

## House Resolution 1018

By: Representatives Welch of the 110<sup>th</sup>, Davis of the 109<sup>th</sup>, Yates of the 73<sup>rd</sup>, Mayo of the 91<sup>st</sup>, Mosby of the 90<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the Ola High School Band; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Ola High School Band has long been recognized for the musical talent of  
3 each of its members and the outstanding musical direction and leadership of its director; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the Ola High School Band has been selected to participate in the 26th annual  
5 New Year's Day Parade and Festival to be held in London, England, between December 27,  
6 2011, and January 4, 2012; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the New Year's Day Parade and Festival has been dubbed the greatest event in  
8 the greatest city in the world and the 26th annual event is the first official event in a year of  
9 celebrations to mark Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's Diamond Jubilee; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the New Year's Day Parade is viewed by a live television audience of nearly  
11 220 million people worldwide and has more than a half million spectators who pack the  
12 streets of London to catch a glimpse of the procession; and
- 13 WHEREAS, to be selected to perform in such a momentous event is a tremendous honor and  
14 this band from Henry County brings great pride to their families, their school, their  
15 community, and this state; and
- 16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the teamwork, dedication, and  
17 achievements of this talented and hardworking group of young men and women be  
18 recognized appropriately.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
20 the members of this body recognize the outstanding musical talent and abilities of each  
21 member of the Ola High School Band, congratulate them upon their incredible honor of

22 being selected to perform in the 26th annual New Year's Day Parade and Festival in London,  
23 and extend to them best wishes on a successful performance.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Ola High School Band.