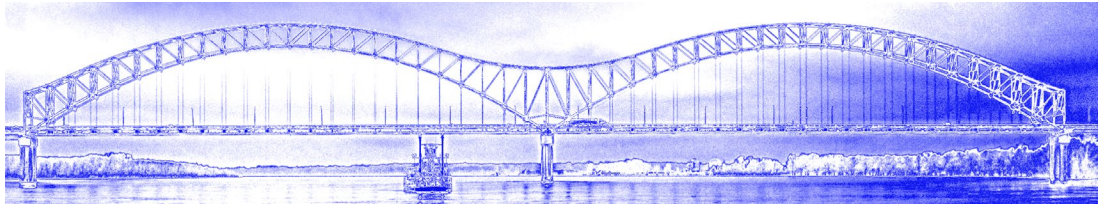




Memphis Chapter Memorial Resolutions



RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE LIFE AND WORK

OF

ROBERT P. COLMER, Jr.

WHEREAS: The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air conditioning Engineers, Inc. – Memphis Chapter – is saddened by the death of a long-standing leader in our industry, Robert P. Colmer, Jr., who died December 22, 2012

WHEREAS: Bob Colmer led a full and worthy life in which he distinguished himself, his community, his family, our country and our Society. More particularly:

- a). Was founder of Computer Environment, Inc. the outgrowth of Conaway – Colmer, Inc. – a manufacturers' representative firm specializing in particular the environmental control of computer rooms as well as other highly specialized HVAC applications including representing the Liebert Corporation for over thirty five years having received numerous awards
- b). Was past president of the Memphis ASHRAE Chapter from 1971 – 1972 and in 1953 was a charter member of the Mid-South Section of the American Society of Refrigeration Engineers which later merged with ASHVE to form ASHRAE.
- c). Graduated from the Georgia Institute of Technology with a masters in Aeronautical Engineering
- d). Served his country in the U. S. Navy prior to World War II
- e). Was active in many civic and social organizations including having served as Chairman and King of Osiris for Cotton Carnival; served on the Board of the Memphis University Club where he was an avid tennis player; was Past President of the Data Processing Management Association; was an active member of Calvary Episcopal Church where he served on the Vestry and taught Sunday School; was a devoted MIFA Meals on Wheels volunteer

He is survived by his wife of fifty-five years, Elaine Colmer, daughter Ruth Colmer and son John Colmer, himself Past President of our Memphis ASHRAE Chapter and three grandsons

WHEREAS: We have been blessed by having served with Bob Colmer, and he will be missed not only by his family, friends, clients, and community but by the membership of the Memphis ASHRAE Chapter

NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED: That the life and service of Robert P. Colmer, Jr. be commended and recognized in the historical records of our organization and that an appropriate copy of this Resolution be delivered to his family and in memory of his service.

This 8th day of January, 2013

By: Jimmy Fleck, P.E., President
Jimmy Fleck, P.E. Memphis Chapter President

By: J. Kenneth Jack, Memorials Chairman
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