

By: Representatives Martinson, Barbour

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 30

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE RIDGELAND HIGH  
2 SCHOOL CHORAL GROUP ETCETERA FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING INAUGURAL YEAR.

3 WHEREAS, Etcetera, an exceptional twelve-member choral group  
4 at Ridgeland High School, is completing its inaugural year with  
5 much success and accomplishments; and

6 WHEREAS, the addition of Etcetera, which is under the  
7 direction of Mrs. Lisa Fournet, has complemented Ridgeland High  
8 School's choral program with this award winning singing and  
9 dancing group; and

10 WHEREAS, the dynamic singers and dancers who comprise  
11 Etcetera are freshmen Kellie Anglin, Justin Smith and Brannon  
12 Walls, sophomores Kayla Logan and Luke Ratcliff, juniors Shelley  
13 Baas, Mallory Cutrer, Kimberly Dickard, Christina Myers, Amanda  
14 Patterson and Rachel Sistrunk and senior Jacob Kirchner; and

15 WHEREAS, the members of Etcetera were selected based on their  
16 vocal talents, public relation skills and academic achievement;  
17 and

18 WHEREAS, a highly disciplined and versatile group, Etcetera's  
19 repertoire covers the entire spectrum of song and dance from  
20 classical selection to modern pop; and

21 WHEREAS, the members of Etcetera reflect the excellence of  
22 both the school and community, and they have performed in various  
23 choral concerts and special programs, such as the Mayor of  
24 Ridgeland's Prayer Breakfast; and

25 WHEREAS, although Etcetera has only been in existence for one  
26 year, this choral group has achieved all superior ratings at the



27 District VI Choral Competition and they will compete on the state  
28 level; and

29 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to  
30 recognize gifted young individuals, such as the members of  
31 Etcetera, who are using their talents to bring award winning  
32 accolades to their school:

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
34 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we commend and  
35 congratulate Etcetera for their outstanding inaugural year and  
36 wish them much success in their upcoming state level competition.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
38 furnished to Ridgeland High School, Mrs. Lisa Fournet and members  
39 of the Capitol Press Corps.

