

# State of Tennessee

#### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1175**

## By Representative Grills

#### and

## **Senator Jackson**

A RESOLUTION to recognize and congratulate Jacob Sullivan, Dyersburg Fire Department Firefighter of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly honor those individuals who, during the course of their duties, endeavor to protect the lives of their fellow citizens, braving great dangers and putting themselves at risk to save others; and

WHEREAS, Jacob Sullivan is one such individual, who was recently named the 2021 Firefighter of the Year by the Dyersburg Fire Department in recognition of his exemplary service; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sullivan has served as a Dyersburg firefighter since 2009; during his tenure, he has proven himself to be a tremendous asset to the department, responding deftly to fire/medical calls, motor vehicle accidents, and other emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, the Firefighter of the Year award is presented to the one individual of any rank who best exemplifies the positive characteristics of the fire service and who has a notable record of service and achievements, an individual who has given selflessly in support of the department, the fire service in general, and the community; and

WHEREAS, Jacob Sullivan most assuredly fits this description, and his selection as Dyersburg Fire Department Firefighter of the Year is a testament to his dedication, loyalty, productivity, and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, it is wholly fitting that we recognize Mr. Sullivan for his dedication to personal excellence and his receipt of this distinguished honor; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we congratulate Jacob Sullivan of the Dyersburg Fire Department upon being named Firefighter of the Year, commend him for his service to the people of Dyersburg, and extend our best wishes for continued success in all his 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO1175
ADOPTED: April 25, 2022
CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
RANDY MCNALLY SPEAKER OF THE SENATE
APPROVED this 4th day of May 2022
BILL LEE, GOVERNOR