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3 By Representative Lindsey
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5 First Read: 16-SEP-15

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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MR. EDWARD MACKEY.

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10 WHEREAS, we note the death of Mr. Edward Mackey of
11 Leesburg, Alabama, on August 13, 2015, at 72 years of age with
12 deep sadness and regret; and

13 WHEREAS, the passing of Mr. Mackey leaves a void in
14 the lives of his loving family, many friends, and the entire
15 community, where he was highly regarded; and

16 WHEREAS, a native of Cherokee County, Alabama, he
17 was the son of the late Newman Edward and Elsie Tillery
18 Mackey, Sr.; and

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Mackey was serving his fourth term as
20 Mayor of Leesburg; he served as President of Lions Club and as
21 a member of the Chamber of Commerce; and

22 WHEREAS, Mr. Mackey was instrumental in reorganizing
23 the Leesburg Fire Department, where he served as Fire Chief
24 for eight years; and

25 WHEREAS, Mr. Mackey was a valued member of the
26 community; although his presence is greatly missed, his memory

1 is cherished in the hearts and minds of all those who were
2 fortunate enough to know him; now therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
4 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That while grieving the death of
5 Mr. Edward Mackey, we are extremely grateful for his abundant
6 life, and we offer this resolution in highest tribute to his
7 inspiring legacy, as well as in heartfelt sympathy to his
8 family and friends.