

By: Representative Stevens

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 61

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE DEDICATED SERVICE OF THE
2 MISSISSIPPI HOMEMAKER VOLUNTEERS CLUBS OF CARROLL COUNTY.

3 WHEREAS, since 1918, when the first "Tomato Clubs" were
4 formed for girls and young homemakers, Carroll County has been
5 blessed with many involved women; and

6 WHEREAS, now, as Mississippi Homemaker Volunteers (MHV),
7 their vision statement describes their efforts very well, as the
8 organization is a leader in strengthening families, training
9 leaders, and promoting education and community service; and

10 WHEREAS, with two MHV clubs in Carroll County, the Beatty
11 Chapter and the Brownline Chapter, both serving the Vaiden
12 Community, collectively form the Carroll County MHV Council and
13 make Carroll County a better place to live; and

14 WHEREAS, in 2004, MHV volunteer hours to Carroll County and
15 the State of Mississippi are valued at \$149,931.48, with the
16 average club member donating 406 hours of volunteer service; and

17 WHEREAS, on March 1, 2005, awards were presented for
18 outstanding contributions to club members for their services in
19 the following areas: Best Secretary Record, Best Club Program,
20 Best Club Project, Best Attendance at Council Meetings, Best Club
21 Average Attendance, Best Food Preservation Record, Best Use of
22 Leader Training Information, Reading Awards, County Educational
23 Chairman Award, Community Service, Friends of 4-H Award and the
24 Woman Outside the Home Award; and

25 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
26 recognize and commend volunteerism and community service by clubs

27 and organizations such as the Mississippi Homemaker Volunteers
28 clubs of Carroll County:

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
30 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
31 commend the dedicated service of the members of the Mississippi
32 Homemaker Volunteers clubs of Carroll County for their
33 contributions to the community and express our warmest wishes for
34 continued success in their future endeavors.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
36 furnished to the Presidents of the Beatty and Brownline chapters
37 of the Mississippi Homemaker Volunteers and to the members of the
38 Capitol Press Corps.