

# HR209 INTRODUCED



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2 By Representative Clarke  
3 RFD:  
4 First Read: 17-May-23  
5 2023 Regular Session



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HR\_\_\_\_\_ COMMENDING CALLOWAY-SMITH MIDDLE SCHOOL ORCHESTRA ON  
ITS OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, Calloway-Smith Middle School in Mobile, Alabama, has an extraordinary music program that helps students develop fine motor skills, and instills self-confidence and self-discipline, in addition to learning musical skills; and

WHEREAS, the Calloway-Smith Middle School Band has 90 members in grades 6, 7, and 8, and is directed by Ms. Barbara R. McMillian; and

WHEREAS, in 2022, the band's String Section competed in the Panama City Beach Musical Festival and received a Superior Rating and won a "Best in Class" Award; and

WHEREAS, the Panama City Beach Musical Festival is a regional band, orchestra and choral competition for middle and high schools; and

WHEREAS, on April 28, 2023, twenty-two members of Calloway-Smith Middle School Orchestra participated in the Festival, where they also received a Superior Rating and won a "Best of Show" Award; and

WHEREAS, the members of the String Section are Kelston Austin, Kristen Austin, Kyler Austin, Trinity Green, Jordan Johnson, Kendrell Pritchett and Mar'Kayla Scott; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Woodwind Section are



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29 JaKeyra Coleman, Ashlynn Cook-Scott, LaKristen Evans,  
30 A'Ziyah Johnson, Chelsi Nettles, Jasmine Rogers, Tomayah  
31 Sullivan-Montgomery and Jailon Withers; and

32 WHEREAS, the members of the Percussion Section are  
33 Jabar Armstrong, Bryce Bason, Justice Ford, Curtasia Green,  
34 Michaela Holcombe and Joshua White; and

35 WHEREAS, Jaylen O'Neal represented the Brass Section  
36 at the Festival; now therefore,

37 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
38 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the Calloway-Smith Middle  
39 School Orchestra is hereby acknowledged and commended for  
40 its outstanding achievements.