



State of Tennessee

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17

By Haile

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Andrew Finney for his astute service to the people of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding pharmacists who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality health care for the citizens of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable pharmacist is Andrew Finney, who has distinguished himself as a healthcare professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, born and raised in Middle Tennessee, Mr. Finney graduated from Beech High School in 1997, earned his Associate of Science degree at Volunteer State Community College, and obtained his pharmacy degree from the University of Tennessee College of Pharmacy in 2005; and

WHEREAS, Andrew Finney has served with acumen and alacrity as a pharmacist with Perkins Drugs and Gift Shoppe in Gallatin since 2005, and because of his superior credentials and natural leadership abilities, he became a full partner in 2009; and

WHEREAS, today, under the skillful leadership of Mr. Finney and his partners, Senator Ferrell Haile and Sam Rickman, Perkins Drugs and Gift Shoppe continues to grow and prosper, standing as the only independent pharmacy in the Gallatin community; and

WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Finney is a devoted member of his church and enjoys spending time with his family, jogging, golfing, mountain biking, landscaping, and participating in water sports; and

WHEREAS, Andrew Finney's remarkable success as a pharmacist and civic leader is directly attributable to his reliance on the time-honored values of hard work and common sense and his uncommon ability to work well with people from all walks of life; and

WHEREAS, his many accomplishments aside, Andrew Finney is most appreciative of the love and support he shares with his wife, Audrey, and their two sons, Barrett and Bryson; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Finney truly epitomizes the ideal pharmacist and businessman who is wholly devoted to meeting the healthcare needs of his customers while providing them with the highest quality customer service, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend Andrew Finney for his laudable and astute service to the people of Tennessee, salute his professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish him all the best in his future endeavors.

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

ADOPTED: March 7, 2011



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE