

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 802

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor Lennie Lawson on his induction into the
Greeneville Parks and Recreation Department
Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should salute those citizens who, through their
extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all
be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Lennie Lawson, who was recently inducted
into the Greeneville Parks and Recreation Department Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lawson began coaching with the Greeneville Parks and Recreation
Department in 1991 when his son started to play in the youth basketball league; he went on to
coach girls' basketball for the department and, after retiring from coaching, began to sponsor
numerous teams and events, both personally and through his auto dealership; and

WHEREAS, his connection to the Greeneville Parks and Recreation Department
extends past his coaching roles; he served on the department's advisory board for twelve years;
and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that we specially recognize and extend our gratitude
to Lennie Lawson for his many contributions to this great State and congratulate him on his
recent honor; 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 commend Lennie Lawson on his induction into the
Greeneville Parks and Recreation Department Hall of Fame and wish him every success and
happiness in all his 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.