

By Senator Joyner

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1 Senate Resolution

2 A resolution recognizing the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc.,  
3 for its pioneering efforts in race relations and the  
4 empowerment of women.

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6 WHEREAS, the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc., has a long history of  
7 fighting against racial injustice and for the empowerment of  
8 women, and

9 WHEREAS, under the leadership of Chief Executive Officer  
10 Lenice C. Emanuel, the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc., has achieved an  
11 impressive record of service to the community and has been a  
12 consistent and effective advocate for the cause of equality in  
13 employment, education, health care, housing, and human services,  
14 and

15 WHEREAS, on April 26, 2013, the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc.,  
16 will host the 5th Annual "Stand Against Racism," joining more  
17 than 2,000 organizations nationwide in promoting activities  
18 designed to raise awareness of this ongoing issue, and

19 WHEREAS, the strength, security, and success of this great  
20 state depend in great measure on the work of organizations like  
21 the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc., which work tirelessly to improve  
22 the quality of life of all Floridians, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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26 That we recognize the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc., for its  
27 pioneering efforts in race relations and the empowerment of  
28 women.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be

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30 presented to the YWCA of Tampa Bay, Inc., Chief Executive  
31 Officer Lenice C. Emanuel as a tangible token of the sentiments  
32 expressed in this resolution.