RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF DR. GREGORY DEVAL MOORE, JR. PRINCIPAL, SPRINGVILLE HIGH SCHOOL ST. CLAIR COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM AS ALABAMA'S 2024 HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR

WHEREAS, Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr., Principal of Springville High School in the St. Clair County School System, has been named the 2024 Alabama High School Principal of the Year by the Alabama Association of Secondary School Principals; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr. tenure at Springville High School has been marked by his significant contributions in establishing a positive school culture and climate, serving as a tone-setter with his infectious positive energy and passion, which have become the cornerstone of his leadership; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr. focus on building a community that works collaboratively towards common goals has led to Springville High School being recognized as a school of Promising Practice by character.org, highlighting his leadership in promoting character education; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr. has been instrumental in the resurgence of the "Tiger Code" at Springville High School, an initiative focused on core values and expectations for students, faculty, and staff, which emphasizes Truth, Integrity, Generosity, Encouragement, and Respect, and which engages the local community in promoting school pride and encouraging positive behavior and academic excellence, with unique recognitions such as the Tiger Code Championship belts, turnaround chains, and tiaras, which honor students and staff who exemplify the code's principles; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr. impressive educational journey, which includes an educational doctorate, an education specialist degree, and a master's degree in secondary language arts from prestigious institutions such as Samford University and the University of Alabama at Birmingham, reflects his commitment to academic excellence and leadership; and

WHEREAS, with 24 years in education, including principal at Springville Elementary School, Assistant Principal at Chalkville Elementary, and Assistant Principal at Pinson Valley High School, Dr. Moore has demonstrated exceptional leadership and dedication to the success and well-being of students and educators alike:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend and congratulate Dr. Gregory Deval Moore, Jr. upon the honor of being selected as Alabama's 2024 High School Principal of the Year.

Done this 10th day of October 2024