

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 753

By Farmer

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Sarah McCue on her selection as the 2014 Jefferson County Grades 5-8 Teacher of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Sarah McCue is one such estimable educator who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Ms. McCue was recently selected as the 2014 Jefferson County Grades 5-8 Teacher of the Year, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher, as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, a Special Education K-5 math teacher at Dandridge Elementary School, Ms. McCue has been teaching Special Education in Jefferson County Schools for twelve years; and

WHEREAS, Sarah McCue has held multiple leadership positions, including roles such as presenter on the use of Envision math in resource rooms, mentor to a first year teacher, Special Education coordinator, presenter at Carson Newman College, and the department chair at Jefferson County High School; and

WHEREAS, Ms. McCue believes in the abilities of every one of her students and emphasizes the importance of hard work and perseverance; and

WHEREAS, Sarah McCue's outstanding dedication to her students was also recognized when she received the Jefferson County Grades 5-8 Teacher of the Year Award in 2007-2008; and

WHEREAS, Ms. McCue truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, Sarah McCue epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest values of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Sarah McCue on being chosen as the 2014 Jefferson County Grades 5-8 Teacher of the Year, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.