**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO COMMEND THE HONORABLE GREGORY D. “GREG” DUCKWORTH FOR HIS COMMITTED SERVICE TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE CITIZENS OF DISTRICT 104 IN HORRY COUNTY AND TO WISH HIM FULFILLMENT AND SUCCESS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, for four years, the Honorable Gregory D. “Greg” Duckworth has represented the citizens of House District 104 in Horry County with faithfulness in the House of Representatives of this great State; and

Whereas, the founder, owner, and landscape architect of Environmental Concepts, LLC, Greg Duckworth earned his bachelor’s degree in landscape architecture at West Virginia University, followed by work at Harvard University’s Graduate School of Design (Professional Development Program), where he studied golf course design; and

Whereas, during his years in the House of Representatives, Greg Duckworth has used his experience for the benefit of his constituents and other citizens of our State as a member of the Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Committee and Rules Committee; and

Whereas, Representative Duckworth firmly believes in active participation in the community, and his convictions have led him to serve that community and beyond in various ways. Named for his outstanding service a Silver Beaver of the Pee Dee Area Council (Boy Scouts of America, 2008), Greg Duckworth served as Scoutmaster for Troop 888 from 2005 to 2011. Further, he served on the Pee Dee Area Council Executive Board for a number of years and is himself an Eagle Scout. As a man of faith, he is a member of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church. In addition, he has served as a councilman for the City of North Myrtle Beach (2001‑2013) and as a pilot, USCG‑A, Air Station Savannah (2004‑2016); and

Whereas, professionally, he holds present or past membership in several organizations, including the South Carolina chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects (president, 2001‑2002), Professional Advisory Council of the Clemson University Department of Landscape Architecture (2014‑2017), and American Society of Landscape Architects Council of Fellows (2016); and

Whereas, he finds strength for his labors in the strong support of his lovely wife, Christine Marie Arneman Duckworth, as well as the couple’s two fine sons, Brandon Gregory and Trevor Jonathan; and

Whereas, on the occasion of his departure from the House of Representatives, his House colleagues, grateful for Greg Duckworth’s dedicated service to this body and the people of District 104, extend sincere best wishes for much contentment and satisfaction in the days to come. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, commend the Honorable Gregory D. “Greg” Duckworth for his committed service to the South Carolina House of Representatives and the citizens of District 104 in Horry County and wish him fulfillment and success in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to our distinguished colleague, the Honorable Gregory D. “Greg” Duckworth.

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