

**HJR140 ENROLLED**



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2 SLDQH75-2  
3 By Representative Wilcox  
4 RFD: Rules  
5 First Read: 17-Feb-26



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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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3 CONGRATULATING ELAINE SESSIONS ON BEING NAMED THE SOUTHWEST  
4 MOBILE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR.

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6 WHEREAS, it is with great pride and distinct pleasure  
7 that we recognize and commend Elaine Sessions on being named  
8 the 2025 Citizen of the Year by the Southwest Mobile County  
9 Chamber of Commerce, an honor reflecting her extraordinary  
10 dedication to service and her steadfast commitment to  
11 improving the lives of others; and

12 WHEREAS, Elaine Sessions exemplifies the highest  
13 ideals of citizenship; as a respected professional,  
14 compassionate servant leader, and tireless advocate for her  
15 community, she has consistently gone above and beyond to be  
16 a source of light, leadership, and encouragement throughout  
17 Mobile County; and

18 WHEREAS, this distinguished award recognizes not only  
19 her decades of professional excellence but also her lifelong  
20 devotion to community service; an associate broker with  
21 Roberts Brothers Realtors, Elaine Sessions has devoted 48  
22 years to the real estate profession; she began her career  
23 while teaching high school in Grand Bay and Theodore and  
24 later taught real estate classes for more than 35 years,  
25 shaping and mentoring countless professionals; today, she  
26 continues to lead and inspire a successful team of agents,  
27 generously sharing her knowledge and experience with others  
28 in the field; and



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29           WHEREAS, Elaine Sessions' commitment to service  
30 extends well beyond her professional achievements; she  
31 faithfully serves on the board of McKemie Place, a homeless  
32 shelter for women, where she and her husband, Al, prepare  
33 weekly meals and provide clothing and essential items; their  
34 home often becomes a center for organizing donations for  
35 McKemie Place, Our Sisters' Closet, and the Tillman's Corner  
36 Homeless and Needy Outreach; she also assists in furnishing  
37 homes for residents transitioning into permanent housing,  
38 helping restore dignity and stability to those in need; and

39           WHEREAS, for more than a decade, Elaine Sessions has  
40 faithfully mentored a young woman, her "Little," through the  
41 Big Brothers Big Sisters of America program, guiding her  
42 from second grade through college graduation; she has  
43 further invested in young people by supporting  
44 career-shadowing opportunities and the T.A.L.L. Program, and  
45 by sponsoring Pearl Haskew Elementary School's Star Student  
46 program, encouraging academic achievement and responsible  
47 citizenship; and

48           WHEREAS, Elaine and Al Sessions graciously open their  
49 home to host a weekly Bible study, assist with monthly meals  
50 at the Ronald McDonald House Charities, and lend their  
51 support to numerous organizations, including St. Jude  
52 Children's Research Hospital, the Child Advocacy Center,  
53 Samaritan's Purse, Waterfront Rescue Mission, Seaman's  
54 Center, the Salvation Army, and the Alabama Baptist  
55 Children's Home; and

56           WHEREAS, as a devoted member of Dayspring Baptist



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57 Church, Elaine Sessions actively participates in the Women's  
58 Ministry and continually gives of her time, energy, and  
59 compassion to uplift and strengthen those around her; and

60 WHEREAS, Elaine Sessions' unwavering commitment to  
61 her community is matched only by her humility and  
62 generosity; whether volunteering, mentoring, fundraising, or  
63 offering a helping hand, she approaches every opportunity  
64 with sincerity and enthusiasm, inspiring all who know her to  
65 serve with the same spirit of excellence; now therefore,

66 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
67 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we hereby recognize and  
68 commend Elaine Sessions for her exemplary service and for  
69 being named the 2025 Southwest Mobile County Chamber of  
70 Commerce Citizen of the Year, and we extend to her our  
71 highest esteem and warmest wishes for continued success and  
72 abundant blessings in all future endeavors.

