**A** **CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE DIANE SKIPPER LEWIS OF HORRY COUNTY ON BEING NAMED 2014 HORRY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE RURAL LADY OF THE YEAR.

Whereas, the South Carolina General Assembly is pleased to learn that Diane Skipper Lewis of Horry County has been named 2014 Horry Electric Cooperative Rural Lady of the Year. Selected for the honor for the significant differences she has made in the farming community of Horry County, Diane has been associated with Horry Electric Cooperative for thirty‑eight years; and

Whereas, this hard‑working lady, raised in Horry County, has been involved in every aspect of her family’s five‑hundred‑acre farming operation. She enjoys growing a garden; working on the farm with her husband and son; growing tobacco; raising cows, chickens, and horses; cooking; and deer hunting. As a woman of faith, Diane serves her God at Baker’s Chapel Baptist Church as choir director, Sunday School teacher, programs director, and church cook; and

Whereas, Diane relishes her role as the wife of Kenny Lewis, mother of Heather Lewis Squires and Kenneth Lewis, and grandmother of Jordyn, Caleb, Hayden, and Hudson; and

Whereas, appreciative of her commitment to make Horry County a better place to live, the General Assembly takes great pleasure in saluting Diane Lewis on being selected by Horry Electric Cooperative to receive this fine honor. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:

That the members of the South Carolina General Assembly, by this resolution, congratulate Diane Skipper Lewis of Horry County on being named 2014 Horry Electric Cooperative Rural Lady of the Year.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Diane Skipper Lewis.

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