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8 RECOGNIZING BRIE EVANS ON HER SELECTION AS A 2018  
9 YOUNG HERO OF ALABAMA.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations  
12 are herein proudly presented to Brie Evans on her outstanding  
13 achievement of being selected as a 2018 Young Hero of Alabama;  
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15 WHEREAS, the Young Heroes Program, presented by  
16 Alabama Public Television, recognizes students in grades 9-12  
17 who have excelled in academics, given of themselves through  
18 public service, overcome adversity, or inspired others through  
19 deeds and strength of character; and

20 WHEREAS, Brie is an outstanding student at West  
21 Morgan High School in Trinity, Alabama; she is a shining  
22 example of excellence in scholarship and service; and

23 WHEREAS, few could imagine the obstacles she has  
24 already faced in her young life with her parents divorcing  
25 when she was very young and her father suffering through an  
26 addiction problem that eventually led to his incarceration,  
27 but Brie has excelled in academics, athletics, and service,

1 maintaining a 4.0 grade point average, playing varsity  
2 volleyball and basketball, and participating in numerous clubs  
3 and organizations in her school; and

4 WHEREAS, Brie was selected as a recipient of the Joe  
5 Wheeler Youth Tour scholarship and she received the Better  
6 Business Bureau's Torch Award Scholarship based on an essay  
7 she wrote on the importance of ethics in the workplace; she  
8 has also been nominated for the Bryant-Jordan Scholarship and  
9 the state Elks Foundation Most Valuable Student; Brie hopes to  
10 become a veterinarian and volunteers at a local veterinarian's  
11 office when she is not busy with athletics; and

12 WHEREAS, she enjoys volunteering for her church's  
13 Vacation Bible School program and has spent two summers  
14 working with Builders for Christ, an organization that helps  
15 churches build needed structures at a low cost; she also  
16 participated in Young Minds at Work, a STEM education program  
17 offered by Lockheed Martin of Huntsville; and

18 WHEREAS, those close to Brie admire her for her  
19 impressive character, her kind heart, and her strong moral  
20 compass, which shine through everyday; and

21 WHEREAS, a worthy role model for countless young  
22 Alabamians, Brie espouses the meritorious characteristics of  
23 the Young Heroes Program, and she is truly deserving of  
24 special commendation and praise; now therefore,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
26 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Brie Evans is honored and  
27 commended, and this resolution is offered to her in highest

1       tribute and with heartiest congratulations, as well as with  
2       sincere best wishes for continued success in all future  
3       endeavors.