## RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF MRS. JENNIFER WEST, ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, RIVERTON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, MADISON COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM, AS ALABAMA'S 2020 SECONDARY ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR

WHEREAS, the National Association of Secondary School Principals sponsors a national program to honor outstanding assistant principals from across the United States and more than 45 countries; and

WHEREAS, Jennifer West, assistant principal at Riverton Intermediate School in the Madison County School System, was selected as Alabama's 2020 Assistant Principal of the Year by the Alabama Association of Secondary School Principals; and

WHEREAS, Jennifer West has served as the assistant principal at Riverton Intermediate School since January 2020 and at Buckhorn Middle School since 2016, and prior to that she served as a special education and collaborative teacher since 2011. Mrs. West worked with the students and teachers at Buckhorn Middle and Riverton Intermediate Schools to increase learning; and

WHEREAS, Jennifer West received her bachelor's degree from The University of Alabama, her master's degree of Education from Alabama A&M, and her education specialist degree from Samford University; and

WHEREAS, each year, the National Association of Secondary School Principals congratulates assistant principals from across the nation for their exemplary achievements by recognizing them in its Assistant Principal of the Year Program; and

WHEREAS, the Assistant Principal of the Year Program honors outstanding secondary assistant principals who ensure that America's students acquire a sound foundation for lifelong learning and achievement, and the program annually honors secondary assistant principals who have succeeded in providing high-quality learning opportunities for students as well as demonstrating exemplary contributions to the profession:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend and congratulate Mrs. Jennifer West upon the honor of being selected as the 2020 Alabama Assistant Principal of the Year.

Done this 8th day of October 2020