

Senate Resolution 959

By: Senators Wicks of the 34th, Davenport of the 17th and Anderson of the 43rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending The Flourish Society Inc.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, The Flourish Society Inc. is an intentional sisterhood and advocacy organization
3 committed to addressing the unique personal, cultural, and communal needs of African
4 American women through the creation of intentional spaces that nurture leadership,
5 empowerment, and community transformation; and

6 WHEREAS, the organization is guided by the philosophy of Holistic Flourishing,
7 emphasizing authentic connection; holistic growth of the mind, body, and spirit; and the
8 power of collective impact to uplift families and strengthen communities; and

9 WHEREAS, through its Legacy Builders Program, the organization invests in youth
10 development by connecting young people with mentors, fostering leadership skills, and
11 encouraging cultural pride and identity among the next generation; and

12 WHEREAS, the organization promotes cultural preservation and empowerment through
13 initiatives such as Flourishing in the Arts, celebrating the rich contributions of African
14 Americans and providing creative platforms that amplify artistic expression and cultural
15 heritage; and

16 WHEREAS, recognizing health disparities affecting Black women, The Flourish Society Inc.
17 prioritizes Black health and wellness by promoting emotional and mental well-being,
18 encouraging physical wellness, and advocating for preventative health education that
19 supports longevity and vitality; and

20 WHEREAS, through its commitment to advocacy and civic engagement, The Flourish
21 Society Inc. works to bridge communities with the legislative process by identifying barriers
22 to equitable opportunity and encouraging collective action that advances policies benefiting
23 families and communities; and

24 WHEREAS, through Global Connect, the organization fosters cultural exchange and global
25 awareness, strengthening connections across the African diaspora and promoting a broader
26 understanding of shared heritage and global community; and

27 WHEREAS, The Flourish Society Inc. continues to strengthen communities through event
28 programming, philanthropy, and civic engagement that promote multi-generational
29 leadership, empowerment, and sustainable community impact.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
31 recognize and commend The Flourish Society Inc. for its many outstanding contributions on
32 behalf of the citizens of this state as well as extend best wishes for continued success.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
34 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to The Flourish
35 Society Inc.