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3 By Representative Merrill
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8 COMMENDING ERIN WIGGINS ON HER OUTSTANDING
9 ACHIEVEMENT OF RECEIVING THE 2013 STATE TRAIL WORKER AWARD FOR
10 ALABAMA.

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12 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
13 are herein proudly presented to Erin Wiggins on her
14 outstanding achievement of receiving the 2013 State Trail
15 Worker Award for Alabama; and

16 WHEREAS, the State Trail Worker Award recognizes an
17 individual who has demonstrated outstanding contributions and
18 provided consistent support for trail planning, development,
19 or maintenance and honors the commitment and efforts of a
20 private or public sector individual working for enhanced trail
21 recreation; and

22 WHEREAS, Erin has contributed exceptional direction
23 as the Community Planning and Development Manager for the
24 Tuscaloosa County Park and Recreation Authority (PARA), where
25 she has been employed since 1999; and

26 WHEREAS, she is a staunch supporter of trail
27 development in the Tuscaloosa County area and is a recreation

1 planner, who also spends a lot of time involved in
2 hands-on-project work; since June 2010, she has been involved
3 in recreational trail projects including the Queen City
4 National Recreation Trail, the Faucett Brothers Park Multi-Use
5 Trail, the PARA Trail Equipment Bank, and the Sokol Park Pump
6 Track; and

7 WHEREAS, in addition, Erin has supported the
8 National Recreation Trails Program, been very active in
9 planning and designing Alabama's 2013-2018 Statewide
10 Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP), and has been
11 involved in rebuilding areas affected by the tragic tornado of
12 April 27, 2011; and

13 WHEREAS, Erin's hard work, diligence, and
14 stewardship of trails reflects immense honor upon the entire
15 State of Alabama, and she is truly deserving of the
16 significant honor bestowed upon her; now therefore,

17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
18 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Erin Wiggins is highly
19 honored and commended, and this resolution is provided to her
20 in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with sincere
21 best wishes for continued success in all future endeavors.