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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 971

Offered February 15, 2017

3 Commending Shedrick McCall III.

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5 WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall III, a senior football standout at L.C. Bird High School in Chesterfield,
7 committed to play for Norfolk State University after he graduates in 2017; and

8 WHEREAS, a 6-foot-1 running back, Shedrick McCall rushed for an impressive 2,300 yards and 38
9 touchdowns in the 2016 season; and

WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall has been named WRIC Player of the Week, *The Progress-Index* Football Athlete of the Week, and *Richmond Times-Dispatch* player of the week; and

WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall has been named to the All-Metro, All-Conference, All-Region, andAll-State teams, among other honors he has collected during his phenomenal football career; and

14 WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall is an excellent student and has a 3.0 grade-point average, and he 15 received more than a dozen college scholarship offers; and

WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall wants to experience student life at historically black colleges and
 universities (HBCUs) and that is why he chose Norfolk State University, which offered him a full
 football scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Shedrick McCall is an excellent example of what hard work and dedication look likeand he represents the best of the best within Chesterfield County Public Schools; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby
 commend Shedrick McCall III, an L.C. Bird High School senior, on committing to play football for
 Norfolk State University after he graduates in 2017; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution
 for presentation to Shedrick McCall III as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for his
 hard work and dedication to excellence both on and off the football field.

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