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8 RECOGNIZING PARKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN CULLMAN
9 COUNTY FOR RECEIVING THE INTERNATIONAL READING ASSOCIATION'S
10 EXEMPLARY READING PROGRAM AWARD.

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12 WHEREAS, it is with great pride and appreciation
13 that we recognize Cullman County's Parkside Elementary School
14 for its being awarded the prestigious International Reading
15 Association's (IRA) Exemplary Reading Program Award for the
16 State of Alabama; and

17 WHEREAS, the IRA award is designed to recognize
18 outstanding reading and language arts programs at all grade
19 levels; and

20 WHEREAS, Principal Richard Orr credits the talented
21 and hard working students, parents, the dedicated teaching
22 staff, and the school administrators for the team effort
23 required to achieve this great honor; and

24 WHEREAS, Parkside School administrators recently
25 surprised the teaching staff with a celebratory lunch at
26 Sicilian Italian Restaurant in Arab in appreciation for their
27 contributions to the success of their students; and

1 WHEREAS, IRA will formally honor Parkside Elementary
2 at its May 9, 2014, annual convention in New Orleans,
3 Louisiana; now therefore,

4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
5 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we hereby recognize and
6 commend the students, parents, teachers, and administrators of
7 Parkside Elementary School for receiving the IRA Exemplary
8 Reading Program Award for the State of Alabama.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this
10 resolution be presented to Parkside Principal Richard Orr for
11 proper placement within the school.