

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 49

By Crowe

A RESOLUTION to recognize Dr. Teresa M. Kidd on the occasion of her retirement.

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

WHEREAS, Dr. Teresa M. Kidd is one such estimable person, who has served with distinction in clinical and senior leadership roles for more than thirty-six years and who will be taking her well-deserved retirement on February 1, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Kidd is the president and chief executive officer of Frontier Health; she previously served as senior vice president of operations and senior vice president of Tennessee outpatient services, overseeing all Tennessee adult, children, and youth outpatient services; and

WHEREAS, a licensed psychologist, Dr. Teresa Kidd received her Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, an effective advocate for those who cannot always speak for themselves, Dr. Kidd is a member of the Northeast Tennessee Regional Health Council; she served as chair of the Greene County Health Council for more than twenty years and is currently a board member of the Tennessee Association of Mental Health Organizations; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Teresa Kidd exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Dr. Teresa Kidd has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we extend to Dr. Teresa M. Kidd 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.