

SENATE RESOLUTION 220

By Lamar

A RESOLUTION to honor Dr. Sharon Dixon Gentry in celebration of Women's Day on the Hill.

WHEREAS, Women's Day on the Hill is a time to honor the achievements of those Tennessee women who have paved the way for every person to have the opportunity to pursue the American dream; and

WHEREAS, the Volunteer State is proud to be the home of the awe-inspiring Dr. Sharon Dixon Gentry, who serves as a member of the Metropolitan Nashville Board of Public Education, representing District 1; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gentry currently serves as Assistant Vice President of Education Development and Partnerships at HCA Healthcare; she has enjoyed a diverse professional career that has included positions within the oil industry, health care, and education fields; and

WHEREAS, a highly respected community leader, Dr. Gentry serves on a number of executive boards and advising panels; and

WHEREAS, she has served as a member of the Metropolitan Nashville Board of Public Education since 2008, and she holds advanced degrees in physics, chemistry, and engineering; and

WHEREAS, aside from her many professional accomplishments, Dr. Gentry is most grateful for the love and support of her two beloved daughters; and

WHEREAS, in saluting Dr. Sharon Gentry on this special occasion, let us remember that when women succeed, America succeeds, as does Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend

Dr. Sharon Dixon Gentry on her many contributions to the State of Tennessee as we celebrate Women's Day on the Hill.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.