**A** **SENATE RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE W. ANTHONY “TONY” MCDONALD OF COLUMBIA ON BEING NAMED RICHLAND COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AND TO WISH HIM WELL IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, the South Carolina Senate is pleased to learn that W. Anthony “Tony” McDonald of Columbia has been named Richland County Administrator, having taken up his duties in that post in January 2013; and

Whereas, a native of South Carolina, Tony McDonald holds a master of public administration and a bachelor’s degree in political science, both from the University of South Carolina; and

Whereas, Mr. McDonald has extensive experience in budget development, human resource management, economic development, and public works, and over the past twenty‑seven years has served Richland County with distinction in various positions, including as assistant county administrator; and

Whereas, during two terms of service as interim Richland County Administrator, he proved himself eminently worthy of succeeding to the post in a permanent capacity; and

Whereas, active in several professional organizations, he is a member of the American Society for Public Administration, South Carolina City and County Managers Association, South Carolina Managers, Administrators, and Supervisors Association and Government Finance Officers Association; and

Whereas, the Senate takes great pleasure in recognizing Tony McDonald on the occasion of his promotion to Richland County Administrator, and the members join in wishing him much success in the days ahead. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate:

That the members of the South Carolina Senate, by this resolution, congratulate W. Anthony “Tony” McDonald of Columbia on being named Richland County Administrator and wish him well in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be provided to Tony McDonald.

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