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3 By Representative McClammy
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8 COMMENDING BARBARA COLLINS SAWYER: PROFESSIONAL
9 ACHIEVEMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, we note with appreciation that Barbara
12 Collins Sawyer has announced her retirement from the
13 Montgomery City-County Public Library effective April 30,
14 2010; and

15 WHEREAS, a graduate of Alabama State University with
16 a master's degree from Appalachian State University, she
17 worked for over three decades as a classroom teacher and
18 school librarian prior to her retirement from the Montgomery
19 Public School system in 2000; she has been with the Montgomery
20 City-County Public Library ever since; and

21 WHEREAS, she is the devoted mother of sons Brian
22 (Tarra) and Jawara (Octavia) and doting grandmother to three
23 granddaughters, with whom she plans to spend a great deal of
24 time after her retirement; and

25 WHEREAS, she is an active member of Beulah Baptist
26 Church and Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, devoting countless
27 hours of her free time to service with both; and

1 WHEREAS, her years of selfless public service are
2 worthy of our highest praise; now therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
4 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we commend and congratulate
5 Barbara Collins Sawyer on the occasion of her retirement from
6 the Montgomery City-County Public Library and that, by copy of
7 this resolution, we extend our warm best wishes for every
8 future success and happiness.