MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE

By: Senator(s) Walls

To: Rules

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE MEMBERS OF THE METCALFE YOUTH CHOIR FOR THEIR COMMITMENT TO SERVING THEIR COMMUNITY AND FOR THEIR POSITIVE ROLE MODELS FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF THE STATE. 2 3 4 WHEREAS, the Metcalfe Youth Choir was formed in 1994 for the dedicated young people of the community who were willing to devote 5 their talents and time to serve others; and 6 7 WHEREAS, the Metcalfe Youth Choir consists of enthusiastic youths between the ages of six and twenty; and 8 9 WHEREAS, most of the members of this dynamic choir are from single-parent households; and 10 WHEREAS, since its inception, the Metcalfe Youth Choir has 11 12 been a positive influence on the youth of Metcalfe and the Delta; 13 and WHEREAS, the Metcalfe Youth Choir tirelessly performs for 14 15 churches, social groups, civic and community organizations and constantly devotes time to senior citizens throughout the State of 16 Mississippi; and 17 WHEREAS, in recognition of their talent, the Metcalfe Youth 18 Choir has opened concerts for the Mississippi Mass Choir and many 19 20 other gospel groups; and WHEREAS, the Metcalfe Youth Choir was organized by Cedric 21 Sturdevant, a Metcalfe resident, who has dedicated his life to 22 improving the conditions of the youth of Metcalfe; and 23 WHEREAS, the Metcalfe Youth Choir is an inspirational example 24 25 of the extraordinary commitment of young people dedicated to serving God and their fellowman: 26

S. R. No. 29 99\SS02\R1347 PAGE 1 27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MISSISSIPPI STATE 28 SENATE, That the Senate does hereby commend the members of the 29 Metcalfe Youth Choir for their dedicated service to their 30 community and for the positive role models they provide for the 31 youth of this state.

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be 33 presented to the Metcalfe Youth Choir and be made available to the 34 Capitol Press Corps.