LEGISLATIVE BIOGRAPHY — 2007 SESSION



JOHN W. MARVEL Republican Assembly District No. 32 (Portions of Humboldt, Lander, and Washoe Counties) Ranching



Born: 1926 – Battle Mountain, Nevada.

Educated: Schools in Battle Mountain, Nevada; University of Nevada, Reno, B.A.

Married: Wilburta (Willie) Shidler.

Children: Sharon Marvel Andreasen, John E. Marvel, Michelle Marvel Slagle.

Military: United States Army, World War II.

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Nevada Assembly, 1979-2007 (*first elected November 1978*)—nine special and fifteen regular sessions; Minority Floor Leader, 1993. Assembly Committee on Ways and Means: Chair, 1985, Co-Chair, 1995. Interim Finance Committee: Member, 1981-2007, Co-Chair, 1995-1996. Committee on Industrial Programs, Chair, 2005-2006; Interim Finance Committee's Advisory Board on Prison Industries, Member, 1995-2001; Audit Subcommittee, Vice Chair, 2005-2006; Legislative Committee on Public Lands, Vice Chair, 1995-2006.

AFFILIATIONS: Battle Mountain Lodge No. 23, F. & A.M.; York Rite Bodies; Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite; Kerak Temple; Order of Eastern Star, Mountain Star Chapter No. 21; American Legislative Exchange Council; Western Legislative Conference; Electoral College, 2005.

PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS: One of five Electoral College votes for the 2004 Presidential Election; Past President, Nevada Cattlemen's Association; past Chairman, Lander County Planning Commission; past Chairman, Nevada Tax Commission; past Member, Advisory Council to Public Land Law Review Commission.

