

By: Senator(s) Sparks, Barnett, Butler  
(38th), McCaughn

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 100

1 A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE  
2 PRENTISS COUNTY FARM BUREAU AND COMMEMORATING ITS HISTORY AND  
3 CONTRIBUTIONS TO AGRICULTURE IN OUR STATE.

4 WHEREAS, the American Farm Bureau was created in 1919 to  
5 disseminate college research results to farmers and has since  
6 grown into one of America's strongest lobbying organizations, with  
7 six million members and affiliated services and member benefits  
8 that include highly respected insurance companies. The newly  
9 minted farm organization gave farmers and ranchers a voice and a  
10 seat at the table with the powerful economic interests of the day  
11 business, manufacturing, railroads and labor. American Farm  
12 Bureau is the national advocate for farm and ranch families  
13 through good times and bad in the belief that a more prosperous  
14 agriculture contributes to the well-being of all Americans; and

15 WHEREAS, the Prentiss County Farm Bureau was officially  
16 chartered on March 27, 1923, in Prentiss County, Mississippi, as a  
17 proud state affiliate of the American Farm Bureau; and



18           WHEREAS, Prentiss County Farm Bureau has grown to 3,610  
19 members today; and

20           WHEREAS, the mission of the Prentiss County Farm Bureau  
21 Federation is to create an environment in which farmers, ranchers  
22 and Farm Bureau members can have a better life and make a better  
23 living; and

24           WHEREAS, March 27, 2023, marks the 100th Anniversary of the  
25 Prentiss County Farm Bureau; and

26           WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we commend an effective  
27 advocacy organization which is the Voice of Agriculture in the  
28 State of Mississippi:

29           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
30 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby recognize the 100th Anniversary of  
31 the Prentiss County Farm Bureau Federation and commemorate its  
32 history and contributions to agriculture in our state, and extend  
33 to all members our best wishes at the auspicious celebration on  
34 March 14, 2023, at the Prentiss County Ag Center.

35           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented at  
36 the March 14, 2023, Prentiss County Ag Center Celebration,  
37 forwarded to the Mississippi Commissioner of Agriculture and  
38 Commerce, and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.

