

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 243

By McNally

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Amanda and Neil Evans upon being named the 2020 Anderson County Farmers of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should specially recognize those outstanding citizens of our State who have committed themselves to sustaining the natural resources of Tennessee in a manner that provides economic enrichment while preserving valuable resources; and

WHEREAS, Amanda and Neil Evans are two such individuals, who were recently recognized as the 2020 Farmers of the Year by the Anderson County Soil Conservation District, a most befitting honor, as it recognizes their dedication to sustainable agriculture; and

WHEREAS, the wife-and-husband team owns and operates Clinch River Stables, formerly known as Vannoy Dairy Farm, just outside of Norris; and

WHEREAS, Clinch River Stables officially opened in 2015 and has partnered with the Anderson County Soil Conservation District several times throughout the years; early projects included high tensil cross fencing and watering facilities; and

WHEREAS, the success of Clinch River Stables is a great source of pride not only for Amanda and Neil Evans, but also for Amanda's parents, Brad and Glenia Vannoy; and

WHEREAS, Amanda and Neil Evans have been committed to preserving this State's natural resources through conservation farming for six years now, and they are most assuredly deserving of recognition; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we congratulate Amanda and Neil Evans upon being named the 2020

Anderson County Farmers of the Year, extending to them and Clinch River Stables our gratitude for their contributions to this State and our best wishes for much continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.