

House Resolution 743

By: Representative Tanner of the 9<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mabry Brown, Elizabeth Harwood, Hannah Skipper, Valerie Niconovich, and  
2 Kelly White-Bryant of Lumpkin County High School; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, art teaches students to make good judgments about qualitative relationships and  
4 that problems can have more than one solution and questions can have more than one  
5 answer; and

6 WHEREAS, art teaches that there are many ways to see and interpret the world while  
7 celebrating multiple perspectives; and

8 WHEREAS, art students learn that small differences can have large effects; and

9 WHEREAS, a committee of Fine Arts professionals from Lumpkin County chose several  
10 pieces of art to be exhibited in Georgia State Representative Kevin Tanner's office in the  
11 Coverdell Legislative Office Building; and

12 WHEREAS, several students in the Drawing and Painting class at Lumpkin County High  
13 School, which is taught by Kelly White-Bryant, submitted paintings for consideration, out  
14 of which the committee selected four finalists; and

15 WHEREAS, the artists who created the four pieces of art selected by the committee are  
16 Mabry Brown, Elizabeth Harwood, Hannah Skipper, and Valerie Niconovich of Lumpkin  
17 County High School; and

18 WHEREAS, each of the four pieces of art is an example of the high degree of creativity and  
19 craftsmanship that students in the Visual Art Program strive to achieve; and

20 WHEREAS, the paintings are on loan and are displayed in Representative Tanner's office  
21 for visitors, constituents, staff, and others to enjoy.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body commend students Mabry Brown, Elizabeth Harwood, Hannah  
24 Skipper, and Valerie Niconovich and teacher Kelly White-Bryant of Lumpkin County High  
25 School and extend to them their most sincere best wishes for continued success.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
27 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Mabry  
28 Brown, Elizabeth Harwood, Hannah Skipper, Valerie Niconovich, and Kelly White-Bryant.