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3 By Representative Sanderford
4 RFD: Rules
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8 RECOGNIZING THE HUNTSVILLE MADISON COUNTY BUILDERS
9 ASSOCIATION.

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11 WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Alabama has
12 mandated a statewide energy conservation plan and the Madison
13 County Legislative delegation has observed an unprecedented
14 spirit of cooperation between the three jurisdictions which
15 inspect in Madison County: The City of Huntsville, the City of
16 Madison, and Madison County; and

17 WHEREAS, Madison County is the only county in the
18 Great State of Alabama which is enforcing the Alabama Energy
19 Code uniformly between the aforementioned governmental
20 entities; and

21 WHEREAS, this rare and highly commendable
22 cooperation is focused totally upon the betterment of the
23 Citizens of Alabama who reside in Madison County; and

24 WHEREAS, the leadership of these jurisdictions came
25 together for the greater good and worked as one entity to
26 provide the best possible service to their citizens; and

1 WHEREAS, all new residential homes will be compliant
2 with the Alabama Energy Code thereby reducing the consumption
3 of valuable natural resources in Alabama and creating more
4 disposable income for the purchase of durable goods thereby
5 helping the local retail economy to prosper; and

6 WHEREAS, the Huntsville Madison County Builders
7 Association worked tirelessly to educate its members and the
8 general public of Madison County about the Alabama Energy
9 Code; and

10 WHEREAS, this Association, along with its partners
11 at Huntsville Utilities, was the driving force behind the
12 development and implementation of this program after almost 16
13 months of development and testing; and

14 WHEREAS, the implementation process of the Alabama
15 Energy Code developed by the Huntsville Madison County
16 Builders Association, Huntsville Utilities, Mayor Tommy
17 Battle, Madison County Commission Chairman Dale Strong, and
18 Mayor Troy Trulock should be considered as a statewide model
19 of cooperation and collaboration; now therefore,

20 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
21 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That our sincere appreciation is
22 offered to The Huntsville Madison County Builders Association,
23 Huntsville Utilities, the City of Huntsville, the City of
24 Madison, and Madison County for their tireless efforts on
25 behalf of the citizens of Madison County and the Great State
26 of Alabama.