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8	COMMENDING THE WALKING HORSE ASSOCIATION OF ALABAMA
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10	WHEREAS, the Walking Horse Association of Alabama is
11	a most worthy and commendable nonprofit organization which was
12	established July 16, 1969, to promote and protect the
13	Tennessee Walking Horse; and
14	WHEREAS, the mission of the Walking Horse
15	Association of Alabama is to promote and increase public
16	awareness of the true and inherent abilities of the Walking
17	Horse and to provide an equitable event affiliation program
18	for Walking Horses, Spotted Saddle Horses, and Racking Horses,
19	which is Alabama's Official Horse, to be exhibited, judged,
20	and showcased, serving as an advocate, as well as a
21	communication hub for the Walking Horse industry; and
22	WHEREAS, the Walking Horse Association of Alabama is
23	also committed to being a champion for the children of Alabama
24	who suffer from cancer by donating most of its proceeds to
25	Camp Smile-A-Mile, which is an organization that provides
26	hope, healing, and love for the whole family during an Alabama

child's cancer journey; since 1998, the Walking Horse

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Association of Alabama has donated over \$500,000; the Walking
Horse Association of Alabama is the largest donor for Camp
Smile-A-Mile children and has been donating for the longest
time; and

WHEREAS, the outstanding leaders, along with the dedicated past and present members of the Walking Horse Association of Alabama, have pledged that they will continually be engaged with helping communities and the State of Alabama; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the Walking Horse Association of Alabama is recognized and commended, and this resolution is offered in highest tribute and with deepest appreciation to the membership, on behalf of the citizens of the State of Alabama.