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HOUSE RESOLUTION

TO HONOR MARTHA JARROW FOR HER MANY YEARS OF SERVICE
TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE STATE OF
ARKANSAS.

Subtitle

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WHEREAS, March is celebrated as Women's History Month, a significant occasion dedicated to honoring the remarkable contributions of women who have profoundly influenced their fields and communities, paving the way for future generations to strive relentlessly for excellence; and

WHEREAS, Martha L. Jarrow stands out as a distinguished leader in the role she has embraced with passion and steadfast commitment as the Director of Member Services within the House of Representatives, where her intelligence, exceptional skills, achievements, and immense dedication have propelled the legislative process to new heights, benefiting all members and staff; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow's innovative initiatives, such as developing and implementing comprehensive cross-training programs and streamlined communication strategies, have inspired her colleagues and cultivated a



collaborative and inclusive environment where creativity and shared success thrive among team members in her office and throughout the institution; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow's astuteness and confident energy were noticed when Martha attended the Southern Legislative Conference, and she was selected to serve as a member of the inaugural Staff Alliance for Intergovernmental Leadership (SAIL) Chief of Staff, Branch Leadership and Staff Leadership Task Force; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow's strong commitment to delivering exceptional service and consistently exceeding expectations has established an exemplary standard of excellence within the institution, and she is an invaluable resource for legislators, offering expert guidance on member initiatives and navigating the complexities of procedural matters with skill and insight; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow exemplifies a profound sense of faith that informs her actions and decision-making processes, equipping her with the resilience necessary to confront and overcome multifaceted challenges, and her deep affection for her family and her dedication to maintaining a healthy work-life balance serve as a cornerstone of her strength, motivating her to make a positive impact both in her professional endeavors and within her personal life; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow is passionately devoted to empowering her staff through mentorship and professional development opportunities, ensuring they possess the requisite tools and resources to thrive in their roles and achieve their career aspirations; and

WHEREAS, Martha Jarrow's brainpower, communication skills, and professionalism allowed her the opportunity to be selected to be a part of the Staff Academy for Governmental Excellence (SAGE), a program of the Council of State Government (CSG South), which is the nation's only regionally focused leadership development program for state government staff and which equips staff leaders to navigate the unique dynamics of a career in public service, building a diverse roster of highly skilled leaders among state government staff,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the House of Representatives formally recognize and celebrate Martha L. Jarrow for her remarkable contributions to the House of Representatives and her staff, her steadfast faith, which enriches the workplace culture, and the boundless love she extends to her family, staff, colleagues, and the institution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Martha Jarrow's remarkable achievements serve as a powerful beacon of inspiration for future generations of women, illustrating the significance of dedication, tireless efforts, and the fundamental roles of faith and family in realizing both professional ambitions and personal fulfillment.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this resolution be adopted on this day in profound appreciation of Martha L. Jarrow's extraordinary influence, steadfast leadership, and legacy within the institution and beyond.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution be presented to Martha Jarrow by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.