

A RESOLUTION honoring Representative Jim DuPlessis for his heroic efforts to help Alicia Boyd, and honoring Mrs. Boyd for her dedication in returning to work at the Legislative Research Commission.

WHEREAS, on August 16, 2015, Alicia Boyd and her daughter were traveling on the Bluegrass Parkway just outside Bardstown when their vehicle left the road and flipped upside-down; and

WHEREAS, Representative Jim DuPlessis was traveling on the parkway with three friends when he spotted the overturned vehicle, and the four men, courageously putting their own safety aside, pulled over to help; and

WHEREAS, Alicia Boyd, who works as a fiscal officer for the Legislative Research Commission, was taken to Hardin Memorial Hospital, and would spend the next months recovering from extensive injuries; and

WHEREAS, this honorable body recognizes Representative Jim DuPlessis for his heroic efforts on that day, and in so doing also honors Alicia Boyd for her extraordinary resolve in returning to work to serve the people of this great Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, this body also thanks all those who have supported Alicia Boyd, including her daughter, Kenna, and her husband, Russ; rightfully commends her for her service to Kentucky and for all that she has overcome to return to work; and grants her best wishes as she continues on the difficult path to a full recovery;

NOW, THEREFORE,

***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby honor Representative Jim DuPlessis for his heroic and selfless efforts on August 16, 2015.

➔Section 2. The members of the House of Representatives hereby honor Alicia Boyd of the Legislative Research Commission staff for all that she has overcome to return to work and for the uncommon perseverance she has shown during her recovery.

➔Section 3. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Representative Jim DuPlessis and Alicia Boyd.

➔Section 4. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Jeff Hoover for delivery.