

MINNESOTA
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A Senate resolution

honoring rockabilly artist Robby Vee.

WHEREAS, Robby Vee was born Robert Velline, named after his father Bobby Vee, a rock-and-roll legend and teen idol of the 1960s; and

WHEREAS, Robby keeps his father's legacy vivid while forging his own sound and style on the contemporary rock landscape; and

WHEREAS, he has played and toured with many legendary musicians, and has won praise from scores of artists, including Paul McCartney and Andrew Lloyd Webber; and

WHEREAS, Robby is involved with several charities, namely the Alzheimers Foundation Of America and National Fallen Firefighters Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Robby retains a deep connection to and fondness for the upper Midwest, and Minnesotans will have numerous opportunities to experience The Prince of Twang and his electrifying band in 2015; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that it honors Robby Vee for his life, art, and legacy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to prepare an enrolled copy of this resolution, to be authenticated by the Secretary's signature and that of the Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee, and transmit it to Robby Vee.

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Secretary of the Senate

Thomas M. Bakk
Chair, Senate Committee on
Rules and Administration

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