chair on the Education and Public Employee Health Care Reform committees. He also served on the Families and Children's Services, Great Lakes and Environment, and Urban Policy committees, among others; and

Whereas, In 2010, he was first elected to the Senate where he served in leadership as Assistant Majority Floor Leader; chair of the Education Committee; and vice chair of the Families, Seniors, and Human Services and the Natural Resources committees. He has also served as vice chair on the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee for K-12, School Aid, Education and on the Transportation committee, among other committees; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we offer this expression of tribute to commend and thank the Honorable Phil Pavlov for his notable contributions to this legislative body and to our state; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to Senator Pavlov as evidence of our gratitude and best wishes.