**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR SHERYL SPIGNER JEFFCOAT, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ORANGEBURG COUNTY COUNCIL ON AGING, INC., UPON THE OCCASION OF HER RETIREMENT AFTER MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS OF EXEMPLARY SERVICE, AND TO WISH HER CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HER FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives have learned that Sheryl Spigner Jeffcoat began a well‑deserved retirement on December 27, 2018, after thirty and a half years as the dedicated executive director of the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc.; and

Whereas, the board of directors of the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., hired Sheryl Spigner Jeffcoat as the council’s executive director, and on June 13, 1988, she began more than three decades of service to the council; and

Whereas, Ms. Jeffcoat took the lead as executive director of the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., with a soft‑spoken, easy‑going manner to get the job done; and

Whereas, working along with her staff to provide quality, reliable service to the senior citizens of Orangeburg County, she gained admiration and respect from her staff and the board of directors; and

Whereas, Ms. Jeffcoat showed her willingness to do whatever was necessary over and above her duties as executive director to keep the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., running, thriving, and growing, including answering the phone, folding trip letters, moving tables and chairs, dipping up home‑delivered meals, calling the roll for group dining meals, and numerous other activities that came up through the years; and

Whereas, she promoted and represented the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., skillfully to the agency’s board of directors, the Orangeburg County Council, the United Way, the Lower Savannah Area Agency on Aging, and the Lieutenant Governor’s Office on Aging; and

Whereas, Ms. Jeffcoat had the ability and patience to work with the aging network of South Carolina as it has evolved over the last three decades; and

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives are grateful for the years of unparalleled dedication that Sheryl Jeffcoat has devoted to the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., and they commend and congratulate her on a job well done and wish her many years of enjoyment in her well‑earned retirement. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, by this resolution, recognize and honor Sheryl Spigner Jeffcoat, Executive Director of the Orangeburg County Council on Aging, Inc., upon the occasion of her retirement after more than thirty years of exemplary service, and wish her continued success and happiness in all her future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Sheryl Spigner Jeffcoat.

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