

By: Representative Capps

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 19

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE BOLOGNA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER ON
2 WINNING THE 2002 CULTURAL LEADERSHIP AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE
3 ARTS.

4 WHEREAS, the Bologna Performing Arts Center at Delta State
5 University, in Cleveland, Mississippi, serves as a dynamic
6 cultural resource for the University and the entire Mississippi
7 Delta; and

8 WHEREAS, the state-of-the-art facility, constructed in 1994
9 through funds appropriated by the Mississippi State Legislature,
10 offers a rich tapestry of cultural and educational programs for
11 all Mississippians; and

12 WHEREAS, harboring a diverse repertoire of events,
13 developmental and educational programs and outreach initiatives
14 that contribute to an enhancement in the quality of life, the
15 Bologna Performing Arts Center has made a profound impact on the
16 Mississippi Delta; and

17 WHEREAS, the Bologna Performing Arts Center performs a full
18 range of performing arts disciplines each season, hosting more
19 than 200 events annually, including the major series of national
20 and international events; and

21 WHEREAS, fostering the recognition and appreciation of
22 world-class arts programming, the Bologna Performing Arts Center
23 has demonstrated its commitment to arts education for young people
24 in Grades K-12 by nourishing creativity and enlivening the spirit
25 of the Mississippi Delta with such programs as school matinee
26 programs and the development of the Janice Wyatt Summer Arts
27 Institute; and



28 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives of
29 the State of Mississippi to recognize and commend excellence,
30 especially when evidenced by the institutions of higher learning
31 of our state, which provide the valuable resources proffered by
32 education:

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
34 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
35 commend and congratulate the Bologna Performing Arts Center for
36 its excellence in the arts and for being the 2002 recipient of the
37 Cultural Leadership Award.

38 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
39 furnished to the director of the Bologna Performing Art Center and
40 the members of the Capitol Press Corps.

