By: Representative Reynolds

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 41

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING BRAD AND LUANNE 1 BROOKS FOR BEING SELECTED TO RECEIVE THE MISSISSIPPI JAYCEES/JOHN 2 DEERE OUTSTANDING YOUNG FARMER AWARD FOR 2002 AND AS ONE OF THE 3 4 NATIONAL JAYCEES/JOHN DEERE OUTSTANDING FARMERS FOR 2002. 5 WHEREAS, Brad and Luanne Brooks were honored with the Mississippi Jaycees/John Deere Outstanding Young Farmer Award for 6 2002 and the National Jaycees/John Deere Outstanding Young Farmer 7 Award for 2002; and 8

9 WHEREAS, Brad and Luanne live in Water Valley, which is 10 located in Yalobusha County, and are the proud parents of three 11 children and grandparents of one child; and

12 WHEREAS, this amazing couple farms 960 acres of cotton, both 13 no-till and ultra-narrow row, and has led Yalobusha county in 14 cotton yields for the past several years; and

WHEREAS, this couple has received other honors, including being named the Mississippi Farm Bureau Outstanding Young Farmer of 1995; and

18 WHEREAS, in addition to farming, the Brooks remain active in 19 the community by serving on the Yalobusha County Farm Bureau Board 20 of Directors and the Yalobusha County Soil and Water Commission, 21 members of the 4-H and Agriculture Extension Advisory Committees, 22 members of the Sylva Rena Baptist Church and as coaches for Water 23 Valley Park and Recreation; and

24 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to 25 pay tribute to citizens like Brad and Luanne Brooks who symbolize 26 hard work and dedication in Mississippi:

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF

28 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we commend and

H. R. No. 41 03/HR03/R2007 PAGE 1 (GT\LH) N1/2

29 congratulate Brad and Luanne Brooks for being selected as

30 Mississippi's Jaycees/John Deere Outstanding Young Farmer for 2002

31 and as one of the National Jaycees/John Deere Outstanding Farmers 32 for 2002.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be 34 furnished to Brad and Luanne Brooks and members of the Capitol 35 Press Corps.