**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR ALAN WALTERS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT FOR GEORGETOWN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, AND TO CONGRATULATE HIM UPON BEING NAMED THE 2022 SOUTH CAROLINA DISTRICT LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS.

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives takes great pleasure in commending the outstanding service of Alan Walters to the Georgetown County School District and his award as the 2022 South Carolina District Level Administrator of the Year; and

Whereas, Mr. Walters serves on the State Board of Education and has contributed to the AccelerateED Task Force, a group that works to solve COVID‑19‑related issues in schools all across the State; and

Whereas, instrumental in implementing crisis‑preparation plans in his district and supporting districts throughout the State to do the same, Mr. Walters chaired the reopening task force for the Georgetown County School District, formed a local medical advisory board, and led a collaborative effort with the Medical University of South Carolina to assess school operational safety; and

Whereas, during the spring and summer of 2020, Mr. Walters chaired a state‑level committee for safe operations, and his efforts continued throughout the school year with leadership that has guided many with confidence through the difficult times; and

Whereas, after a year fraught with uncertainty, his colleagues celebrated the announcement of his selection as the 2022 South Carolina District Level Administrator of the Year with balloons and a special cake; and

Whereas, he is especially gratified with the way in which he and the district administration were able to reopen schools safely and methodically; and

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives takes great pride in the expertise of administrators like Alan Walters who serve with diligence to keep our youth safe as they learn in our school systems, and the members applaud his exceptional work. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, recognize and honor Alan Walters, executive director of safety and risk management for Georgetown County Schools, and congratulate him upon being named the 2022 South Carolina District Level Administrator of the Year by the South Carolina Association of School Administrators.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Alan Walters.

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