RESOLUTION OF DISTINGUISHED RECOGNITION OXFORD HIGH SCHOOL, OXFORD CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM 2024-2025 AMERICAN COLLEGE APPLICATION CAMPAIGN SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE

WHEREAS, all students must have an opportunity to reach their full potential and to realize their lifelong aspirations; and

WHEREAS, the American College Application Campaign (ACAC) is a national initiative of ACT and is designed to increase the number of students pursuing a post-secondary degree; and

WHEREAS, the ACAC has worked with high schools to ensure every graduating senior has the opportunity to complete college applications to postsecondary institutions of all kinds—four-year universities and colleges, two-year colleges, and career and job-related certification programs—to increase opportunities for all; and

WHEREAS, over the past decade, there has been a growing movement among educators, employers, and business professionals to further focus America's high school curriculum on college preparation and career development to remain competitive in today's growing global economy; and

WHEREAS, for the tenth consecutive year, our state has celebrated the Alabama College Application Campaign—an annual event developed by the Alabama State Department of Education to celebrate the importance of students continuing their educational goals after high school graduation; and

WHEREAS, Oxford High School in the Oxford City School System, has demonstrated commitment to student success, timely submission of data, and served as an exemplary model for Alabama's College Application Campaign:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby extend appreciation and heartfelt congratulations to Oxford High School in the Oxford City School System, as the 2024-2025 ACAC School of Excellence Recipient.

Done this 12th day of June 2025