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4 Blackshear, Bolton, Boyd, Bracy, Brinyark, Brown, Butler,
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7 England, Ensler, Estes, Faulkner, Fidler, Fincher, Forte,
8 Garrett, Gidley, Givan, Givens, Gray, Hall, Hammett, Harbison,
9 Harrison, Hassell, Hendrix, Hill, Holk-Jones, Hollis, Hulsey,
10 Hurst, Ingram, Jackson, Jones, Kiel, Kirkland, Lamb, Lands,
11 Lawrence, Mr.Speaker, Lee, Lipscomb, Lomax, Lovvorn, Marques,
12 McCampbell, McClammy, Mooney, Moore (M), Moore (P), Morris,
13 Oliver, Paramore, Paschal, Pettus, Pringle, Rafferty, Rehm,
14 Reynolds, Rigsby, Robbins, Robertson, Ross, Sellers, Sells,
15 Shaver, Shaw, Shedd, Shirey, Simpson, Smith, Sorrells,
16 Standridge, Starnes, Stringer, Stubbs, Tillman, Travis,
17 Treadaway, Underwood, Wadsworth, Warren, Whitt, Whorton,
18 Wilcox, Wood (D), Wood (R), Woods, Yarbrough

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HJR_____ CONGRATULATING REPRESENTATIVE RANDALL SHEDD ON HIS YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure, highest commendations are conveyed to Representative Randall Shedd for his constant and unwavering service to the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Randall Shedd started his journey at Wallace State Community College; following his graduation, he served as the Director of the Cullman County Commission on Aging; from 1977 to 1985, he diligently led the Cullman County Commission as its Chair; after his terms as chair and as a testament to his leadership abilities, he was elected Mayor of his hometown of Fairview in 1996 and served four terms until 2012; and

WHEREAS, in late 2012, the District 11 seat, representing Blount and Cullman Counties, in the Alabama House of Representatives was vacated; having already proven his ability to serve his local community, Randall Shedd was elected to fill the position in a special election; Representative Shedd was sworn in as a member of the Alabama House of Representatives on April 11, 2013, and has dutifully served since; and

WHEREAS, Representative Shedd has held many positions while serving in the Legislature; he is a member of the



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29 Legislative Council, the Joint Transportation Committee, the
30 Permanent Joint Legislative Committee on Energy Policy, the
31 Children and Senior Advocacy Committee, and the Sunset
32 Committee; and

33 WHEREAS, Representative Shedd quickly earned the
34 respect and trust of his peers, evidenced by his many
35 leadership positions in the Legislature; he is the Majority
36 Whip in the Alabama House of Representatives and serves as
37 Chair of the House Republican Steering Committee and the
38 House Transportation, Utilities and Infrastructure
39 Committee; and Cochair of the Alabama Digital Expansion
40 Authority and the Alabama Rural Broadband Oversight
41 Committee; and

42 WHEREAS, never one to be idle, Representative Shedd
43 serves as an officer in the House Rural Caucus and a member
44 of the Sportsmen Caucus and TVA Caucus; in recognition of
45 his character and strong work ethic, his fellow Republican
46 Caucus members found it proper to bestow upon him the 2024
47 Iron Award, an award given to a GOP representative whose
48 words, deeds, and actions build teamwork and help colleagues
49 reach their full potential; and

50 WHEREAS, Randall Shedd will freely admit that his
51 greatest accomplishment in life is his family; he and his
52 wife, Debbie, have two sons and two grandchildren; Randall
53 and Debbie are members of Welcome Baptist Church; and

54 WHEREAS, known for his tireless and unwavering
55 service to the residents of Alabama, Representative Shedd is
56 the epitome of fairness, honesty, and professionalism; this



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57 body knows that his dedication to the people of Alabama will
58 not end when he crosses the threshold of the State House;
59 rather, the commendations within this resolution are given
60 with the knowledge that he will continue serving his fellow
61 Alabamians for many days; now therefore,

62 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
63 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Representative Randall Shedd
64 is hereby commended and recognized for his outstanding
65 service to the people of House District 11 and the State of
66 Alabama, and with sincere gratitude for his valuable
67 contributions to this body, this resolution is offered with
68 utmost respect to him, along with best wishes for all future
69 endeavors.