

## House Resolution 618

By: Representatives Harbin of the 122<sup>nd</sup>, Sims of the 123<sup>rd</sup>, and Fleming of the 121<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Michele Lundy on being named Girl of the Year for the Leukemia and  
2 Lymphoma Society's Augusta Man and Woman of the Year campaign; and for other  
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, eight-year-old Michele Lundy, a second grader at Blue Ridge Elementary  
5 School, was diagnosed with acute lymphocytic leukemia on December 28, 2011; and

6 WHEREAS, with determination and courage, Michele began aggressive treatment, which  
7 she will continue to undergo through March, 2014, though doctors have told the family that  
8 there is no longer any sign of the disease in her blood; and

9 WHEREAS, the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, an organization devoted to funding  
10 cancer research and providing financial assistance to families affected by the disease, was  
11 vital in helping Michele and her family through their 14 month journey; and

12 WHEREAS, the organization recently named Michele Girl of the Year for their Augusta Man  
13 and Woman of the Year campaign, a ten-week fundraising campaign that aims to raise  
14 \$135,000 for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society; and

15 WHEREAS, Michele is the beloved daughter of proud parents Rob Lundy and Alecia  
16 Lancione; and the cherished sister of Jenisis Seaman, Shealynn Seaman, and Averie Lundy;  
17 and

18 WHEREAS, Michele undertook the task of fighting a terrifying disease that no child should  
19 have to face, but with the help of her loving family, the cheers and best wishes of her  
20 classmates at Blue Ridge Elementary School, and the support of the Leukemia and  
21 Lymphoma Society, this inspiring young citizen will continue cultivating her legacy of  
22 strength and bravery for years to come; and

23 WHEREAS, Michele Lundy has fought and overcome unimaginable hurdles in the first few  
24 years of what promises to be a long and happy life and it is abundantly fitting and proper that  
25 this distinguished citizen be recognized and congratulated.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
27 the members of this body congratulate Michele Lundy on being named the Girl of the Year  
28 for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's Augusta Man and Woman of the Year Campaign,  
29 applaud her for her inspirational courage and strength, and extend their sincere best wishes  
30 for her continued health and happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Michele Lundy.