

By: Senator(s) Whaley, McCaughn, England

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 34

1 A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING CALLIE MUELLER FROM SOUTH DAKOTA AS
2 MISS RODEO AMERICA 2025 AND WELCOMING HER TO MISSISSIPPI ON THE
3 OCCASION OF THE DIXIE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK AND RODEO SHOW.

4 WHEREAS, Callie Mueller has been crowned Miss Rodeo America
5 2025. The 24-year-old from Florence, South Dakota, represented
6 her home state at the Miss Rodeo America Pageant as the 2024 Miss
7 Rodeo South Dakota, becoming the 6th woman from her state to win
8 the prestigious national title; and

9 WHEREAS, Callie is a dedicated horsewoman and a rising leader
10 in the equine industry. She holds two Bachelor of Education
11 degrees and is currently pursuing a master's degree in Educational
12 Leadership. A member of the American Quarter Horse Association,
13 Callie spends her days training and riding horses while inspiring
14 others through her published writings. She is passionate about
15 education and hopes to continue impacting both the equine and
16 educational communities; and

17 WHEREAS, beyond her work with horses, Callie is committed to
18 promoting the western way of life and mentoring others; and



19 WHEREAS, Callie is also determined to win an AQHA World
20 Championship and works tirelessly to teach the next generation of
21 equestrians. Her strong passion for helping others learn and grow
22 defines both her professional and personal life. In addition to
23 her title as Miss Rodeo America 2025, Callie was awarded the
24 Appearance Award. Callie is also the winner of the Landstrom's
25 Black Hills Gold crown. This honor is accompanied by over
26 \$20,000.00 in educational scholarships and prizes, including a
27 wardrobe of Wrangler jeans and shirts, an assortment of Montana
28 Silversmiths jewelry, and a selection of Justin Boots. This
29 year's national Miss Rodeo America pageant, which ran throughout
30 the week, featured 29 contestants from across the country. The
31 competition included a horsemanship contest, a written test on
32 equine science and rodeo knowledge, extensive interviews,
33 extemporaneous speaking, and a fashion show; and

34 WHEREAS, as Miss Rodeo America 2025, Callie will serve as the
35 official representative of the PRCA. During her reign, she will
36 travel over 40,000 miles and appear at nearly 100 rodeo
37 performances, as well as attend various schools, civic groups, and
38 special events to educate the public about rodeo, its sponsors,
39 and its opportunities. Callie will also serve as a spokesperson
40 at promotional events and will model in commercial advertisements
41 for western clothiers, publications, sponsors, and other service
42 providers in the western industry; and



43 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we welcome Miss Rodeo
44 America 2025 to the Hospitality State:

45 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
46 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby recognize Callie Mueller from South
47 Dakota as Miss Rodeo America 2025 and welcome her to Mississippi
48 on the occasion of the Dixie National Livestock and Rodeo Show.

49 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
50 Callie Mueller, forwarded to the Commissioner of Agriculture and
51 Commerce, and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.

