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## SENATE RESOLUTION

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### Subtitle

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WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., also known as FBLA, is a nonprofit educational organization whose first high school chapter was established in Johnson City, Tennessee, in 1942; and

WHEREAS, Iowa became the first state chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., in 1947; and

WHEREAS, Eureka Springs High School officially chartered its local chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., on October 31, 1972; and

WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., includes more than two hundred thousand (200,000) members and advisers in four thousand six hundred (4,600) chapters nationwide in middle schools, high schools, colleges, universities, career and technical schools, and private business schools; and

WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., is a professional business organization dedicated to bringing business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs; and



WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., members perform community service activities and strive to build a student's understanding of the realities of the modern business world; and

WHEREAS, Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., teaches middle school, high school, and college students basic business and leadership principles and assists them in the transition from school to work; and

WHEREAS, the Eureka Springs chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., is an active chapter and participated in the food drive this past holiday season to provide meals for thirty-two (32) families this past winter; and

WHEREAS, the Eureka Springs chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., is a Champion Chapter with the Bronze designation,

NOW THEREFORE,

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

THAT the Senate recognize the importance and positive work and commend the leaders of the Eureka Springs chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., and recognize February 9-15, 2025, as Eureka Springs FBLA Week.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon adoption, a copy of this resolution be provided to the Eureka Springs chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, Inc., by the Secretary of the Senate.