

SENATE RESOLUTION 89

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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Weston Wamp of Chattanooga to the Tennessee board of regents.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides for the creation of the Tennessee board of regents; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, further provides that the governor shall appoint twelve members to the Tennessee board of regents; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Weston Wamp of Chattanooga to the Tennessee board of regents as a member representing the 3rd Congressional District to a term that will expire on June 30, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wamp is a senior political strategist for the nonpartisan organization Issue One; as a member of the founding team of technology incubator Lamp Post Group and a cofounder and principal of Dynamo Fund, Mr. Wamp has played a significant role in Chattanooga's transformation into a hub of innovation and entrepreneurship; and

WHEREAS, he has also served as an advisor and consultant to high growth national companies, leading communications, marketing, and public affairs strategies on their behalf; and

WHEREAS, a 2009 graduate of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Mr. Wamp is a member of the Chattanooga Young Life Committee and has chaired an annual fundraiser for Young Life for five consecutive years; he is a former member of the board of directors of the AIM Center; and

WHEREAS, Weston Wamp is a person of integrity and an active citizen whose benevolence, acumen, and strong commitment to public service have helped to enhance the well-being of this State and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the Tennessee board of regents shall be confirmed by the senate; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that this body does hereby confirm the appointment of Weston Wamp to the Tennessee board of regents for a term that will expire on June 30, 2023.