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Representative Willis

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Dr. Jo Alice Blondin on her retirement. 1

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 136th 2
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Dr. Jo Alice 3
Blondin on her retirement as president of Clark State College; and 4

WHEREAS, Dr. Jo Alice Blondin is to be commended on her 5
distinguished tenure as the fifth president of Clark State College. 6
Previously serving in various roles at the Arkansas Tech University 7
Ozark Campus and the University of Arkansas, she has brought to her 8
role a wealth of experience and set a laudable example of initiative, 9
diligence, and resolve in fulfilling a multitude of challenging 10
responsibilities with dependability and effectiveness; and 11

WHEREAS, Dr. Jo Alice Blondin is, indeed, deserving of high 12
praise, for she has been involved in an array of development projects, 13
collaborative partnerships, and strategic initiatives that have 14
greatly benefited Clark State College. Clearly, the esteemed 15
reputation associated with the college is largely attributable to her 16
productive leadership, and it is no surprise that her sound judgment, 17
insightful perspective, and aptitude for creative problem-solving have 18
won her a host of admirers; and 19

WHEREAS, Whether occupying center stage or playing a key role in 20
the wings, Dr. Jo Alice Blondin has always made her dynamic, 21
supportive presence felt. She has demonstrated how very much a highly 22
motivated, conscientious person can accomplish, and she can be proud 23
that her unflagging commitment as the president of Clark State College 24
has impelled many who know her to dedicate themselves similarly; 25
therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 27

the 136th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 28
applaud Dr. Jo Alice Blondin on her professional excellence at Clark 29
State College and wish her a future of health and happiness in her 30
retirement; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 32
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Dr. Jo Alice Blondin. 33