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HR_____ COMMENDING HENRIETTA TAYLOR ON WINNING THE 2023
OUTSTANDING CONSERVATION DISTRICT PROFESSIONAL AWARD.

WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
are proudly presented to Henrietta Taylor for being chosen
by the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD)
as the 2023 Outstanding Conservation District Professional
Award winner; she is only the second District Administrator
Coordinator to receive this outstanding award; and

WHEREAS, the Outstanding Conservation District
Professional Award is presented annually to recognize the
professionalism and dedication of the people behind the
nation's conservation district programs; the program began
in 1998; and

WHEREAS, Henrietta Taylor is the Lawrence County Soil
and Water District Administrator Coordinator (DAC); a couple
of her many responsibilities include taking applications for
the many conservation programs that farmers and landowners
apply for and helping to prioritize the different
conservation programs offered through the funds received
from the National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS),
which totaled over \$5.4 million in economic impact for
Lawrence County in 2023; and

WHEREAS, Henrietta Taylor is one of the first DACs
across the State of Alabama to complete extensive



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29 certification training for her position, and she has
30 mentored many of her peers in completing their training; she
31 works with local and state officials, bringing recognition
32 to the many needs and accomplishments of local farmers and
33 landowners; and

34 WHEREAS, Henrietta Taylor demonstrated outstanding
35 achievements and excelled in her duties as a District
36 Coordinator; she has gained notable recognition by the
37 Alabama Conservation District Employees Association as the
38 Distinguished Service Award winner; and

39 WHEREAS, she also received the 2023 Southeastern
40 Conservation District Employee Recognition Award for her
41 many roles in the Alabama Conservation Employees Association
42 and Southeast Conservation Employees Association, such as
43 serving as the past State President; she is currently
44 serving on many committees and holds other offices in these
45 organizations; now therefore,

46 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
47 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Henrietta Taylor is honored and
48 commended for being chosen by NACD as the 2023 Outstanding
49 Conservation District Professional Award winner; this
50 resolution is offered to her in deep admiration and
51 appreciation for her conservation efforts in order to make
52 Lawrence County and the State of Alabama a better place for
53 farmers and landowners, along with sincere best wishes for
54 all future endeavors.