

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1 of the Second Extraordinary Session

By Ramsey

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate United Southeast Federal Credit Union on the occasion of its seventy-fifth anniversary.

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee takes great pride in recognizing those exemplary financial institutions that provide quality services to their customers and are a credit to this State; and

WHEREAS, United Southeast Federal Credit Union is one such estimable organization, which is celebrating its seventy-fifth anniversary of operation this year; and

WHEREAS, United Southeast Federal Credit Union was chartered in 1941 to serve the employees of the Inter-Mountain Telephone Company and was founded on the credit union principle of "people helping people"; and

WHEREAS, in November 1999, United Southeast Federal Credit Union and Bristol Federal Credit Union merged, and, in October 2002, United Southeast merged with Regional Health Care Federal Credit Union. Throughout the years, several additional credit unions have merged with United Southeast; and

WHEREAS, during its existence, United Southeast Federal Credit Union has extended its services to the employees of more than 700 companies that did not offer credit union services in response to the companies' requests; and

WHEREAS, United Southeast's mission now includes over 17,000 members who are employed by hundreds of companies in Tennessee and Virginia in addition to the many that live, work, worship, or attend school in Sullivan and Washington counties in Tennessee and Russell and Washington counties in Virginia; and

WHEREAS, United Southeast is headquartered in Bristol with a total of six branch locations: Bristol, Tennessee; Bristol Regional Medical Center; Bristol, Virginia; Johnson City, Tennessee; Abingdon, Virginia; and Lebanon, Virginia; and

WHEREAS, every day, the Board of Directors and employees of United Southeast Federal Credit Union strive to uphold their mission statement of "Helping Our Members Live Better Lives" through competitive loan and savings rates and additional products and services; and

WHEREAS, United Southeast Federal Credit Union is most assuredly worthy of special recognition and approbation from the State of Tennessee on this special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate United Southeast Federal Credit Union upon the occasion of its seventy-fifth anniversary and extend to its employees our best wishes for every continued success in all their future endeavors.

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