

House Resolution 778

By: Representatives Byrd of the 170th and Brooks of the 54th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Theodore (Ted) Watkins; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Theodore (Ted) Watkins has been named the Jeff Davis County Citizen of the
3 Year for 2000; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he is much beloved by the community which he cherishes and to which he gives
5 so much of his time and attention; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he presently serves as president of the Community League Organization,
7 deacon and usher of the Kirkland Grove Baptist Church and the Piney Grove Baptist Church,
8 team leader of Christmas in April, the heart Fund, and the Cancer Society; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he is a dedicated family man whose love for his children is paramount; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he was president of the All Class Reunion held in 1998 for the Hazelhurst High
11 and Elementary School, an event which required the remarkable organizational skills of
12 which he is uniquely capable and which turned out to be a joyous occasion that attracted 500
13 people; and
- 14 WHEREAS, his positive and inspirational influence on the lives of his fellow citizens is
15 highly worthy of commendation.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
17 the members of this body commend Theodore (Ted) Watkins for his exemplary contributions
18 and congratulate him on being named the Jeff Davis County Citizen of the Year.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Theodore (Ted) Watkins.