

Senate Resolution 445

By: Senator Kirkpatrick of the 32nd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Phoebe Galloway and Team Phoebe; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Phoebe Galloway was born with WAGR Syndrome, an ultra-rare genetic
3 deletion; on August 30th, the Galloways learned Phoebe has a Wilm's tumor on her left
4 kidney for which she must undergo six months of chemotherapy treatment and surgery; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Phoebe's medical team consists of her oncologists, cancer predisposition
6 doctors, eye doctors, glaucoma specialists, cataract specialists, nephrologists,
7 gastroenterologists, speech therapists, physical therapists, occupational therapists, and others;
8 and
- 9 WHEREAS, Team Phoebe has spread beyond just the Lassiter community, with Kell High
10 School raising nearly \$1,500 through the Kell's "Gold Out" football game and volleyball
11 fundraisers; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Walton High School has helped Phoebe raise \$5,000 by making her the
13 beneficiary of the annual Rally in the Valley lacrosse tournament; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Team Phoebe has received publicity on 11 Alive and Fox 5 News, increasing
15 community awareness and helping to raise additional money through Phoebe's Gofundme;
16 and
- 17 WHEREAS, Team Phoebe will hold a Spring Carnival at Lassiter High School on April 20th
18 in order to raise money for the Galloway family and the International WAGR Syndrome
19 Association; and
- 20 WHEREAS, the Spring Carnival is a free community event that will include a silent auction
21 sponsored by local businesses, along with carnival games; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this outstanding child and her
23 extraordinary supporters be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
25 recognize and commend Phoebe Galloway and Team Phoebe, and extend sincere best wishes
26 for continued health, happiness, and success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
28 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to Phoebe Galloway
29 and Team Phoebe.