## **HOUSE RESOLUTION 361**

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A RESOLUTION to recognize Shirley Reed on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, Shirley Reed is one such estimable person who has served with distinction for seventeen years as the secretary for Auburn School; she will be taking a much-deserved retirement this year; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Reed worked assiduously in customer service at Colonial for twelve years before embarking upon her career at Auburn School, where she began as a substitute teacher; she served in this capacity for many years before becoming secretary; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Reed is an active and important part of her community and her profession, participating in numerous worthy organizations; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Reed also contributes her time and numerous talents to Hampton Cross Road Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, she exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, she is perhaps proudest of the love and support she shares with her sons and daughters-in-law, Michael and Susan Davenport and Gary and Sancy Davenport, as well as her seven grandchildren, one great-grandchild, three sisters, and two brothers; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Shirley Reed has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we extend to Shirley Reed our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success 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.

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