

**RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF
KILBY LABORATORY SCHOOL
FLORENCE CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM
AS A NOMINATED BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, the Alabama State Board of Education recognizes and commends schools that ranked in the top 15% statewide for academic achievement and were nominated for the 2025 Blue Ribbon Schools Award for their outstanding contributions to education; and

WHEREAS, five public schools were nominated statewide out of more than 1,300 public schools for the 2025 Blue Ribbon Schools Award, one of the state's most prestigious education honors; and

WHEREAS, effective Fall 2025, the Blue Ribbon Schools Program recognizing public elementary, middle, and high schools has been discontinued; and

WHEREAS, Alabama State Superintendent of Education Eric G. Mackey celebrates these schools for their exceptional contributions to academic success:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend the faculty, staff, students, and parents of Kilby Laboratory School in the Florence City School System for being nominated as a 2025 Blue Ribbon School.

Done this 12th day of February 2026