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3 By Representative Black
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COMMENDING THE TUSCUMBIA CIVITAN CLUB ON ITS 70TH
ANNIVERSARY.

WHEREAS, it is a great pleasure to extend
commendations and congratulations to the Tuscumbia Civitan
Club on the occasion of observing its 70th Anniversary with a
celebratory Dinner/Birthday Party on June 3, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the Tuscumbia Civitan Club was founded June
1, 1940, and has made many significant contributions to the
community over the span of seven decades; the club continues
its vibrant civic presence in 2010 with approximately 35
active members, meeting weekly on Thursdays at the Helen
Keller Library; through the years, the Civitans have
maintained their time-honored tradition of volunteering to
serve the community and build good citizenship; and

WHEREAS, among the many worthy organizations that
benefit from the support of the Tuscumbia Civitan Club are:
the American Legion Boys State/Girls State, the Cerebral Palsy
Telethon, the Court Appointed Special Advocates, the Colbert
Caring Center, the Helen Keller Library, Meals on Wheels,

1 Rolling Riders, the Seed Project, and Safe Place; in addition
2 to assisting with the Junior Civitan Club at Deshler High
3 School; for many years, the Civitan Club also has sponsored
4 and organized the Annual Downtown Christmas Parade in
5 Tuscumbia; and

6 WHEREAS, the good works of the Tuscumbia Civitan
7 Club are supported through annual fund-raising projects
8 including the sale of Historical Christmas Ornaments featuring
9 local landmarks, the Helen Keller Festival Spaghetti Supper,
10 the Vidalia Onion Sale, the Annual Yard Sale, and fruitcake
11 sales at Christmas through local grocery stores; membership
12 dues and donations also contribute to the valued Civitan
13 projects; now therefore,

14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
15 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in recognition of its
16 distinguished history of dedicated community service, the
17 Tuscumbia Civitan Club is honored and commended on the
18 occasion of its 70th Anniversary Dinner/Birthday Party on June
19 3, 2010, and this resolution is offered in highest tribute and
20 deepest appreciation to the club, its members and leaders, on
21 behalf of the citizens of the State of Alabama.