

By: Representatives Brown, Denny, Ellington, Fleming, Montgomery (74th) To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MRS. SALLY W. CARMICHAEL ON WINNING
2 THE 2002 ARTS PATRON AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE ARTS.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sally W. Carmichael has spent a lifetime of
4 commitment to the arts and to the quality of life in Mississippi;
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6 WHEREAS, whether planning a church chamber music concert or
7 guiding a group of symphony volunteers, Mrs. Carmichael's love of
8 music prompted her early involvement in the Jackson Symphony
9 Orchestra, for which her father was an early benefactor; and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Carmichael, serving 25 years on the Board of
11 Trustees for the Jackson Symphony Orchestra, was instrumental in
12 its growth into the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra; and

13 WHEREAS, serving in other various capacities through the
14 years on the local and national levels, Mrs. Carmichael has
15 brought national attention to the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra
16 by implementing the first symphony concert presented in a
17 rehabilitation hospital and by receiving the Volunteer Council's
18 National Education and Community Service Award; and

19 WHEREAS, Mrs. Carmichael, during her tenure on the board of
20 directors for the Arts Alliance of Jackson and Hinds County and
21 the Mississippi Museum of Art Auxiliary, was selected as the "1996
22 Volunteer of the Year"; and

23 WHEREAS, establishing a milestone, Mrs. Carmichael was the
24 chairman of the first "Art for Heart" benefit for the Mississippi
25 Chapter of the American Heart Association, the largest, single
26 fund-raising event which showcases Mississippi artists; and



27 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives of
28 the State of Mississippi to recognize and commend excellence,
29 especially when evidenced by an outstanding Mississippian such as
30 Mrs. Carmichael:

31 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
32 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
33 commend and congratulate Mrs. Sally W. Carmichael for her
34 excellence in the arts and for being the 2002 recipient of the
35 Arts Patron Award.

36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
37 furnished to Mrs. Sally W. Carmichael and the members of the
38 Capitol Press Corps.

