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8 SJR _____ COMMENDING COACH WILLIAM BOOTH FOR PROFESSIONAL
9 ACHIEVEMENT AND DEDICATED SERVICE.

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11 WHEREAS, it is with highest commendation that Coach
12 William Booth is recognized for his distinguished record of
13 professional achievement and dedicated service to Hartselle
14 City Schools and its baseball program; and

15 WHEREAS, Coach Booth is a Hartselle, Alabama, native
16 who has a 51-year tenure as an educator; and

17 WHEREAS, he became head coach of the Hartselle High
18 School baseball team in 1988, winning four state championships
19 in his first seven years and eight State championships
20 overall; and

21 WHEREAS, with a win over Madison Academy on March
22 10, 2017, Coach Booth reached a milestone 1,000th career win;
23 and

24 WHEREAS, his many coaching accomplishments include
25 producing 8 professional league players, winning 20 Area 15
26 championships, and coaching 101 players who have received
27 college scholarships; and

1 WHEREAS, in addition to coaching baseball, Coach
2 Booth has taught math for 49 years, served as transportation
3 coordinator 26 years, and served 5 years as federal programs
4 coordinator and assistant principal; and

5 WHEREAS, under the leadership of Coach Booth, team
6 members leave the program with a strong work ethic, a
7 competitive drive, and pride in their accomplishments; now
8 therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
10 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Coach William Booth is highly
11 honored and commended, and this resolution is offered to him
12 in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with sincere
13 best wishes for continued success in all future endeavors.