

By: Representatives Mangold, Faulkner,  
Massengill, Kinkade, Pigott

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 80

1 A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING MR. WILL LUMMUS FOR  
2 HIS OUTSTANDING RODEO SUCCESS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Will Lummus, of Byhalia, Mississippi, is number  
4 one in the world for steer wrestling, a truly extraordinary  
5 accomplishment; and

6 WHEREAS, as of 2022, Mr. Lummus finished second in the world  
7 standings for the second-straight year and qualified for his  
8 fifth-straight NFR appearance, and so far in 2023, Mr. Lummus has  
9 won the Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo, the Stampede at the Ike  
10 in West Monroe, Louisiana, and the Magnolia Center Pro Rodeo in  
11 Laurel, Mississippi, and his career earnings total \$1,126,411; and

12 WHEREAS, since 2016, among numerous other honors and awards,  
13 Mr. Lummus won the Calgary Stampede in Alberta, Canada, the  
14 Coleman (Texas) PRCA Rodeo, the Gladewater (Texas) Round-Up Rodeo,  
15 and the Home Of Champions Rodeo in Red Lodge, Montana; and he also  
16 won the 146th Silver Spurs Rodeo in Kissimmee, Florida, the  
17 Sandhills Stock Show and Rodeo in Odessa, Texas, the NE  
18 Mississippi (Tupelo) Championship Rodeo, the Sheridan (Wyoming)



19 Rodeo, the Deep South PRCA Rodeo in Winnsboro, Louisiana, the  
20 Georgia (Perry) National Rodeo, the Rodeo of the Mid-South  
21 featuring Lecile Harris in Southaven, Mississippi, the Southern  
22 Miss Coca-Cola Rodeo in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, the 71st Annual  
23 PRCA Rodeo in Crossett, Arkansas, and the Richland County Fair and  
24 Rodeo in Sidney, Montana; and he was also co-champion at the  
25 Gooding (Idaho) Pro Rodeo, and won the California Rodeo Salinas,  
26 the Rancho Mission Viejo Rodeo in San Juan Capistrano, California,  
27 the Pikes Peak or Bust Rodeo in Colorado Springs, Colorado, the  
28 Rooftop Rodeo in Estes Park, Colorado, steer wrestling at the  
29 Northwest Florida Championship Rodeo, the Lowry's 4L Ranch Rodeo  
30 in Summerville, Georgia, the Heart of the North Rodeo in Spooner,  
31 Wisconsin, the Cassia County Fair and Rodeo in Burley, Idaho, and  
32 the Pasco County Fair Championship Rodeo in Dade City, Florida;  
33 and

34 WHEREAS, outside of his extraordinary rodeo career, Mr.  
35 Lummus is married to his wife, Jenna, and is the Northwest  
36 Community College Rodeo coach; and

37 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to  
38 recognize and commend exceptional individuals, especially those  
39 such as Mr. Lummus, whose dedication to the sport of rodeo brings  
40 honor to the State of Mississippi:

41 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
42 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby



43 recognize and commend Mr. Will Lummus for his outstanding rodeo  
44 success and accomplishments.

45 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
46 furnished to Mr. Will Lummus, and to the members of the Capitol  
47 Press Corps.

