



BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

RESOLUTION

COMMENDING MS. MARY KEMP FOR REPRESENTING BALDWIN COUNTY IN THE 2019 NATIONAL SENIOR GAMES IN ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, AND CONGRATULATING HER ON HER ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, in a desire to recognize outstanding achievements of citizens of Baldwin County, Alabama, the Baldwin County Commission wishes to commend Ms. Mary Kemp of Fairhope for her accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kemp attends the Thomas Hospital Wellness Center five days a week where she participates in the Silver Sneakers Classic, Yoga and Barre classes; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kemp began making healthy lifestyle changes at the age of 50 and began competitive running at the age of 94; and

WHEREAS, at the encouragement of her family and Silver Sneakers, Ms. Kemp began training to represent Baldwin County in the 2019 National Senior Games; and

WHEREAS, in qualifying for the 2019 National Senior Games, Ms. Kemp was in the top 10 finalists for the Swanson Award and in June, before competing in the 2019 National Senior Games in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Ms. Kemp turned 97 years old; and

WHEREAS, In the 2019 National Senior Games, Ms. Kemp added two Gold medals and one Bronze medal to her lifetime medal count and was nominated for the “Game Changer Award;” now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION, IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, that the Baldwin County Commission commends and congratulates Ms. Mary Kemp on her achievements, determination and her “never give up” attitude; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution, recorded in the official minutes of this honorable county governing body and embodied as *Resolution #2019-123 of the Baldwin County Commission*, be conveyed to Ms. Kemp in sincere praise and as a small token of appreciation on behalf of all the citizens of Baldwin County, Alabama.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the County of Baldwin to be affixed at the County Seat in Bay Minette, Alabama, on this the 16th day of July 2019.

Commissioner Charles F. Gruber, Chairman

ATTEST:

Wayne Dyess, County Administrator