

HOUSE RESOLUTION 310

By Clemmons

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Hazel Lewis-Frierson of Houston, Texas.

WHEREAS, we were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Hazel Lewis-Frierson;
and

WHEREAS, Ms. Frierson was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for her fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Frierson served with acumen and alacrity for a number of years as a secretary for the Nashville NAACP, in which position she earned the respect of her peers and community alike for the exemplary quality of her work; and

WHEREAS, she was also a member of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc. (NACWC, Inc.), which she served as president of the Orchid Club, and a member of the Nashville City Federation, NACWC, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, imbued with a strong, amiable, and caring persona, Ms. Frierson trained, advised, and taught others how to set up young adult meetings and conduct programming, activities, educational and civil involvement, mentorships, conferences, and collaborations; she encouraged everyone to LIFT AS WE CLIMB in all we do!; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Frierson was deeply devoted to her family, and she always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, she is sadly mourned but fondly remembered by her two beloved daughters; and

WHEREAS, Hazel Lewis-Frierson leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor the memory of Hazel Lewis-Frierson, reflecting fondly upon her impeccable character and her stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Ms. Frierson.

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