## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 203**

Commending Melicia Brown.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 14, 2022 Agreed to by the Senate, February 17, 2022

WHEREAS, Melicia Brown, a first grade dual-language educator at Haydon Elementary School, was nominated for the 2022 Washington Post Teacher of the Year Award; and

WHEREAS, Melicia Brown has a bachelor's degree in elementary education and a master's degree in curriculum and instruction from Radford University; and

WHEREAS, Melicia Brown has taught at Haydon Elementary School for five years, where she has greatly fostered the academic and personal development of her students and primed them to lead successful and fulfilling lives; and

WHEREAS, Melicia Brown was nominated for this award to recognize the exemplary efforts she puts forth every day to brighten her students' days and to make a positive and lasting impact on their futures; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Melicia Brown, first grade teacher at Haydon Elementary School, for her 2022 *Washington Post* Teacher of the Year Award nomination; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Melicia Brown as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for her contributions to the Commonwealth.