

State of Tennessee

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 47

By Representative Cooper

A RESOLUTION to recognize Mary Geneva Cheers upon her receipt of the Living Legends Community Conductor Award.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should specially recognize those estimable individuals who have dedicated their time and energies toward enhancing the quality of life in their communities; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Mary Geneva Cheers, who received the Living Legends Community Conductor Award in recognition of the leadership and service she has provided to the good people of the 86th House District in Shelby County; and

WHEREAS, a local businesswoman, Mary Cheers helps senior citizens obtain assistance for their homes and has provided childcare for young mothers for more than twenty years; she is president of the Mt. Pisgah Heights/Rolling Green Hills Community Club, and she oversaw the Youth Enrichment Program and Angel Food Ministries food distribution program; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Cheers is a devout member of Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church, where she is president of the women's chorus; and

WHEREAS, Mary Cheers is especially grateful for the love and support of her husband, James E. Cheers, her five children, her ten grandchildren, and her great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Cheers is an exemplary individual; her commitment to excellence and community service is representative of the Volunteer State, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and commend Mary Geneva Cheers upon her receipt of the Living Legends Community Conductor Award, applaud her outstanding community leadership and service provided to the 86th House District, and extend to her our best wishes for continued success in her future endeavors.

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: March 7, 2019

GLEN CASADA, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES