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3 By Representatives Thigpen, Beasley, Harper, Bentley, Allen  
4 and England  
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8 COMMENDING FAYETTE COUNTY MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY  
9 OF ALABAMA CRIMSONETTES.  
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11 WHEREAS, a proud tradition of 25 years continued  
12 this season when former majorettes from Fayette County High  
13 School made the grade to become Crimsonettes, the highly  
14 acclaimed majorettes of The University of Alabama; and

15 WHEREAS, this year five talented Fayette alumnae are  
16 performing as Crimsonettes during halftime ceremonies for the  
17 Crimson Tide; since 1983 a total of 23 former FCHS majorettes  
18 have served as Crimsonettes, a record unmatched by any other  
19 high school; and

20 WHEREAS, recent FCHS graduates Anna Ellis, Carly  
21 Oswalt, and Laina McDonald joined Jessica Hardin, Skye Weaver,  
22 and Amy Pennington, who were already members of the  
23 Crimsonette squad; and

24 WHEREAS, the choreographer for the Crimsonettes  
25 credits the school system of Fayette County for a successful  
26 program that begins with excellence in Middle School carried  
27 through to the high school and college level; the dedicated

1 band directors at Fayette are also very supportive of the  
2 majorette program; and

3 WHEREAS, while the proud tradition of "Crimsonette  
4 High" would not be possible without exceptional training and  
5 community support, most of the praise belongs to the  
6 majorettes themselves, who are motivated to supplement their  
7 talent and skills with a commitment to many hours of hard work  
8 in pursuit of a dream; now therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
10 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That heartiest congratulations are  
11 extended to the Fayette County High School majorettes who were  
12 selected to join The University of Alabama Crimsonettes, and  
13 this resolution is offered in highest tribute along with best  
14 wishes for continuing success in all their future endeavors.