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A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

<u>23-195</u>

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

November 5, 2019

To recognize and honor Alysha Butler as the 2019 National History Teacher of The Year.

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler is a social studies teacher at McKinley Technology High School located in Ward 5 of the District of Columbia;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler serves as the District Course Chair for 2019;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler is a recipient of the 2019 Daughters of the American Revolution Outstanding Teacher of United States History award;

WHEREAS, in 2019, Alysha Butler received a grant from the GrantEd Foundation, an organization that helps teachers to provide their students with the best opportunities and experiences;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler was selected as the 2010 Miramar High School Teacher of the Year;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler was awarded the Gilder Lehrman Institute's 2019 Teacher of the Year Award;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler is a master teacher creating lesson plans through diverse themes and literature which connects her students to real world experiences;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler is known to use a variety of strategic instructional techniques supporting student's curiosity and imagination while relating the past to the present;

WHEREAS, Alysha Butler is known to execute such teaching tools such as: Socratic seminar, role playing, editorial writing, and *Griot* as she introduces events and people who had an impact on historical occurrences;

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WHEREAS, Alysha Butler uses best practices through innovative technology while successfully engaging students to understand historic times.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Alysha Butler Recognition Resolution of 2019".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia recognizes and honors "Alysha Butler as the 2019 National History Teacher of the Year";

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in the District of Columbia Register.