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*Whereas, In 1941, Floyd I. McMurray came to southern Indiana to establish an extension center for the Extension Division of Indiana University to meet the growing need for defense and war training as well as to offer additional collegiate courses;*

*Whereas, In July 1941, the Extension Division of Indiana University selected Jeffersonville as the site, and the Indiana University Board of Trustees gave its formal approval for a new extension center;*

*Whereas, In 1968, the Indiana University Jeffersonville Extension Center became Indiana University Southeast, and in 1973 the campus was relocated to its present-day location in New Albany;*

*Whereas, Indiana University Southeast, now one of eight Indiana University campuses, is located on a scenic 180-acre campus less than 15 minutes from downtown Louisville, Kentucky;*

*Whereas, Indiana University Southeast serves nine Indiana counties and five Kentucky counties, through a tuition reciprocity agreement, houses approximately 400 students in its five residence halls, and has more than 100 student organizations, seven NAIA athletic teams, and more than 6,000 enrolled students, and employs nearly 500 faculty*



members;

*Whereas, Since its founding, Indiana University Southeast has grown from an Indiana University extension center to a comprehensive Masters I institution with more than 50 graduate and undergraduate programs;*

*Whereas, The overall economic impact of Indiana University Southeast on the state of Indiana is \$124.4 million; the total employment impact of Indiana University Southeast in the state of Indiana is 1,476 jobs; Indiana University Southeast generates nearly \$6.5 million per year in state and local tax revenue; and Indiana University Southeast faculty, staff, and students generate more than an estimated \$7.8 million in additional impact through annual charitable donations and volunteer services;*

*Whereas, Indiana University Southeast faculty produced more than 125 publications, approximately 200 presentations, and 100 performances or exhibits in 2015, including efforts surrounding the internationally recognized Shyness Research Institute, and the Educational Leadership Program, which is the only nationally recognized program of its kind in this region;*

*Whereas, Indiana University Southeast has been named one of the top universities in Indiana for student-teacher ratio and service to future military members, being ranked 9th and 4th respectively by The College Database;*

*Whereas, Indiana University Southeast graduated 1,053 students in 2015, of which 37.5 percent were the first in their families to attain an undergraduate degree; and*

*Whereas, The Indiana University Southeast athletics department is committed to fostering the development of student athletes on the field and in the classroom; more than 50 percent of Indiana University Southeast student athletes have earned a 3.0 grade point average or higher; many student athletes have been named to the Athletic Director's Honor Roll multiple times; and Grenadier teams have earned Indiana University Southeast the Commissioner's Cup as the top athletic department in the Kentucky Intercollegiate*



*Athletic Conference five times in the last seven seasons:  
Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates  
2           Indiana University Southeast on the occasion of the 75th anniversary  
3           of its founding.

4           SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of  
5           Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Chancellor Ray  
6           Wallace.

