



# *State of Tennessee*

## **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1050**

**By Senator Hensley**

**and**

**Representatives Cepicky, Curcio**

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Emma Jones, 2020 Top Ten Senior, Hampshire Unit School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Emma Jones is one such exceptional student who was recently named a Top Ten Senior of the 2020 graduating class at Hampshire Unit School, ranking ninth in her class; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Jones has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Emma Jones has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including HOSA, FCA, FFA, Beta Club, Interact Club, Future Business Leaders of America, and Read It Club; she was a member of her school's basketball and volleyball teams, earning a Defensive Award for basketball and an All-Star Prep Award for volleyball; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Jones's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Columbia State Community College; and

WHEREAS, Emma Jones's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Cheryl Rich and Jon Paul Jones, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Jones's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Emma Jones of Hampshire Unit School on being named a 2020 Top Ten Senior, salute her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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ADOPTED: March 9, 2020



RANDY McNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR