

By Senator Bullard

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1 Senate Resolution No. ____

2 A resolution remembering and honoring the life
3 and accomplishments of Isabell Queen Williams
4 through her social action and public service to
5 her community, the State of Florida, and the
6 Bahamas.

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8 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams was born and raised in
9 Dade County, Florida, educated in Dade County public schools,
10 and graduated from Miami Northwestern High School in 1961, and

11 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams graduated in 1966 from
12 Bethune-Cookman College with a Bachelor of Arts degree in
13 English and later obtained a Master of Science degree and an
14 Educational Specialist degree from Nova University, and

15 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams worked in the Broward
16 County School System from 1966 to 1997, a period of 31 years,
17 during which time she served as classroom teacher, guidance
18 counselor, adult education instructor, and assistant
19 principal, and

20 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams also worked as a
21 counselor and supervisor in the Metropolitan Dade County
22 Summer Youth Program from 1975 to 1984, was a co-owner of
23 Royal Funeral Services in Miami, and operated RSVP Consultant
24 Services, and

25 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams was actively engaged in
26 public service through involvement with Democratic politics,
27 working as a Legislative Assistant to State Representative
28 Dorothy Bendross-Mindingall and in a similar capacity for
29 former State Senator Kendrick Meek, and

30 WHEREAS, throughout her adult life until her untimely
31 death on July 27, 2001, Isabell Queen Williams was a faithful

1 servant of God, working tirelessly and selflessly in her
2 church, her sorority, and her community to help others acquire
3 the education, training, skills, and resources needed to
4 succeed in life, and

5 WHEREAS, Isabell Queen Williams was an obedient
6 daughter, faithful sister, dedicated wife, caring mother,
7 steadfast friend, and a remarkably accomplished person in
8 every part of her life, who exemplified the ideals on which
9 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., was founded, modeling
10 sisterhood in her personal and professional relations with
11 other sorority members, achieving high scholastic standards,
12 and involving herself actively and responsibly in public
13 affairs, NOW, THEREFORE,

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15 Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

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17 That this legislative body does pause in its
18 deliberations to remember and honor the life, work, and
19 outstanding accomplishments of Isabell Queen Williams in the
20 education profession, in service to Delta Sigma Theta
21 Sorority, Inc., in support of her church, and in social action
22 and public service to her community, the State of Florida, and
23 the Bahamas.

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