

## House Resolution 947

By: Representative Ralston of the 7<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and celebrating Adele Mercier on the occasion of her 95th birthday; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Adele Mercier celebrated her 95th birthday on February 21, 2013, with family,  
4 friends, and well-wishers at Mercier Orchards; and

5 WHEREAS, she started Mercier Orchards with her late husband, Bill, in 1943, and since  
6 then, she has made significant contributions to the area and has become a visible pillar in the  
7 community; and

8 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high  
9 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens, and she possesses vast wisdom that  
10 only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved by  
11 overcoming the many challenges of life; and

12 WHEREAS, she is a friend to many and a living legend who never misses the opportunity  
13 to show her love, and by the example she has made of her life, it is only fitting and proper  
14 that she be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
16 the members of this body honor and celebrate Adele Mercier on her 95th birthday and extend  
17 to her their best wishes for many more years of happiness.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
19 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Adele Mercier.