

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1003

By Bailey

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Karen Bradley Shanks upon being named the Cumberland County Republican Women's Club Woman of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those estimable public servants who have dedicated themselves to improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, always evincing the greatest integrity and probity in each of her chosen endeavors, Karen Bradley Shanks is one such laudable individual who was recently named Woman of the Year by the Cumberland County Republican Women's Club; and

WHEREAS, born and raised in Crossville, Tennessee, Mrs. Shanks taught first grade for Cumberland County Schools for thirty-eight years; and

WHEREAS, Karen Bradley Shanks and her husband of over thirty years, John Shanks, have three children, Amy and husband, Joe; Liz and husband, Monty; and Johnny and wife, Portia; and six grandchildren with a seventh on the way; and

WHEREAS, Karen Bradley Shanks is wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the "Volunteer State," 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 Karen Bradley Shanks upon being named Cumberland County Republican Women's Club Woman of the Year and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

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