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3 By Senator Gudger
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5 First Read: 16-APR-19

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4 ENROLLED, SJR40,

5 RECOGNIZING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF FIRST BAPTIST
6 CHURCH OF FAIRVIEW, ALABAMA.

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8 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
9 are extended to First Baptist Church of Fairview, Alabama,
10 located in Cullman County, on celebrating its 100th
11 Anniversary on April 14, 2019; and

12 WHEREAS, First Baptist Church of Fairview began
13 under a brush arbor in 1919 as the Missionary Baptist Church
14 of Christ of Concord at Fairview; and

15 WHEREAS, the church meets the spiritual needs of the
16 Fairview area as well as meeting many of the physical needs by
17 providing shelter during storms, coat drives in the winter,
18 special music and other spiritual and cultural programs, and
19 good food for the community multiple times throughout the
20 year; and

21 WHEREAS, in the late 1990s, the current pastor, Dr.
22 David Chambers and church leaders organized a patriotic
23 festival at the community park in cooperation with other area
24 churches, local businesses, and the town of Fairview; the
25 festival has become a community tradition, attracting large

1 crowds to the annual event, which includes a tremendous
2 fireworks display; now therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
4 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we honor and commend First
5 Baptist Church of Fairview on the occasion of its 100th
6 Anniversary, and this resolution is offered to the remarkable
7 church in highest tribute as well as with sincere best wishes
8 for continued success in all future endeavors.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

Patrick Harris,
Secretary.

House of Representatives
Adopted: 25-APR-19

By: Senator Gudger