

House Resolution 1046

By: Representatives Boddie of the 62nd, Alexander of the 66th, Bruce of the 61st, Trammell of the 132nd, and Gravley of the 67th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Tracy Rookard-Shaw and recognizing Evolving Excellence, Inc.'s, diligence in
2 awarding scholarships to the students of Douglas County; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Tracy Rookard-Shaw, the Marketing Director of Evolving Excellence, Inc., is
4 a woman of exceptional talents, an international author, and an elected official, and she also
5 serves as the management consultant and global business strategist for a multibillion dollar
6 firm; and

7 WHEREAS, Evolving Excellence, Inc., is a youth empowerment group dedicated to
8 bestowing solid business skills upon students, providing programs which build students'
9 self-esteem and help them to recognize the value in others, and conducting seminars which
10 aid in strengthening parenting skills; and

11 WHEREAS, Evolving Excellence, Inc., aims to build students based upon their five pillars
12 of success: business creation and sustainability; integrity and fiscal responsibility; impactful
13 communication, which is designed to build networks; community service; and innovation;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, students with businesses or business ideas have the opportunity to attend
16 weekly classes, which teach them how to build their own business infrastructure, how to
17 protect their business, how to market their business both nationally and internationally, and
18 the ins and outs of public relations; and

19 WHEREAS, they also offer programs which focus on building self-esteem, motivating and
20 inspiring children to be the best that they can be, and on teaching conflict resolution; and

21 WHEREAS, these programs also allow students to take part in self-evaluations, which are
22 designed to identify the strengths of the students and to teach them how to apply their talents;
23 and

24 WHEREAS, the students are able to learn various historical perspectives and are taught to
25 embrace their unique talents and abilities; and

26 WHEREAS, Evolving Excellence, Inc., also hosts parenting coaching seminars, which
27 provide parents with the resources necessary to navigate the complexities of child-rearing by
28 teaching them parenting techniques and supplying them with the resources they require in
29 order to get children with special needs into the world of business; and

30 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this exemplary organization be
31 recognized for its positive impact on the lives of students of business and their families.

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
33 the members of this body honor Tracy Rookard-Shaw and recognize Evolving Excellence,
34 Inc.'s, diligence in awarding scholarships to the students of Douglas County.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
36 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Tracy
37 Rookard-Shaw and Evolving Excellence, Inc.