

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 637

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A RESOLUTION to honor Jarvis Greer on his fortieth anniversary at WMC Action News 5 in Memphis.

WHEREAS, it is the pleasure of the members of the General Assembly to recognize those individuals who utilize the powerful medium of television to provide both entertainment and information to the citizens of our State; and

WHEREAS, Jarvis Greer is one such individual, who is celebrating his fortieth anniversary as a journalist at WMC Action News 5 in Memphis; and

WHEREAS, a longtime sports broadcaster and the current sports director at WMC, Jarvis Greer has very capably covered Mid-South sports for four decades, providing quality reporting on the world of sports in Memphis and around the globe; and

WHEREAS, born in the Binghampton community, Mr. Greer grew up just a few miles from the location of WMC and attended schools across Memphis, including St. Augustine, Immaculate Conception, Harding Academy, and St. Louis School; and

WHEREAS, proud to be a Memphis Tiger, Jarvis Greer is a graduate of the University of Memphis with a degree in communications and fine arts; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and awards, Mr. Greer is an Emmy Award-winning journalist and a three-time winner of *Memphis Magazine's* "Best of Memphis" accolades; and

WHEREAS, his many accomplishments aside, Jarvis Greer is most grateful for the love and support of his wife, Emily, and their two children, J.J. and McKenzie; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Greer exemplifies the spirit and dedication that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Jarvis Greer has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues and the viewing public; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Jarvis Greer on his fortieth anniversary at WMC Action News 5 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.