HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 247

By McCalmon

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the board, staff, and volunteers of the Williamson County Fair.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pay tribute to those events that promote local business, entertain and educate our citizens, and celebrate the history and culture of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Fair is one such estimable event, which recently received the prestigious honor of being named the Division AAA State Champion Fair in the Merit Award Competition of the Tennessee Association of Fairs at their recent annual convention and also earned multiple first-place awards for marketing and promotional efforts; and

WHEREAS, winning national acclaim at the International Association of Fairs and Expositions Awards, the Williamson County Fair received top honors for Sponsorship Innovation with the American Flag Display, presented by The Gary Sinise Foundation; and

WHEREAS, in addition, the Williamson County Fair has been named a top-three finalist in the Festival/Fair category at the Official Community's Choice Awards - Best of Music City, a testament to its reputation as one of Middle Tennessee's most cherished events; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Fair greatly benefits from the stalwart leadership of manager Matt "Cowboy" Buchanan, a host of dedicated volunteers, and unwavering community support; and

WHEREAS, the success of the Williamson County Fair and its well-earned recognition bring great pride to the people of Williamson County, who every year unite with tireless dedication to celebrate and promote local business, agriculture, and history with this timehonored event; now, therefore, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we congratulate the board, staff, and volunteers of the Williamson County Fair upon their receipt of multiple state and national awards, thank them for their tremendous service to the people of Williamson County, and extend to them our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.