

**HJR21 ENROLLED**



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2 9U6LMPM-2  
3 By Representative Hall  
4 RFD: Rules  
5 First Read: 04-Feb-25



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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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3 COMMENDING THE GFWC ALABAMA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS FOR  
4 PUBLIC SERVICE.

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6 WHEREAS, it is with great pride and pleasure that we  
7 commend the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs in  
8 recognition of its dedicated public service; and

9 WHEREAS, organized in 1895, the Alabama Federation of  
10 Women's Clubs (GFWC Alabama) was chartered into the  
11 international organization General Federation of Women's  
12 Clubs (GFWC) in 1907; for 130 years, GFWC Alabama has worked  
13 to address the most pressing needs of our communities, the  
14 state, our nation, and globally; and

15 WHEREAS, the 50 clubs and 1,200 members located in  
16 communities throughout the State of Alabama develop  
17 outstanding programs and projects to address common issues  
18 and concerns; some of the areas addressed through programs  
19 and projects include access to and support of the arts,  
20 education and libraries, natural resources preservation,  
21 support of veterans, public and individual health and  
22 wellness, child advocacy, and citizenship; and

23 WHEREAS, the establishment of scholarships and  
24 libraries have been major focus areas for GFWC Alabama and  
25 local clubs; GFWC Alabama has been actively involved in the  
26 GFWC Signature Program, Domestic and Sexual Violence  
27 Awareness and Prevention; and

28 WHEREAS, GFWC Alabama is an organization made up of



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29 women from all walks of life and across generations who have  
30 a common goal of enhancing the lives of others through  
31 volunteer service; in this process, members grow in their  
32 understanding of issues and are enriched through their  
33 service further developing their talents and skills while  
34 establishing lifelong connections; and

35 WHEREAS, the theme for the 2024-26 administration is  
36 "Living the Volunteer Spirit - Compassion in Action"; the  
37 President's Special Project is "Mental Health Matters" and  
38 focuses on increasing awareness about mental health concerns  
39 and striving to end the stigma associated with mental health  
40 illnesses while promoting the resources available in local  
41 communities, the state, and our nation; and

42 WHEREAS, the 130th Annual Convention of the GFWC  
43 Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs is being held April  
44 25-27, 2025, at the Montgomery Marriott Prattville Hotel and  
45 Conference Center at Capitol Hill where members will discuss  
46 common concerns, hear from experts in their fields, and  
47 conduct the business necessary to allow this organization to  
48 continue its 130-year legacy of enhancing the lives of  
49 others; now therefore,

50 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
51 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the Alabama Federation of  
52 Women's Clubs, which is comprised of thousands of women who  
53 have given of their time, talent, and resources, is honored  
54 and commended in recognition of its dedicated public service  
55 to this state over the past 130 years.



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56           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution is  
57 offered in highest esteem by Senators Tom Butler, Arthur  
58 Orr, Sam Givhan, Steve Livingston, and Wes Kitchens, and  
59 Representatives Laura Hall, Rex Reynolds, Marilyn Lands,  
60 Parker Moore, Andy Whitt, James Lomax, Ritchie Whorton,  
61 Phillip Rigsby, and Anthony Daniels.



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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in  
and was passed by the House 13-Feb-25.

John Treadwell  
Clerk

Senate

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**25-Feb-25**

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Adopted