

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 214

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Cayla Mackey, 2015 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Cayla Mackey, who was recently recognized as one of the members of the 2015 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, presented by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation; and

WHEREAS, each year, the Tennessee chapter selects thirty individuals for its class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, which recognizes business professionals throughout Middle Tennessee for their leadership qualities, volunteerism, and business endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Mackey is the founder of *Native*, a local culture magazine for the creative class, and Taco Bike, the South's first certified organic restaurant; she also helps farmers find a market for locally grown foods as an employee at Nashville Grown, and is currently launching an online marketplace, Good Goods, for ethically produced goods; and

WHEREAS, she holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in music, language, and culture from Vanderbilt University and is an alumna of the university's Ingram Scholars program; and

WHEREAS, a leader in her field, Cayla Mackey is the founder and president of Global Poverty Initiative, a member of the Farm in the City Community Garden board, and a committee member and future board member for the Green Fork Academy; and

WHEREAS, a successful entrepreneur in the Nashville community, Ms. Mackey is a member of the Entrepreneur Center and the Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the individuals of the 2015 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 for their dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Cayla Mackey on being named a member of the 2015 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.