**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE AND HONOR PATRICIA MCCAIN “PAT” KINARD UPON THE OCCASION OF HER RETIREMENT AFTER MANY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE CITADEL BOARD OF VISITORS AND TO THE CITADEL, AND TO WISH HER CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HER FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, it is altogether fitting that the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina should pause in deliberations to express gratitude to Patricia McCain Kinard of Mt. Pleasant as she begins a long‑deserved retirement after many years of loyal and unwavering service to The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina; and

Whereas, with her boundless energy and attention to detail, Mrs. Kinard has served the Board of Visitors as recording secretary for six years, in addition to twelve years of service in the Office of the President; and

Whereas, her commitment and years of service have enriched The Citadel and her impact will be felt for years to come; and

Whereas, in appreciation for her generous nature and heart for service, The Citadel Board of Visitors presented Mrs. Kinard with the 2021 Palmetto Medal; and

Whereas, taking great pleasure in acknowledging Pat Kinard’s many years of service to The Citadel, the members of the House of Representatives wish her well as she enters retirement and trust she will find peace and joy in the leisurely pace of the days ahead. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, congratulate and honor Patricia McCain “Pat” Kinard upon the occasion of her retirement after many years of dedicated service to The Citadel Board of Visitors and to The Citadel, and wish her continued success and happiness in all her future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Patricia McCain Kinard.

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