

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 57

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A RESOLUTION to honor John Muse, 2018-2019 chairman of the Tennessee Bankers Association.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to recognize a gentleman who continues to serve the banking industry with the greatest dedication and integrity; and

WHEREAS, this gentleman, John Muse of Mountain City, is the 2018-2019 chairman of the Tennessee Bankers Association (TBA), an organization that, since 1890, has helped its members provide a full range of financial products and services while maintaining safety and soundness; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Muse serves with distinction as the chairman, president, and chief executive officer of Farmers State Bank in Mountain City and is active in his community and church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Muse has enjoyed a long and illustrious career with Farmers State Bank, having been a member of the board of directors since 1979, chairman since 1997, and president/chief executive officer since 2006; and

WHEREAS, he previously served as chairman of Financial Products and Services, Inc., TBA's insurance subsidiary, in 2015; and

WHEREAS, prior to his banking career, Mr. Muse excelled as an insurance agent with State Farm for twenty-five years; and

WHEREAS, he attended East Tennessee State University and is a graduate of TBA's Southeastern School of Banking and the Graduate School of Banking at Louisiana State University; and

WHEREAS, his many accomplishments aside, John Muse is fortunate to share love and companionship with Kaye Crowder Muse, his wife of more than forty years, and their children and five grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, John Muse is an outstanding banker who is deeply concerned about the welfare of his community and fellow citizens, and he is worthy of our approbation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and commend John Muse, 2018-2019 chairman of the Tennessee Bankers Association, and extend to him our best wishes for continued success, both during his term of office and in all his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.