

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 761

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Abigail Bellamy upon her top five ranking in the 2012 graduating class at Cherokee High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Abigail Bellamy is one such exceptional student who recently ranked in the top five of the 2012 graduating class at Cherokee High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Bellamy has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Abigail Bellamy has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in several scholastic and extracurricular activities, including the school's spring musicals, volleyball, Concert Choir, Heritage Lites, and Beta Club, among others; and

WHEREAS, her estimable leadership skills and athletic prowess have enabled her to serve her fellow students as the Co-Captain of the Cherokee High School Volleyball Team; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her singular achievements, Ms. Bellamy was included in *Cherokee High School's Who's Who*; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bellamy's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Lincoln Memorial University, where she plans to major in elementary education and then pursue her master's degree in guidance and counseling; and

WHEREAS, Abigail Bellamy's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Barry and Shannon Bellamy, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that Abigail Bellamy, 2012 Cherokee High School Top Five graduate, be commended and honored on her impressive academic achievement. We extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

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