

# State of Tennessee

#### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 642**

### By Representative Williams

#### and

## **Senator Bailey**

A RESOLUTION to commend and congratulate Jeremy Stoner, National HealthCare Corporation Administrator of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is our privilege to recognize those working in the healthcare field whose knowledge, ingenuity, and dedication contribute greatly to the health and well-being of the citizens of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Jeremy Stoner, who was recently named the 2022 National HealthCare Corporation (NHC) Administrator of the Year, a most befitting honor that recognizes his many contributions to health care; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stoner has served as Administrator at NHC Cookeville since June 1998; and

WHEREAS, NHC is a senior care company based in Murfreesboro with sixty-eight healthcare centers that operates 8,500 beds nationally and provides assisted living, home care, hospice, mental health, pharmacy, insurance, and management services; and

WHEREAS, an employee of NHC since 1996, Jeremy Stoner holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Biology and a Bachelor of Science degree in Long Term Care Management from Southern Adventist University and is a graduate of NHC's Administrator in Training Program; and

WHEREAS, under Mr. Stoner's leadership, NHC Cookeville was designated an NHC-5 Star Center of Excellence in 2022 and had a Consumer View score of 95.21 percent, a Patient Care Component of 94.02 percent, a net patient satisfaction score of sixty-nine, and an in-house acquired pressure ulcer rate of 0.73 percent; and

WHEREAS, in 2022, NHC Cookeville was also designated as a CMS 5-Star Center, indicating that the facility is in the top ten percent of all skilled nursing centers; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stoner's receipt of the NHC Administrator of the Year honor comes after his being a finalist for three of the past five years, a testament to the consistency of his excellence and dedication; and

WHEREAS, throughout his many successes, Jeremy Stoner has enjoyed the love and support of his wife, Nicole; they are the proud parents of two children, Landon and Noelle; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stoner has proven himself a leader in his profession, and the patients and partners of NHC Cookeville have benefited greatly from his guidance and service; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we commend and congratulate Jeremy Stoner, National HealthCare Corporation Administrator of the Year, extending our best wishes for his continued success.

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: April 21, 2023
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RANDY MCNALL SPEAKER OF THE SENAT
APPROVED this day of 2023
BILL LEE, GOVERNOR