**A** **SENATE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE OCONEE COUNTY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING WORK TO ELIMINATE POVERTY HOUSING AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM ON THE OCCASION OF THEIR THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

Whereas, the members of the Senate are pleased to learn that the Oconee County Habitat for Humanity (OCHFH) will celebrate their thirtieth anniversary on June 11, 2016; and

Whereas, OCHFH began its work in 1986 and recently began work on the one hundredth home constructed in Oconee County. The OCHFH strives to build five or six homes a year to meet the increased need for affordable housing in Oconee County; and

Whereas, in addition to building homes, the OCHFH also operates the Resale Store, which helps fund their organization; and

Whereas, OCHFH is the largest all-volunteer Habitat for Humanity in the State of South Carolina, with over three hundred regular volunteers; and

Whereas, it is with great pleasure that the members of the Senate recognize this great organization for their consistent and dedicated work to provide affordable housing to those who need homes and wish them much success as they continue in their work. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate:

That the members of the Senate, recognize and honor the Oconee County Habitat for Humanity for their outstanding work to eliminate poverty housing and congratulate them on the occasion of their thirtieth anniversary.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Frank Lewis, President.

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