

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 776

By Keisling

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Aidan Flynn on his receipt of the Governor's Volunteer Stars Award.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should specially recognize those estimable citizens who have dedicated their time and energies to helping others; and

WHEREAS, each year, 1.6 million Tennessee volunteers give over 137 million hours of community service, contributing \$3.3 billion to Tennessee's economy; and

WHEREAS, these volunteers are the backbone of our communities, and by donating their time and talents to fulfill needs that would otherwise go unmet, they embody the spirit of giving; and

WHEREAS, Aidan Flynn of Lafayette is one such exemplary person, who is a recipient of the Governor's Volunteer Stars Award in recognition of his laudable commitment to his community; and

WHEREAS, a sophomore at Macon County High School (MCHS), Mr. Flynn is active in the Macon County 4-H program and serves as president of the MCHS FFA; he is a member of the Principal's Tiger Leadership Club, Interact Club, Beta Club, and the MCHS Tiger soccer team; and

WHEREAS, he has led a donation drive for the Ronald McDonald House for the past four years in honor of a family friend who lost a battle with cancer; he serves as a member of the Macon County Junior Fair Board and teaches a class to young children on taking care of goats at the annual Farm/City Day; and

WHEREAS, Aidan Flynn is a model citizen; his commitment to helping others through volunteerism epitomizes the spirit of the Volunteer State, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor Aidan Flynn for his outstanding community leadership, congratulate him as an esteemed recipient of the Governor's Volunteer Stars Award, and extend to him 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.