

By: Representatives Mangold, Pigott

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 14

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING MISS HARLEY GRACE
2 VINZANT UPON BEING CROWNED MISS DIXIE NATIONAL 2025 AND
3 RECOGNIZING HER DEDICATION TO THE SPORT OF RODEO AND COMMUNITY
4 SERVICE.

5 WHEREAS, on January 11, 2025, Harley Grace Vinzant, a native
6 of Vicksburg, Mississippi, was crowned Miss Dixie National 2025
7 during the prestigious Miss Dixie National pageant held in the
8 Trade Mart Center on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds; and

9 WHEREAS, Harley Grace excelled in the competition, winning
10 the horsemanship, appearance, and photogenic categories,
11 demonstrating her exceptional talent, grace, and poise; and

12 WHEREAS, for the duration of her one-year reign, she will
13 represent the Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo at various
14 events across the state, promoting the sport of rodeo and the
15 values of the western way of life; and

16 WHEREAS, currently a freshman at East Mississippi Community
17 College, Harley Grace has been awarded both ACT and Academic
18 scholarships, and she is pursuing a degree in political science
19 with a minor in interior design, aspiring to become a lawyer; and



20 WHEREAS, beyond her academic achievements, Harley Grace is
21 passionate about community service, actively volunteering with
22 Operation Christmas Child, the Angel Tree food drives and clothing
23 donation efforts to support those in need; and

24 WHEREAS, an accomplished equestrian, Harley Grace is a
25 dedicated barrel racer competing in the National Barrel Horse
26 Association and various jackpots throughout the state, and she
27 previously held the titles of Junior Miss Dixie National 2022 and
28 Dixie National Flag Girl in 2023 and 2024; and

29 WHEREAS, she currently owns and cares for five horses:
30 Bailey, Buddy, Chip, Louis, and T'beaux, and spends much of her
31 free time training and providing riding lessons at Silver Creek
32 Equestrian Center; and

33 WHEREAS, when she is not promoting the sport of rodeo, Harley
34 Grace enjoys spending time with her family and friends, traveling,
35 golfing, going to the movies, and playing with her beloved
36 chocolate lab, Fendi; and

37 WHEREAS, throughout her reign as Miss Dixie National 2025,
38 Harley Grace is eager to encourage and mentor the next generation
39 of rodeo queens while proudly representing the Dixie National
40 Livestock Show and Rodeo; and

41 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
42 recognize and honor outstanding individuals such as Miss Harley
43 Grace Vinzant, who exemplifies dedication, leadership, and passion
44 for the rodeo community and beyond:



45 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
46 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we commend and
47 congratulate Miss Harley Grace Vinzant upon being crowned Miss
48 Dixie National 2025 and extend our best wishes for her continued
49 success in her reign and all her future endeavors.

50 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
51 furnished to Miss Harley Grace Vinzant, the Dixie National
52 Livestock Show and Rodeo and to the members of the Capitol Press
53 Corps.

