

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 362

By Marsh

A RESOLUTION to commend Madeline Shelly for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Madeline Shelly is one such individual who distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative Pat Marsh; Madeline's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a graduate student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Madeline has achieved academic success while pursuing a degree in public policy and administration and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, dedicated to the pursuit of academic excellence, Ms. Shelly was a *cum laude* graduate of the University of Tennessee, earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science, and rendered sterling service as the president and secretary of the university's Canoe and Hiking Club; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further her studies, Madeline Shelly brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2015 session of the One Hundred Ninth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2015 legislative session, Madeline surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Madeline Shelly performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Madeline Shelly for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Pat Marsh and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.