



# State of Tennessee

## FIRST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 42

**By Representative Tillis**

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Richard City Schools on being named a 2018-2019 Exemplary School District.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we pay tribute to those public school districts in Tennessee that, through their unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have achieved significant milestones; and

WHEREAS, one such school district is Richard City Schools, which was recently named an Exemplary School District by the Tennessee Department of Education for significantly improving student performance and narrowing achievement gaps; and

WHEREAS, under Tennessee's current accountability system, Exemplary School Districts are those school systems that have demonstrated success in raising proficiency levels, narrowing achievement gaps, and guaranteeing growth for all students by meeting targets set by the State; and

WHEREAS, one of only a select number of school systems chosen for this prestigious honor from among the public school districts in Tennessee, Richard City Schools' selection as an Exemplary School District is a tremendous source of pride for the board of education, administration, teachers, students, and parents; and

WHEREAS, the dedication to academic excellence demonstrated by all the fine individuals affiliated with Richard City Schools is clearly deserving of our respect, admiration, and commendation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we recognize and congratulate Richard City Schools on being named an Exemplary School District, salute the district's board of education, administration, faculty, staff, students, and parents on this esteemed honor, and extend to them our best wishes for continued success in the future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: August 23, 2019

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Sexton', is written over a horizontal line.

CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES