

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Jonathan Biffle is an outstanding 18-year old senior at Rogers High School; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan has outstanding leadership qualities and abilities that serve as a role model for other students and adults to follow; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan is recognized by his peers, teachers and administrators as a leader; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan's strong academic credentials and high standardized test scores has brought great honor to his family, school, and community; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan has recently scored 33 on the American College Testing Examination (ACT); and

WHEREAS, Jonathan will represent the graduating class of 2021 at Rogers High School as Valedictorian; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan is a member of the National Honor Society and the National Technical Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan took the 2019 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT®) and met requirements to enter the 2021 National Merit Scholarship Program with a selection index score of 213 and has shown outstanding academic potential; and

WHEREAS, from more than 1.5 million program entrants, Jonathan is among the 50,000 highest-scoring participants who are recognized as National Merit Semifinalists; and

WHEREAS, 50,000 high scorers nationwide, about 16,000 will be named National Merit Scholarship Program Semifinalists, representing the top scorers in each state, and the other 34,000 students will be commended for their performance on the PSAT/NMSQT; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Superintendent and the Lauderdale County Board of Education Members want to congratulate **Jonathan Biffle** for his academic success; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Superintendent and the Lauderdale County Board of Education Members want to express to Jonathan’s parents, Jeff and Laura Biffle, and to the rest of the family, how proud we are of Jonathan’s outstanding academic achievement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Jonathan is to be commended for his outstanding academic achievements while still participating in extra-curricular activities in the school and community where he was Captain of the Cross Country Team and a State Qualifier in the 9th, 11th and 12th grades; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Jonathan’s achievements bring great honor to his family, the Lauderdale County School System, teachers, administrators, and students; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Superintendent and the Lauderdale County Board of Education Members wish for Jonathan’s continued success and happiness throughout his life; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be given to **Mr. Jonathan Biffle** and his family, and spread upon the pages of the official minutes of the Lauderdale County Board of Education.

ADOPTED, this 25th day of **May, 2021**.

Jerry Hill, Superintendent

Ronnie Owens, President

Daniel Patterson, Vice President

Dennis Hargett, Board Member

Larry Hill, Board Member

Terry Holden, Board Member