

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1267

By Hicks

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brannon Ragsdale, a
2018 Top Ten Senior of Volunteer 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, Brannon Ragsdale is one such exceptional student, who was recently named a Top Ten Senior of the 2018 graduating class at Volunteer High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Brannon Ragsdale earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including marching band, concert band, jazz band, the Leadership Team, East Tennessee School Band and Orchestra Association senior clinic band, Tennessee Technological University honor band, and East Tennessee State University honor band; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ragsdale also participated in American Legion Boys State and the Holston Electric Youth Leadership Summit; and

WHEREAS, his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Brannon Ragsdale's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Warren and Cynthia Ragsdale, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ragsdale's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED

TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE
CONCURRING, that we commend and honor Brannon Ragsdale upon being named a 2018
Top Ten Senior at Volunteer High School, salute his impressive academic achievement, and
extend to him 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.