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HR 1029

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5 By: Representative Vaught

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 RECOGNIZING NATIONAL FFA WEEK.

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11 **Subtitle**

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15 WHEREAS, the National FFA Organization (“FFA”) and agricultural
16 education provide a strong foundation for the youth of America and the future
17 of the food, fiber, and natural resources systems; and

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19 WHEREAS, the Arkansas FFA Association officers and the National FFA
20 Organization officers serve as role models who inspire and encourage members
21 to achieve premier leadership, personal growth, and career success; and

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23 WHEREAS, the Arkansas FFA Association currently has 15,055 members,
24 with 208 local chapters and 278 advisors; and

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26 WHEREAS, agricultural education and the FFA ensure a steady supply of
27 young professionals to meet the growing demands in the science, business, and
28 technology of agriculture; and

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30 WHEREAS, the FFA motto, "Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to
31 Live, Living to Serve", gives direction and purpose to these students who
32 actively pursue excellence in agricultural education; and

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34 WHEREAS, the FFA promotes citizenship, volunteerism, patriotism, and
35 cooperation; and

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1 WHEREAS, National FFA Week is celebrated February 18 through 25, 2017,

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NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

 THAT the House of Representatives recognize the importance and positive work of the National FFA Organization, commend the Arkansas FFA Association officers and the National FFA Organization officers for their leadership, and recognize February 18 through February 25, 2017, as National FFA Week.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon adoption of this resolution, an appropriate copy be provided to the Arkansas FFA Association and the National FFA Organization by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.