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8 CONGRATULATIONS TO GADSDEN CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM'S  
9 2010-2011 TEACHERS OF THE YEAR.

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11 WHEREAS, it is a great pleasure to extend  
12 commendations and congratulations to several teachers in the  
13 Gadsden City Schools in recognition of their selection for  
14 2010-2011 Teacher of the Year Awards; Elementary teachers  
15 include, Karen Abercrombie of Eura Brown Elementary, Jana  
16 Brewer of Walnut Park Elementary, Jennifer Wright of Mitchell  
17 Elementary, Sandra Jackson of Adams Elementary, Cathye Mayo of  
18 Floyd Elementary, Sherry Hicks of Striplin Elementary, Kristi  
19 Parris of Donehoo Elementary, and Michelle Monk of Thompson  
20 Elementary; Secondary teachers include: Rene Firestone of  
21 Gadsden Middle School, Millie Mostella of Litchfield Middle  
22 School, Jennifer Robinson of Emma Sansom Middle School, and  
23 Philip Jason Bozeman of Gadsden City High School; and

24 WHEREAS, these teachers personify the qualities of  
25 excellence, exceptional abilities, and dedication to the noble  
26 profession of public education; selection for this award

1 validates the esteem in which they are held in their  
2 profession; and

3                   WHEREAS, exceptionally gifted and involved teachers  
4 enrich the lives of Alabama's youth; these teachers have  
5 earned widespread respect for exceptional teaching abilities  
6 and tireless commitment to their students, most notably by  
7 making a difference in the lives of young people; and

8                   WHEREAS, the contributions made by these educators  
9 are invaluable; talented teachers bring out the best in their  
10 students by developing their skills, encouraging their  
11 independence, teaching them how to work together, and training  
12 them to meet their goals scholastically and socially; these  
13 teachers are to be most highly praised as an exemplar of  
14 professional dedication and accomplishment; now therefore,

15                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
16 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Karen Abercrombie, Jana  
17 Brewer, Jennifer Wright, Sandra Jackson, Cathye Mayo, Sherry  
18 Hicks, Kristi Parris, Michelle Monk, Rene Firestone, Millie  
19 Mostella, Jennifer Robinson, and Philip Jason Bozeman are  
20 honored and commended in recognition of being selected  
21 2010-2011 Teachers of the Year in the Gadsden City School  
22 System, and this resolution is offered in highest tribute to  
23 each of them along with heartiest congratulations and best  
24 wishes for the future; it is further directed that a copy of  
25 this resolution be provided to each of the teachers receiving  
26 this award as evidence of our gratitude and esteem.