

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION: **1-W-10**  
SUBMITTED BY: The American Legion, Department of Michigan  
SUBJECT: Memorial to Russell John Blasius, Jr.

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WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, the Great Commander, to summon to His Immortal Legion our beloved comrade, Russell John Blasius, Jr., who served The American Legion and his fellow veterans as 2<sup>nd</sup> Zone Commander and 4<sup>th</sup> District Commander; and

WHEREAS, Russell Blasius was a member of Post 73 at the time of his passing; and

WHEREAS, Russell Blasius achieved his eligibility for membership in The American Legion through his service in the United States Army during WWII; and

WHEREAS, We humbly bow to the will of Divine Providence, while ever cherishing in our hearts the memory of his distinguished service to our country and his outstanding contribution to all veterans; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion, Department of Michigan, in annual Winter Meeting assembled in Lansing, Michigan, February 20-21, 2010, That The American Legion, Department of Michigan, does mourn the passing of our distinguished comrade, Russell John Blasius, Jr., and we commend to all men his works and to God his spirit.