

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80**

## By Gardenhire

A RESOLUTION to commend Meghan Hickok for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session, this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Meghan Hickok is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Todd Gardenhire; her work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a junior at Belmont University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Ms. Hickok has achieved academic success while majoring in political science and English and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; she serves as student body president of the Student Government Association, president of the Belmont Pre-Law Society, and head delegate of Belmont's Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature delegation, and she has served as president of the community council; and

WHEREAS, a native of Mankato, Minnesota, Meghan Hickok plans to attend law school upon her college graduation; and

WHEREAS, a woman of many talents, Ms. Hickok is an accomplished writer who is publishing her first book; she is also currently obtaining her real estate license; and

WHEREAS, her many accomplishments aside, she is grateful for the love and support she shares with her parents, Bill and Cindy Hickok, and her brother, Chayse; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further her studies, Meghan Hickok brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2019 session of the One Hundred Eleventh General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2019 legislative session, Ms. Hickok has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Meghan Hickok has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Meghan Hickok for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Todd Gardenhire and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

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

ADOPTED: April 30, 2019

