**A** **SENATE RESOLUTION**

TO HONOR AND RECOGNIZE JAMES HILL UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT AND TO WISH HIM WELL IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, Mr. James Hill will retire on March 31, 2013, as Executive Director at Senior Options in Laurens County; and

Whereas, founded in 1972, Senior Options is a nonprofit agency that provides Laurens County’s senior adults with the services they need to live the most vital and rewarding lives possible and it is funded by federal, state, and local dollars from supporting agencies; and

Whereas, during James’ leadership from 2000 to 2013, just a few of his numerous accomplishments include increasing transportation and adult day health care programs, ensuring up-to-date computer and alarm systems, and beginning a capital campaign to increase financial resources; and

Whereas, James possesses an excellent work ethic, and no job is too small - whether it be repairing a client’s walker, doing yard work, or writing grants; and

Whereas, in order to save the agency training dollars, James became a registered instructor to train and certify the staff in CPR and First Aid; and

Whereas, each year James was instrumental in coordinating the Bi-Lo Charity Golf Classic at Musgrove Mill Golf Club - an event that provides tremendous support for programs at Senior Options; and

Whereas, James’ character, loyalty, and years of dedicated service have left an indelible impact on the people around him and he will be sorely missed. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate:

That the members of the Senate, by this resolution, honor and recognize James Hill upon the occasion of his retirement and wish him well in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. James Hill.

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