

A RESOLUTION honoring the Central High School Class of 1958 on the occasion of its 58th reunion.

WHEREAS, Central High School was established in 1882 in Louisville, Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, the school, founded by a group of local ministers, began with the enduring vision of offering education to the city's black children; and

WHEREAS, through five locations and three name changes, Central High School has continued to stand as a testament to quality, life-changing public education in the city of Louisville and this Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, in July 2016, the Central High School Class of 1958 will host its 58th reunion; and

WHEREAS, the Class of 1958, the last segregated class to graduate from Central High School, is duly honored by this august body on this day, and the alumni returning are granted best wishes as they commemorate this special event; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Senate also recognize Central High School for the many contributions it has made to the culture of Louisville and for all it has done to shape the minds and lives of those generations of young people who have walked through its decorated halls at 12th and Chestnut Streets;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

➔Section 1. The Senate hereby honors the Central High School Class of 1958, congratulates these graduates as they celebrate their 58th anniversary, and thanks all those associated with Central High School for what they have done to forward education in this Commonwealth.

➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor of the Central High School Class of 1958.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Senator Gerald A. Neal for delivery.