

1 HJR349
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3 By Representatives Drake and McClendon
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 17-FEB-10

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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 RECOGNIZING THE 125TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF
4 LEEDS LODGE #446.
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6 WHEREAS, we note with great appreciation that Leeds
7 Lodge #446, F. & A. M. of Alabama, will celebrate its 125th
8 anniversary on March 7, 2010; and

9 WHEREAS, opening on March 4, 1885, under a
10 dispensation from the Grand Lodge of Alabama, Leeds Lodge #446
11 received its charter on December 7, 1887; its members are fond
12 of observing that the Lodge is older than the City of Leeds
13 itself; and

14 WHEREAS, over its long history, the Lodge has had 91
15 Worshipful Masters, counting among their number mayors, police
16 officers, city councilmen, and other civic leaders; and

17 WHEREAS, the Lodge is an integral part of the civic
18 life of the City of Leeds; it provides an annual scholarship
19 to an outstanding student from Leeds High School, supplies
20 Leeds Elementary School 5th graders with copies of the U.S.
21 Constitution and Declaration of Independence each year, and
22 has sponsored a local Boy Scout troop, as well as several
23 youth sports teams; the Lodge's members are justly proud of
24 their contributions to the community; now therefore,

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
2 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we hereby recognize the 125th
3 anniversary celebration of Leeds Lodge #446 and that, by copy
4 of this resolution, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to its
5 members for their service to the community.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

House of Representatives

I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
and was adopted by the House 18-FEB-10.

Greg Pappas
Clerk

Senate

23-MAR-10

Adopted