



State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 682

By Senator Beavers

and

Representative Weaver

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Rachel Marie Wakefield, 2012 Salutatorian of Macon County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Marie Wakefield is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2012 graduating class at Macon County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Rachel Wakefield has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Wakefield has earned an exemplary grade point average while also participating in such extracurricular activities as Beta Club, Interact, soccer and track, in addition to completing over 250 hours of community service; and

WHEREAS, Rachel's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she continues her education at Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Wakefield's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mark and Tabitha Wakefield; her school; and her community; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Wakefield's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Macon County High School Salutatorian, Rachel Marie Wakefield, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: March 26, 2012



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 2nd day of April 2012



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR