**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO COMMEND AND CONGRATULATE LAURA H. BAKER, BATES MIDDLE SCHOOL ART TEACHER, ON BEING AWARDED A DELTA KAPPA GAMMA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY GRANT AND TO WISH HER MUCH SUCCESS IN THE DAYS AHEAD.

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives is pleased to learn that Laura H. Baker, art teacher at Sumter’s Bates Middle School, has been awarded a Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Foundation Fiftieth Anniversary Grant; and

Whereas, one of fifty recipients chosen in the United States for this grant, which carries with it a one‑thousand‑dollar award, Ms. Baker will attend the Delta Kappa Gamma National Convention in Indianapolis this summer, at which time she will receive her well‑deserved check; and

Whereas, with two Sumter‑area chapters on its roll, Delta Kappa Gamma is a national educational sorority comprised of teachers, administrators, counselors, social workers, and retired teachers; and

Whereas, the House of Representatives, appreciative of her dedication and excellence as an educator, takes great pleasure in saluting Laura Baker on this outstanding achievement. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, commend and congratulate Laura H. Baker, Bates Middle School art teacher, on being awarded a Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Foundation Fiftieth Anniversary Grant and wish her much success in the days ahead.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be provided to Laura H. Baker.

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