

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1350

By Haile

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Heather Whitaker on her selection as the 2023–2024 Sumner County Schools Assistant Principal of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding citizens who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Heather Whitaker is one such estimable administrator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, the assistant principal of Ellis Middle School, Ms. Whitaker has been selected as the 2023–2024 Sumner County Schools Assistant Principal of the Year, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as an assistant principal, as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, with a fourteen-year career in education, Ms. Whitaker is an extremely talented and compassionate administrator who works assiduously to motivate her students, teachers, and staff to reach their full potential as scholars, professionals, and citizens; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Sumner County Schools, Ms. Whitaker truly serves as an inspiration to the faculty and staff at Ellis Middle School, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Whitaker truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated assistant principal who is wholly committed to the highest precepts of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Heather

Whitaker on being chosen as the 2023–2024 Sumner County Schools Assistant Principal of the Year, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.