

By: Senator(s) McMahan, Bryan, Turner-Ford,
Sparks, Williams, Suber, Whaley, Barnett

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15

1 A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE CONGRATULATIONS OF THE MISSISSIPPI
2 SENATE TO SHARON NOBLES, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AT NORTH
3 MISSISSIPPI HEALTH SERVICES IN TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI, AS THE NUMBER
4 ONE RECIPIENT OF THE "TOP 25 CFOs OF MISSISSIPPI AWARD FOR 2023"
5 HONORING HER COMMITMENT TO HER BUSINESS ORGANIZATION AND TO HER
6 COMMUNITY.

7 WHEREAS, we join the TOP CFOs of Mississippi Award
8 organization (formerly Finance & Investing) in recognizing Sharon
9 Nobles, Chief Financial Officer at North Mississippi Health
10 Services in Tupelo, Mississippi, for her business achievements and
11 commitment to the overall prosperity of her community upon her
12 recognition as the number one recipient of the "Top 25 CFOs of
13 Mississippi Award for 2023"; and

14 WHEREAS, Sharon Nobles serves as Chief Financial Officer
15 (CFO) for North Mississippi Health Services (NMHS) in Tupelo,
16 Mississippi, a company dedicated to providing the best patient-
17 and family-centered care; and

18 WHEREAS, NMHS connects patients and their families with
19 convenient access to care that is cost-efficient and of the
20 highest quality. The company provides acute, diagnostic,



21 therapeutic and emergency services, with the sole trauma center
22 (Level 2) in its service area through North Mississippi Medical
23 Center in Tupelo; and

24 WHEREAS, before joining NMHS in 2017, Sharon Nobles worked
25 with Baptist Health Care Corporation. She served as VP and CFO
26 for Acute Care Services and led all aspects of financial
27 operations for three acute care hospitals and two joint-venture
28 ambulatory surgery centers. During her 23-year tenure with
29 Baptist, she served in various financial leadership roles,
30 including System CFO for two years. Nobles graduated from the
31 University of West Florida. She is a CPA, designated as a
32 certified treasury professional with the Association for Financial
33 Professionals, and a member of the Healthcare Financial Management
34 Association; and

35 WHEREAS, CFOs in Mississippi navigate the complexities of the
36 local economy, balancing fiscal responsibilities with strategic
37 decision-making; and

38 WHEREAS, the distinguished awardees on the Top 25 CFOs of
39 Mississippi list demonstrate expertise in financial planning, risk
40 management, and investment decisions, which have a ripple effect
41 on the state's stability and resilience. They play a pivotal role
42 in steering businesses toward success and contributing to the
43 overall well-being of their communities; and

44 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we commend an individual
45 who has played a pivotal role in steering these businesses toward



46 success and contributed to the overall well-being of her community
47 and to the State of Mississippi:

48 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
49 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby extend the sincere congratulations
50 of the Mississippi Senate to Sharon Nobles, Chief Financial
51 Officer at North Mississippi Health Services in Tupelo,
52 Mississippi, as the Number One recipient of the "Top 25 CFOs of
53 Mississippi Award for 2023" honoring her commitment to her
54 business organization and to her community, and our best wishes
55 for future success.

56 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
57 Sharon Nobles and her family, forwarded to North Mississippi
58 Health Services and the Top 25 CFOs of Mississippi organization,
59 and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.

