

By: Representative Mangold

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 34

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING MISS OLIVIA FAVERO
2 UPON BEING CROWNED MISS RODEO AMERICA 2026 AND WELCOMING HER TO
3 THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI DURING THE 2026 DIXIE NATIONAL RODEO.

4 WHEREAS, on Sunday, December 7, 2025, Miss Olivia Favero, of
5 Taylor, Utah, who represented her home state as Miss Rodeo Utah
6 2025, was crowned Miss Rodeo America 2026 at the South Point Hotel
7 in Las Vegas, Nevada; and

8 WHEREAS, a dedicated horsewoman and rising leader in the
9 equine industry, Olivia embodies the spirit, grace and grit of
10 rodeo; and

11 WHEREAS, before being crowned as the prestigious Miss Rodeo
12 America 2026, Olivia graduated from Weber State University with
13 two associate degrees, and is currently pursuing a bachelor's
14 degree in communication with an emphasis in public relations and
15 advertising; and

16 WHEREAS, alongside her studies, Olivia worked at her local
17 farm store and as a cosmetologist, allowing her to build



18 meaningful connections with customers, clients and her community;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, in her spare time, Olivia enjoys riding dirt bikes
21 on mountain trails, training horses and helping on her family's
22 farm, and her deep love for horsemanship, and the western way of
23 life fuels her commitment to preserving and promoting the
24 traditions she holds dear; and

25 WHEREAS, in addition to capturing the Miss Rodeo America
26 crown, Olivia earned the Appearance Award and the Desiree Larson
27 Memorial Achievement Award, and with her new title, she receives
28 more than \$20,000 in educational scholarships and prizes, the
29 opportunity to ride AQHA horses, the honor of wearing the iconic
30 Landstrom's Black Hills Gold crown, a wardrobe from Wrangler,
31 Montana Silversmiths jewelry, select Justin Boots and Resistol
32 hats, and additional gifts from other generous sponsors; and

33 WHEREAS, as Miss Rodeo America 2026, Olivia will serve as the
34 official representative of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys
35 Association, and during her reign she will travel over 40,000
36 miles and appear at more than 100 rodeo performances, as well as
37 attend various schools, civic groups, and special events across
38 the nation, and her mission is to educate the public about rodeo,
39 its sponsors, and its abundant opportunities that exist within the
40 western industry; and

41 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
42 recognize and honor fine individuals such as Miss Olivia Favero, a



43 young woman who exudes poise and class, and serves as an asset and
44 wonderful role model to young girls throughout the nation, with
45 her attitude, determination and professionalism:

46 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
47 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
48 commend and congratulate Miss Olivia Favero upon being crowned
49 Miss Rodeo America 2026, welcome her to the State of Mississippi
50 during the 2026 Dixie National Rodeo, and express deepest wishes
51 for her continued success in all her future endeavors.

52 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
53 furnished to Miss Olivia Favero, the Professional Rodeo Cowboys
54 Association and to the members of the Capitol Press Corps.

