

A RESOLUTION honoring Dr. Henry Webb as the 2016 recipient of the F.L. Dupree Award.

WHEREAS, the F.L. Dupree Outstanding Superintendent Award is co-sponsored by the Kentucky School Boards Association and the Dupree family. For 45 years the award has gone to a superintendent who has shown exemplary work in areas of school finance, facility management, student engagement, community involvement, and advocacy; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 F.L. Dupree Award was presented on February 27, 2016, during the Kentucky School Boards Association conference in Louisville; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Henry Webb, who has been an employee of the Floyd County School District since 1995 and has served as superintendent since 2007, received the 2016 award; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Webb, who holds master's and doctoral degrees from Morehead State University, was lauded for his commitment to improving the lives of students in eastern Kentucky and for serving as an inspiration to so many Floyd Countians who have benefited from his vision and his desire to do "Whatever it takes" to improve the schools in his district; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Webb was further honored for taking Floyd County from 86th to 12th place in the state accountability system, for securing record amounts of grant funding for his district, and for pushing his district's teachers to be involved in state and national opportunities that have helped Floyd County become a District of Distinction; and

WHEREAS, this honorable body commends those individuals who make a difference in the lives of Kentucky's students and who go above and beyond their call to make our schools better places to learn, to engage, and to grow. Dr. Henry Webb is one such educator, and this body honors him on this day for what he has done for the families of Floyd County and for the betterment of education in the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

➔Section 1. The Senate hereby honors Dr. Henry Webb upon winning the 2016 F.L. Dupree Outstanding Superintendent Award, and grants him best wishes as he continues to serve as a shining example of Kentucky's educational community.

➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Dr. Henry Webb.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Senator Johnny Ray Turner for delivery.